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OF THE

STATE OF IOWA

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Dist.	NAME	P. O. ADDRESS	COUNTIES COMPOSING DISTRICT	OCCUPATION	NATIVITY	Years in Ia.	Age
50	Allen Joseph H.	Pocahontas	Buena Vista, Humboldt, Pocahontas	Banker and Lawyer	Iowa	44	44
28	Arney, Wallace H.*	Marshalltown	Marshall	Farmer and Banker	Iowa	52	52
49	Balkema, Nicholas*	Sioux Center	Lyon, O'Brien, Osceola, Sioux	Merchant	Wis.	31	49
41	Boe, Lars W.*	Forest City	Mitchell, Winnebago, Worth	Lutheran Pastor and Teacher	Michigan	25	38
34	Caswell, Grant L.	Denison	Crawford, Harrison, Monona	Publisher	Iowa	45	45
37	Chase, Daniel C.	Webster City	Hamilton, Hardin, Wright	Attorney	Iowa	54	54
15	Clarkson, John T.*	Albia	Marion, Monroe	Lawyer	Penn.	31	53
11	Crist, LeMerton E.*	Osceola	Clarke, Warren	Lawyer	Iowa	42	42
4	Darrah, John H.*	Chariton	Lucas, Wayne	Merchant	Illinois	38	40
31	Doran, Justin R.*	Beaver	Boone, Story	Farmer	New York	42	64
20	Eversmeyer, Fred'k W.	Muscatine	Muscatine, Louisa	Lawyer, Insurance and Real Estate	Iowa	43	43
42	Enger, Lauritz M.	Decorah	Howard, Winneshiek	Insurance	Norway	42	58
32	Farr, Edgar P.*	Sioux City	Woodbury	Lawyer	Iowa	53	53
40	Fellows, Albert M.*	Lansing	Allamakee, Fayette	Lumber Dealer	Iowa	50	50
29	Fleck, David S.	Newton	Jasper	Grain Dealer and Farmer	Iowa	56	56
7	Foskett, Herbert I.	Shenandoah	Fremont, Page	Banker	Illinois	36	53
17	Foster, John W.*	Guthrie Center	Audubon, Dallas, Guthrie	Lawyer, Farmer and Banker	Iowa	57	57
1	Frailey, Joseph R.	Fort Madison	Lee	Lawyer	Iowa	38	38
47	Francis, Leslie E.*	Spirit Lake	Clay, Dickinson, Emmet, Kosuth, Palo Alto	Lawyer	Iowa	43	43
46	Gillette, Guy M.*	Cherokee	Cherokee, Ida, Plymouth	Lawyer	Iowa	35	35
22	Greene, William J.	Clinton	Clinton	Signalman C. & N.-W. Ry.	Iowa	36	36
32	Grout, Henry W.	Waterloo	Black Hawk, Grundy	Farmer and Real Estate	Iowa	56	56
39	Hagemann, Fred P.*	Waverly	Bremer, Butler	Attorney	Iowa	45	45
26	Heald, Francis A.*	Cedar Rapids	Linn	Lawyer	Iowa	38	38
48	Helmer, Charles C.	Carroll	Carroll, Greene, Sac	Lawyer	Iowa	38	38
21	Henigbaum, Fred G.	Davenport	Scott	Merchant	New York	25	
23	Hilsinger, George E.*	Sabula	Jackson	Attorney	Iowa	40	40
44	Jackson, George H.	Charles City	Chickasaw, Floyd	Banker and Real Estate	Iowa	36	36
8	Jones, Frank F.*	Villisca	Mills, Montgomery	Merchant, Banker and Farmer	New York	39	59
19	Kimball, Clement F.*	Council Bluffs	Pottawattamie	Lawyer	Iowa	46	46
12	Laffer, Charles C.	Sigourney	Keokuk, Poweshiek	Merchant	Iowa	44	44
27	Larrabee, Frederic*	Fort Dodge	Calhoun, Webster	Lawyer and Real Estate	Iowa	41	41
10	Lindly, John M.	Winfield	Henry, Washington	Banker and Druggist	Penn.	48	49
6	Nye, Albert D.*	Bedford	Adams, Taylor	R. R. Agent and Telegraph Operator	Iowa	45	45

30	Parker, Addison M.	Des Moines.	Polk	Attorney	Iowa	36	36
33	Perkins, Eli C.*	Delhi.	Buchanan, Delaware.	Attorney	Maine	49	64
36	Quigley, Robert*	McGregor.	Clayton	Attorney	Iowa	69	69
14	Ream, John F.*	Oskaloosa, R.	Mahaska	Miner	Penn.	59	60
43	Robinson, Thomas J. B.*	Hampton.	Cerro Gordo, Franklin, Hancock	Banker	Wis.	45	47
16	Savage, Arthur C.*	Adair.	Adair, Madison	Banker	Iowa	45	45
35	Schrup, Nicholas J.	Dubuque.	Dubuque	Banker and Insurance.	Iowa	61	61
24	Sheean, William D.*	Anamosa.	Cedar, Jones.	Attorney and Mfg. of Lumber	Iowa	47	47
2	Taylor, John H.*	Farmington.	Jefferson, Van Buren.	Editor	W. Va.	22	44
5	Thomas, Charles H.*	Kent.	Decatur, Ringgold, Union.	Merchant, Banker and Farmer	Illinois	38	54
9	Thompson, Frank E.	Burlington.	Des Moines.	Attorney	Iowa	41	41
18	Voorhees, John C.	Anita.	Cass, Shelby.	Banker	New Jersey	33	49
25	White, James A.*	South Amana.	Iowa, Johnson	Farmer	Illinois	53	55
45	White, Harry C.	Garrison.	Centon, Tama	Farmer and Banker.	Ohio	44	45
13	Whitmore, Chester W.	Ottumwa.	Wapello	Lawyer	Iowa	45	45
3	Wilson, James M.*	Centerville.	Appanoose, Davis	Lawyer	Illinois	32	48

Republicans in roman—35.

Democrats in italic—15.

*Term expires 1916.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

Former Legislative Service—Allen, S. 32, 33, 34, 35; Arney, H. 32, 33, S. 35; Balkema, S. 33, 34, 35; Boe, H. 33, S. 35; Chase, H. 23, 24, S. 34, 35; Clarkson, S. 33, 34, 35; Crist, H. 34, S. 35; Darrah, H. 31, 32, 33, S. 35; Doran, H. 30, 31, 32, S. 35; Enger, H. 34, 35; Farr, S. 35; Fellows, S. 35; Francis, S. 33, 34, 35; Gillette, S. 35; Greene, H. 34, 35; Grout, H. 34, 35; Hagemann, S. 35; Heald, S. 35; Hilsinger, H. 28, 29, S. 35; Jones, H. 30, 31, 32, S. 35; Kimball, S. 35; Larrabee, S. 33, 34, 35; Nye, S. 35; Perkins, H. 33, 34, S. 35; Quigley, S. 33, 34, 35; Ream, S. 33, 34, 35; Robinson, S. 35; Savage, S. 33, 34, 35; Schrup, S. 34, 35; Sheean, H. 27, S. 35; Taylor, S. 35; Thomas, S. 35; White (Harry C.), H. 34, 35; White (James A.), S. 33, 34, 35; Wilson, S. 35.

Military Service—Allen, Private Co. F, 49th Iowa Inf.; Fralley, 2d Lieut. Co. F, 50th Iowa Inf.; Helmer, Co. F, 49th Iowa Vol. Inf.; Gillette, Sergt. Co. M, 52d Iowa Vol., S. A. W.; Quigley, Co. D, 46th Iowa Inf. and Co. K, 15th Iowa Inf.; Whitmore, Co. G, 54th Reg. I. N. G.

Educational—Rural School—Nye (1).

Common School—Arney, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Greene, Laffer, Ream, Thomas, Voorhees (10).

Graded School—Henigmaum (1).

High School—Balkema, Enger, Foskett, Jackson, Jones, Robinson (6).

Academy—Darrah, Grout, Sheean, White (James A.) (4).

College—Allen, Boe, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Fralley, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, White (Harry C.), Whitmore, Wilson (28).

Married—44.

Widowers—2; Quigley, Sheean.

Single—4; Greene, Larrabee, Lindly, White (James A.)

Alphabetical List of Counties Showing Senators and Representatives

COUNTIES.	SENATORS.	REPRESENTATIVES.
Adair.....	Arthur C. Savage.....	Pierre McDermid
Adams.....	Albert D. Nye.....	William H. Cochrane
Allamakee.....	Albert M. Fellows.....	Otto A. Helming
Appanoose.....	James M. Wilson.....	Lafayette Shaeffer
Audubon.....	John W. Foster.....	Otto Witthauer
Benton.....	Harry C. White.....	David E. Mackie
Black Hawk.....	Henry W. Grout.....	Clayton E. Bronson
		Arch W. McFarlane
Boone.....	Justin R. Doran.....	John F. Herman
Bremer.....	Fred P. Hagemann.....	Chas. W. Miller
Buchanan.....	Eli C. Perkins.....	Thomas E. Taylor
Buena Vista.....	Joseph H. Allen.....	Roy W. Murray
Butler.....	Fred P. Hagemann.....	Wm. I. Atkinson
Calhoun.....	Frederic Larrabee.....	Ross C. Gray
Carroll.....	Charles C. Helmer.....	Douglas Rogers
Cass.....	John C. Voorhees.....	Charles C. Smith
Cedar.....	William D. Sheean.....	Henry H. Petersen
Cerro Gordo.....	Thos. J. B. Robinson.....	Ira W. Jones
Cherokee.....	Guy M. Gillette.....	George Wilson
Chickasaw.....	Geo. H. Jackson.....	Presley L. Kepple
Clarke.....	Le Merton E. Crist.....	Cornelius B. Eggleston
Clay.....	Leslie E. Francis.....	Chas. Gilmore
Clayton.....	Robert Quigley.....	Wm. Becker
Clinton.....	William J. Greene.....	George F. Tucker
		Martin Ingwersen
Crawford.....	Grant L. Caswell.....	P. J. Klinker
Dallas.....	John W. Foster.....	Henry Brady
Davis.....	James M. Wilson.....	Reuben W. Anderson
Decatur.....	Charles H. Thomas.....	Melbern F. Thompson
Delaware.....	Eli C. Perkins.....	Aaron B. Holbert
Des Moines.....	Frank E. Thompson.....	James E. Jamison
Dickinson.....	Leslie E. Francis.....	Fred W. Jones
Dubuque.....	Nicholas J. Schrup.....	Allan J. Kane
		B. J. Horchem
Emmet.....	Leslie E. Francis.....	Lewis L. Bingham
Fayette.....	Albert M. Fellows.....	Samuel G. Wayman
Floyd.....	Geo. H. Jackson.....	George H. Purdy
Franklin.....	Thos. J. B. Robinson.....	John H. Darrah
Fremont.....	Herbert I. Foskett.....	Sylvester C. Rees
Greene.....	Charles C. Helmer.....	Walter W. Anderson
Grundy.....	Henry W. Grout.....	Edmund K. Greene
Guthrie.....	John W. Foster.....	W. F. Moore
Hamilton.....	Daniel C. Chase.....	Rube McFerrer
Hancock.....	Thos. J. B. Robinson.....	Seth B. Durant
Hardin.....	Daniel C. Chase.....	Wm. Schmedika
Harrison.....	Grant L. Caswell.....	M. B. Pitt
Henry.....	John M. Lindly.....	William F. Kopp
Howard.....	Lauritz M. Enger.....	Lee W. Elwood
Humboldt.....	Joseph H. Allen.....	Robert J. Johnston
Ida.....	Guy M. Gillette.....	Oliver O. Spotts
Iowa.....	James A. White.....	Fred G. Turner
Jackson.....	George E. Hilsinger.....	Joseph Kelso, Jr.
Jasper.....	David S. Fleck.....	James E. Craven
Jefferson.....	John H. Taylor.....	Geo W. Ball
Johnson.....	James A. White.....	William O. Coast

SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES—Continued

COUNTIES.	SENATORS.	REPRESENTATIVES.
Jones.....	William D. Sheean.....	John K. Hale
Keokuk.....	Charles C. Laffer.....	Roy D. Nordyke
Kossuth.....	Leslie E. Francis.....	John W. Sullivan
Lee.....	Joseph R. Frailey.....	Chas F. Sawyer
Linn.....	Francis A. Heald.....	Justin Barry
		Herbert C. Ring
Louisa.....	Fred W. Eversmeyer.....	Charles B. Wilson
Lucas.....	John H. Darrah.....	James F. Johnston
Lyon.....	Nicholas Balkema.....	William Oldenburg
Madison.....	Arthur C. Savage.....	Reuben A. Lenocker
Mahaska.....	John F. Ream.....	Thos. J. Wilson
Marion.....	John T. Clarkson.....	George W. Crozier
Marshall.....	Wallace H. Arney.....	William N. Gilbert
Mills.....	Frank F. Jones.....	Ira J. Swain
Mitchell.....	Lars W. Boe.....	Henry L. Wilson
Monona.....	Grant L. Caswell.....	William M. Rowles
Monroe.....	John T. Clarkson.....	Charles H. Clark
Montgomery.....	Frank F. Jones.....	Claus L. Anderson
Muscatine.....	Fred W. Eversmeyer.....	Albert L. Richards
O'Brien.....	Nicholas Balkema.....	Peter Swenson
Osceola.....	Nicholas Balkema.....	David C. Steelsmith
Page.....	Herbert I. Foskett.....	Alfred Wenstrand
Palo Alto.....	Leslie E. Francis.....	Lars O. Wigdahl
Plymouth.....	Guy M. Gillette.....	Albert T. Stokes
Pocahontas.....	Joseph H. Allen.....	Robert Bruce
Polk.....	Addison L. Parker.....	S. B. Garton
		George E. Brammer
Pottawattamie.....	Clement F. Kimball.....	Jacob C. Grason
		Lewis J. Neff
Poweshiek.....	Charles C. Laffer.....	Edward D. Rayburn
Ringgold.....	Charles H. Thomas.....	H. Guy Roberts
Sac.....	Charles C. Helmer.....	C. Orville Lee
Scott.....	Fred G. Henigbaum.....	David W. Kimberly
		George Lueders
Shelby.....	John C. Voorhees.....	James W. Bailey
Sioux.....	Nicholas Balkema.....	D. O. Stone
Story.....	Justin R. Doran.....	John C. Jessen
Tama.....	Harry C. White.....	Fremont E. Shortess
Taylor.....	Albert D. Nye.....	Charles A. Hall
Union.....	Charles H. Thomas.....	Joshua W. Coakley
Van Buren.....	John H. Taylor.....	S. H. Bauman
Wapello.....	Chester W. Whitmore.....	Arthur W. Slaughter
		Merlin A. Freeman
Warren.....	Le Merton E. Crist.....	William Buxton, Jr.
Washington.....	John M. Lindly.....	David R. Munro
Wayne.....	John H. Darrah.....	Joseph E. Doze
Webster.....	Frederic Larrabee.....	Peter Hadley
Winnebago.....	Lars W. Boe.....	Joseph H. Anderson
Winneshiek.....	Lauritz M. Enger.....	H. P. Nicholson, Jr.
Woodbury.....	Edgar P. Farr.....	Thomas F. Griffin
		James S. Michael
Worth.....	Lars W. Boe.....	Tollef C. Rone
Wright.....	Daniel C. Chase.....	Jacob H. Reese

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 11, 1915.

Pursuant to law, the Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly convened at 10 o'clock a. m. and was called to order by Lieutenant Governor W. L. Harding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. John T. Noonan of St. Anthony's Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

MOTION FOR TEMPORARY OFFICERS.

Senator Francis moved that the officers of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly present be made the temporary officers of this Assembly and that the vacancies be filled by those nominated by the Republican caucus.

Carried.

The following temporary officers of the Senate appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn :

Joseph E. Meyer, Secretary.
M. H. Francis, First Assistant.
L. E. Stamm, Second Assistant.
Edythe Ditto, Enrolling Clerk.
Emma C. Malm, Journal Clerk.
Jessie W. Rinabarger, Journal Clerk.
W. A. Grove, Sergeant-at-Arms.
G. W. Morris, File Clerk.
B. S. Record, Bill Clerk.
L. H. Doty, Chief Doorkeeper.
J. Heffelfinger, Assistant Doorkeeper.
S. Toland, Assistant Doorkeeper.
P. G. Lewis, Assistant Doorkeeper.
O. L. Callison, Assistant Doorkeeper.
David Pickering, Assistant Doorkeeper.
O. O. Henderson, Assistant Doorkeeper.
O. K. Olsen, Assistant Doorkeeper.
D. A. Heisler, Assistant Doorkeeper.
Jeff Logan, Chief Janitor.
Homer Jones, Chief Janitor.
P. S. Ervin, Assistant Janitor.
C. F. Wright, Assistant Janitor.
C. H. Comley, Assistant Janitor.

Linn Essex, Lieutenant Governor's Messenger.
 Aaron Caplan, Messenger.
 Archie Crandall, Messenger.
 Ray Donahoe, Messenger.
 Ronald Wood, Messenger.
 Howard Nye, Messenger.

MOTION FOR COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.

Senator Darrah moved that a committee of five on credentials be appointed.

Carried.

The President appointed the following committee on credentials: Senators Darrah, Heald, Larrabee, Hagemann and Farr.

Senator Crist moved that the Senate take a recess until the committee on credentials is ready to report.

Carried.

The Senate was called to order at 11:45.

A committee from the House appeared and announced that the House was duly organized and ready for business.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 2 p. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 2 o'clock p. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Senator Darrah from the committee on credentials submitted the following report and moved its adoption.

Mr. President: Your Committee on Credentials finds the following named newly elected Senators as shown by the files, entitled to seats in the Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, and all are present:

First District, Joseph R. Frailey.
 Seventh District, H. I. Foskett.
 Ninth District, Frank E. Thompson.
 Tenth District, John M. Lindly.
 Twelfth District, Charles C. Laffer.
 Thirteenth District, Chester W. Whitmore.
 Seventeenth District, John W. Foster (elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Senator McColl).
 Eighteenth District, John C. Voorhees.

Twentieth District, Frederick W. Eversmeyer.
 Twenty-first District, Fred G. Henigbaum.
 Twenty-second District, William J. Greene.
 Twenty-ninth District, D. S. Fleck.
 Thirtieth District, Addison M. Parker.
 Thirty-fourth District, Grant L. Caswell.
 Thirty-fifth District, Nicholas J. Schrup.
 Thirty-seventh District, D. C. Chase.
 Thirty-eighth District, Henry W. Grout.
 Forty-second District, Lauritz M. Enger.
 Forty-fourth District, George H. Jackson.
 Forty-fifth District, Harry C. White.
 Forty-eighth District, Chas. C. Helmer.
 Fiftieth District, Joseph H. Allen.

We also find the following holdover Senators entitled to seats in this body, and all are present:

Second District, John H. Taylor.
 Third District, James M. Wilson.
 Fourth District, John H. Darrah.
 Fifth District, Charles H. Thomas.
 Sixth District, Albert D. Nye.
 Eighth District, Frank F. Jones.
 Eleventh District, LeMerton E. Crist.
 Fourteenth District, John F. Ream.
 Fifteenth District, John T. Clarkson.
 Sixteenth District, Arthur C. Savage.
 Nineteenth District, Clement F. Kimball.
 Twenty-third District, Geo. E. Hilsinger.
 Twenty-fourth District, William D. Sheean.
 Twenty-fifth District, James A. White.
 Twenty-sixth District, Francis A. Heald.
 Twenty-seventh District, Frederic Larrabee.
 Twenty-eighth District, Wallace H. Arney.
 Thirty-first District, Justin R. Doran.
 Thirty-second District, Edgar P. Farr.
 Thirty-third District, Eli C. Perkins.
 Thirty-sixth District, Robert Quigley.
 Thirty-ninth District, Fred P. Hagemann.
 Fortieth District, Albert M. Fellows.
 Forty-first District, Lars W. Boe.
 Forty-third District, Thomas J. B. Robinson.
 Forty-sixth District, Guy M. Gillette.
 Forty-seventh District, Leslie E. Francis.
 Forty-ninth District, Nicholas Balkema.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
 FREDERIC LARRABEE,
 F. P. HAGEMANN,
 F. A. HEALD,
 E. P. FARR,

Committee.

Those voting for the adoption of the report were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were none.

Absent or not voting: Caswell, Fleck, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas.

So the report was adopted.

The following newly elected senators appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn and subscribed their respective names to the oath of office :

Frailey,
Foskett,
Thompson,
Lindly,
Laffer,
Whitmore,
Voorhees,
Eversmeyer,
Henigbaum,
Greene,
Foster,
Parker,
Caswell,
Fleck,
Chase,
Grout,
Enger,
Jackson,
White of Benton,
Helmer,
Allen.

MOTION TO SELECT SEATS.

Senator Balkema offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

Resolved, That the hold-over and re-elected senators be granted the privilege of retaining the seats occupied by them at the last session of the General Assembly, and that the names of the newly elected senators be placed in a hat and drawn out one at a time by

the Secretary of the Senate and as such name is announced each newly elected senator will select his seat from those unoccupied.

Adopted.

Senator Hilsinger asked permission to vacate the seat occupied by him and participate in the drawing of seats with the newly elected senators.

Consent granted.

Senator Perkins asked unanimous consent that Senator Foster be permitted to occupy seat No. 6.

Consent granted.

Senator Schrup asked permission to vacate his present seat and participate in the drawing of seats with the newly elected senators.

Consent granted.

Upon the drawing of seats the following selections were made:

Frailey	38	Eversmeyer	24
Voorhees	33	Grout	25
Greene	49	Jackson	37
Thompson	17	Helmer	13
Foskett	21	Whitmore	44
Fleck	36	White of Benton	43
Laffer	26	Henigbaum	1
Parker	39	Hilsinger	8
Caswell	23	Enger	10
Lindly	5	Foster	6
Schrup	48	Hagemann	47

MOTION TO ELECT PERMANENT OFFICERS.

Senator Arney moved that the Senate proceed to the election of permanent officers of the Senate.

Carried.

Senator Arney nominated Thomas Watters of Polk County as secretary of the Senate and moved his election.

Those voting for Thomas Watters were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were none.

Absent or not voting: Caswell, Clarkson, Enger, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Iowa.

Thomas Watters was declared duly elected secretary of the Senate.

Senator Arney nominated the following persons as permanent officers of the Senate and moved their election.

First Assistant Secretary, M. H. Francis of Boone County.

Second Assistant Secretary, L. E. Stamm of Polk County.

Engrossing Clerk, Walter H. Beam of Warren County.

Enrolling Clerk, Edythe Ditto of Van Buren County.

Journal Clerk, Emma C. Malm of Polk County.

Journal Clerk, Mary A. Reid of Jackson County.

File Clerk, Geo. N. Morris of Polk County.

Bill Clerk, B. S. Record of Dallas County.

Postmistress, Agnes Lee of Winneshiek County.

Sergent-at-arms, W. A. Grove of Pocahontas County.

Chief Doorkeeper, J. H. Doty of Clay County.

Doorkeepers—R. G. Lewis of Webster County, D. L. Jones of Marshall County, J. H. Heffelfinger of Grundy County, O. K. Oleson of Polk County, A. C. Henderson of Appanoose County, D. Pickering of Des Moines County, V. L. Callison of Madison County, D. A. Heisler of Pottawattamie County and R. M. Rice.

Chief in Cloak Room, Jeff Logan of Polk County.

Assistant Janitors, Homer Jones of Lee County and C. F. Wright of Scott County.

Janitor of Toilet Room, William Thompson of Wapello County.

Those voting for the above named persons for their respective offices were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—46.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Quigley, Sheean, White of Iowa.

So the above named persons were declared duly elected to their respective offices.

The following newly elected officers of the Senate appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn according to law:

Secretary, Tom Watters of Polk County.

First Assistant Secretary, M. H. Francis of Boone County.

Second Assistant Secretary, L. E. Stamm of Polk County.

Engrossing Clerk, Walter H. Beam of Warren County.

Enrolling Clerk, Edythe Ditto of Van Buren County.

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Chief Doorkeeper, J. H. Doty of Clay County.

Doorkeepers—R. G. Lewis of Webster County, D. L. Jones of Marshall County, J. H. Heffelfinger of Grundy County, O. K. Oleson of Polk County, A. C. Henderson of Appanoose County, D. Pickering of Des Moines County, V. L. Callison of Madison County, D. A. Heisler of Pottawattamie County and R. M. Rice.

Chief in Cloak Room, Jeff Logan of Polk County.

Assistant Janitors, Homer Jones of Lee County and C. F. Wright of Scott County.

Janitor of Toilet Room, William Thompson of Wapello County.

MOTION TO ADOPT OLD RULES.

Senator Heald offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be it Resolved by the Senate, That the rules of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly be adopted as the rules of this Senate until the report of the Committee on Rules is received and adopted.

Adopted.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO CODES.

Senator Chase offered the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the Secretary of State be requested to furnish each member of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, Secretary of the Senate, Chief Clerk of the House, a copy of the Code and copy of the Supplement to the Code, 1907, Session Laws of the 33d, 34th and 35th General Assemblies, and the Supplement to the Code, 1913.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

MOTION FOR COMMITTEE CLERKS.

Senator Robinson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption :

Resolved, That each Senator be, and he is, hereby authorized to appoint a Committee Clerk, who shall be a competent stenographer, and that such clerks may be sworn in whenever they present themselves for that purpose, if found proficient after examination by a committee of three, which the President is hereby directed to appoint.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hillsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Francis, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, White of Benton—9.

Absent or not voting :

Kimball, Sheean, White of Iowa.

So the resolution, having received a majority, was adopted.

President announced the following as the committee on examination of committee clerks: Senators Robinson, Francis and Gillette.

Senator Taylor moved that a committee of three be appointed to notify the House that the Senate was duly organized.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Taylor, Eversmeyer and Voorhees.

Senator Kimball moved that a committee of three be appointed to notify the Governor that the Senate was duly organized and ready for business.

Carried.

President appointed as such committee Senators Kimball, Frailey and Lindly.

MOTION FOR INAUGURAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Parker offered the following concurrent resolution :

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That a joint committee consisting of six members of the Senate, be appointed by the President, and six members of the House, be appointed by the Speaker, to arrange for the inauguration of the Governor and the Lieutenant Governor.

By unanimous consent taken up, considered and adopted.

President appointed as such committee Senators Parker, Frailey, Robinson, Thomas, Schrup and Gillette.

MOTION FOR ADDITIONAL EMPLOYES.

Senator Savage offered the following concurrent resolution :

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That a joint committee of three members of the Senate be appointed by the President, and three members of the House be appointed by the Speaker, to nominate such additional employees, other than committee clerks, as may be deemed necessary for this session, including a mail carrier, and recommend the position and compensation of each.

Taken up by unanimous consent, considered and adopted.

President appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate Senators Savage, Chase and Clarkson.

MOTION FOR COMMITTEE ON MILEAGE.

Senator Thomas moved that a committee of three on mileage be appointed.

Carried.

President appointed as such committee Senator Thomas, Senator Boe and Senator Caswell.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked :

Concurrent resolution relative to holding a joint convention of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, Tuesday, Jan. 12th.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked :

Concurrent resolution providing codes and code supplements to the members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following Concurrent Resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent Resolution relative to conducting a lunch room in the basement of the Capitol Building.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Resolved by the House the Senate concurring, That the Secretary of State be requested to furnish each member of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly a copy of the Code and supplements thereof and subsequent session laws and annotations.

Passed on file.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be it Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That the Custodian be instructed to place tables and counters for a lunch room in the basement, and that Miss Edith Smith be permitted to conduct the same.

Passed on file.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following Concurrent Resolution relative to Joint Convention.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That a joint convention of the two houses of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, January 12th.

Be it further Resolved, That the Governor of the State be invited to read his message before the two houses of the General Assembly in joint convention assembled, and that the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate be appointed a committee to deliver the invitation.

By unanimous consent the above resolution was taken up for consideration.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment to House concurrent resolution and moved its adoption:

Amend the resolution by substituting the following:

Be it Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, that a joint convention of the two houses of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly be held January 12th, 1915, at two o'clock P. M.

That the Governor, George W. Clarke, be invited to read his message at this joint meeting of the two houses of the General Assembly and that the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House be designated to deliver the invitation to him.

That at this joint convention the vote of Governor and Lieutenant Governor be canvassed, and the result announced and recorded as provided by law.

Amendment carried.

Resolution as amended adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the Secretary assign seats to reporters in Press Gallery.

Carried.

The Secretary made the following assignment of seats in the Press Gallery :

No. 51—H. E. Morgan, Register and Leader, Tribune.

No. 52—Edgar Markham, Iowa News Bureau.

No. 53—Ora Williams, General Correspondent.

No. 54—R. F. Place, Daily Capital.

MOTION FOR COMMITTEE ON CHAPLAINS.

Senator Fellows moved that a committee of three be appointed to provide chaplains during the session of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Carried.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Fellows, Nye and Ream.

Senator Schrup offered the following motion and moved its adoption.

Resolved, that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to procure suitable badges for such officers of the Senate as require badges and who are not already provided with same.

Adopted.

MOTION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF COMMITTEE ROOMS.

Senator Heald offered the following motion and moved its adoption :

Resolved, that a committee of three be appointed by the President of the Senate to make assignment of committee rooms and fix the time of meeting of such committees.

Adopted.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Heald, Perkins and White of Iowa.

MOTION FOR TELLERS.

Senator Hilsinger moved that a committee of three be appointed by the President to act as tellers on the part of the Senate in canvassing the votes for Governor and Lieutenant Governor at the joint convention of the Senate and House to be held for that purpose.

Carried.

President appointed as such committee Senators Hilsinger, Foster and Hagemann.

Senator Kimball, from the committee appointed to notify the Governor that the Senate was fully organized and ready to receive any communications he might wish to make, reported that the committee had performed the duty assigned to them.

Report received and committee discharged.

Senator Taylor, from the committee appointed to notify the House that the Senate was duly organized, reported that the committee had performed that duty.

Report received and committee discharged.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House concurred in Senate amendments to House Concurrent Resolution relative to holding a Joint Convention of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly on Tuesday, January 12th.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Senator Perkins moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 12, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. M. E. Nethercut, pastor Wesley Methodist church, Des Moines, Iowa.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following Concurrent Resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Concurrent Resolution relative to a joint committee for the purpose of arranging the inauguration of the Governor and Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker appoints as such committee on the part of the House:

Garton of Polk, Chairman.
Brammer of Polk.
Brady of Dallas.
Griffin of Woodbury.
Rayburn of Poweshiek.
Anderson of Montgomery.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following Concurrent Resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent Resolution relative to furnishing copies of the Code, Supplement to the Code 1907, Supplement to the Code 1913, and Session Laws of the Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies, to members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, President of the Senate, Speaker of the House, Secretary of the Senate, and Chief Clerk of the House.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following Concurrent Resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Resolution relative to the appointment of a joint committee on additional employes, and the Speaker names as such committee on the part of the House:

Brammer of Polk, Chairman.

Ring of Linn.

Purdy of Floyd.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

JOURNAL CORRECTED.

The Journal of Jan. 11th was taken up, corrected and approved.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Kimball called up the House concurrent resolution relative to a lunch room in the basement of the Capitol building and offered the following amendment:

I move to amend the Concurrent Resolution from the House by substituting the following:

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That a committee of three, one from the Senate and two from the House, be appointed to make arrangements for a lunch room, during the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, in the basement of the Capitol, to be conducted under the supervision and control of the committee, and that the Custodian place equipment as required by the said committee.

The amendment was adopted.

The House concurrent resolution as amended was concurred in.

APPOINTMENT OF MESSENGERS.

The President of the Senate announced the following appointments as messengers of the Senate:

Linn Essex.

Joe Cohen.

Phillip Wharton.

William Price.

Floyd Wanek.

Ronald Wood.

The Secretary of the Senate read the following communication from the Secretary of State relative to the contests for seats in the Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

January 12, 1915.

HON. W. L. HARDING,

President of the Senate,
State House.

DEAR SIR.—I herewith transmit to you, to be presented to the senate for such action as may be deemed proper, all the papers filed in my department in the contest cases now pending between Henry W. Grout, to whom certificate of election was issued, and Sherman W. DeWolf, contestant for the senatorial seat in the Thirty-eighth District; and J. M. Lindly, to whom certificate of election was issued, and F. S. Finley, contestant for the senatorial seat in the Tenth District, and beg to remain,

Respectfully yours,

W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

Passed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Heald, from the committee to assign committee rooms, submitted the following report:

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.—Your committee which was appointed to make assignments of committee rooms and fix the time of meeting of such committees, beg leave to report and recommend that the same assignments of committee rooms and the hours for holding committee meetings be made as found on page 52 of the official directory and rules of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

FRANCIS A. HEALD.
E. C. PERKINS.
J. A. WHITE.

The report was adopted.

MOTION FOR CONTEST COMMITTEE.

Senator Francis offered the following motion and moved its adoption:

I move that a committee of five (5) be appointed by the president to consider and determine the contest of F. S. Finley vs. J. M. Lindly to a seat in this body, and that said committee by its chairman be fully authorized and empowered to issue subpoenas and such orders as may be deemed necessary to secure the attendance before it of all witnesses, together with any and all documentary or written evidence, including all of the original ballots cast in the Tenth senatorial district at the election held November 3, 1914, and be vested with full power and authority to enforce obedience to such subpoenas and orders.

Adopted.

The President announced as such committee Senators Francis, Heald, Perkins, Sheean and Gillette.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on examination of applicants for committee clerks, submitted the following report:

We, your committee appointed to examine the applicants for Committee Clerks as to their qualifications for the position, according to the resolution passed by the senate, beg leave to report that we have made such examination of the following named persons and find them qualified for the position:

M. Edith Alderman	Senator Doran.
Nelle E. Anderson	Senator Henigmaum.
Kathryn B. Andrews	Senator Robinson.
Floyd E. Billings	Senator Savage.
Esther Broang	No Senator.
Lurana DeLong	Senator Crist.
Pearl Harrison	Senator White of Benton
Harriett E. King	Senator Grout.
Anna Murphy	Senator Thomas.
Elizabeth Nelson	Senator Voorhees.

Ruth Peck	Senator Francis.
Anna Ryan	Senator Foster.
Gertrude Skinner	No Senator.
C. Owen Stookey	Senator Heald.
Minnie Stowe	Senator Farr.
Della Wolfe	No Senator.
Libbie M. Wicker	Senator Fleck.
Edith Williams	Senator Nye.

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. B. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Adopted.

The following committee clerks appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn:

Pearl Harrison.	Anna Ryan.
Kathryn B. Andrews.	Elizabeth Nelson.
M. Edith Alderman.	Edith Williams.
Libbie M. Wicker.	Lurana DeLong.
Nelle E. Anderson.	Anna Murphy.
Minnie E. Stone.	Harriett E. King.
Ruth Peck.	Floyd Billings.

Senator White moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:45 o'clock p. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:45 p. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Senator Parker, from the joint committee on inauguration of the Governor and the Lieutenant Governor, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

Your committee on Inauguration of the Governor and Lieutenant Governor beg leave to submit the following report:

The Inaugural Ceremonies will be held in the House Chamber at 2:00 o'clock p. m. on Thursday, January 14, 1915.

Arthur C. Savage, President Pro Tem of the Senate will preside.

The following program has been arranged for the afternoon:

Music by Professor T. Fred Henry's Orchestra.

Calling to order by President Pro Tem Arthur C. Savage.

Invocation, Reverend Charles S. Medbury, Des Moines.

Selection by Drake University Male Quartette.

Cornet Solo, Professor T. Fred Henry.

Group of Songs, Miss Frances Clarke.

Administration of oath of office to Governor George W. Clarke and Lieutenant Governor William L. Harding, elect, by Chief Justice Horace E. Deemer.

Inaugural address by Governor George W. Clarke.

Music by Professor T. Fred Henry's Orchestra.

We recommend that the north gallery of the House Chamber be open to the public, but admission to the floor of the House and the south gallery be by ticket.

EVENING PROGRAM.

Concert by T. Fred Henry and his Band.

T. Fred Henry, Conductor.

Virginia Rankin, Soprano.

Donald Cady, Euphonium.

1. March "Our Own Iowa"*Henry.*
2. Overture "Raymond"*Thomas.*
3. Selection from the Grand Opera "Cavalleria Rusticana," Mascagni.
4. Soprano Solo (with band)Selected.
Virginia Rankin.
5. a. Blumengef luester*Von Blon.*
b. Scotch Highland Patrol*McGregor.*
6. Euphonium Solo "Air Varie My Old Kentucky Home"
Mr. Donald Cady.
7. Airs from "Prince of Pilsen"*Luders.*
8. Cornet Solo "Carnival Di Areal"*Henry.*
9. Airs of All Nations*Rollinsen.*
10. Soprano Solo (with band)Selected
Virginia Rankin.
11. Valse "First Love"*Holzmann.*
12. Popular Medley*Lampe.*

On the part of the Senate::

Addison M. Parker.
Joseph R. Frailey.
Thomas J. B. Robinson.
Charles H. Thomas.
Nicholas J. Schrup.
Guy M. Gillette.

On the part of the House:

Samuel B. Garton.
George E. Brammer.
Henry Brady.
Thomas F. Griffin.
Edward D. Rayburn.
Claus L. Anderson.

Adopted.

A committee from the House appeared and notified the Senate that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint convention.

The President announced that the Senate would proceed to the House chamber under the direction of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

The Senate proceeded to the House.

JOINT CONVENTION.

In accordance with law and concurrent resolution duly adopted, the joint session was called to order, Hon. W. L. Harding, President of the Senate, presiding.

The roll was then called and the following members responded:

Anderson of Davis, Anderson of Greene, Anderson of Montgomery, Anderson of Winnebago, Arney, Atkinson, Bailey, Balkema, Ball, Barry, Bauman, Becker, Bingham, Boe, Brady, Brammer, Bronson, Bruce, Buxton, Caswell, Clark, Coakley, Coast, Cochrane, Craven, Crist, Crozier, Darrah of Franklin, Darrah of Lucas, Doran, Doze, Durant, Eggleston, Elwood, Enger, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Freeman, Garton, Gilbert, Gillette, Gilmore, Grason, Gray, Greene of Clinton, Greene of Grundy, Griffin, Grout, Hadley, Hagemann, Hale, Hall, Heald, Helmer, Helming, Henigbaum, Herman, Hilsinger, Holbert, Horchem, Ingwersen, Jackson, Jamison, Jessen, Johnston of Humboldt, Johnston of Lucas, Jones of Cerro Gordo, Jones of Dickinson, Jones of Montgomery, Kane, Kelso, Kepple, Kimball, Kimberly, Klinker, Kopp, Laffer, Larrabee, Lee, Lenoeker, Lindly, Lueders, McDermid, McFarlane, McFerren, Mackie, Michael, Miller, Moore, Munro, Murray, Neff, Nicholson, Nordyke, Nye, Oldenburg, Parker, Perkins, Petersen, Pitt, Purdy, Rayburn, Ream, Rees, Reese, Richards, Ring, Roberts, Robinson, Rogers, Rone, Savage, Sawyer, Schmedika, Schrup, Shaeffer, Shortess, Slaught, Smith, Spotts, Steelsmith, Stokes, Stone, Sullivan, Swain, Swenson, Taylor of Buchanan, Taylor of Van Buren, Thomas, Thompson of Decatur, Thompson of Des Moines, Tucker, Turner, Voorhees, Wayman, Wenstrand, Whitmore, Wigdahl, Wilson of Appanoose, Wilson of Cherokee, Wilson of Louisa, Wilson of Mahaska, Wilson of Mitchell, Witthauer, White of Benton, White of Iowa—152.

Those absent were:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Quigley, Rowles, Sheean—6.

The President declared a majority of the General Assembly present at the joint convention.

Frailey of Lee moved that a committee of two from the House and one from the Senate be appointed to notify the Governor that the joint convention was in session.

Motion prevailed.

The President appointed Frailey of Lee on the part of the Senate and Representatives Wilson of Mitchell and Freeman of Wapello on the part of the House, as members of the committee.

The committee waited upon the Governor and escorted him to the Speaker's desk.

The President of the joint convention then presented Governor Clarke, who read his message as per previous invitation.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

In accordance with the mandate of the Constitution, I submit to you the following message:

Many of the reports of the various departments and officers of the State are now ready and will soon be placed on your desks. I think all will be within a reasonable time. The Constitution makes it my duty to communicate to you "the condition of the State." These reports will outline it to you in a very full and complete way, and much more clearly than it would be possible for me to do without extending this message far beyond a reasonable length. I, however, make them a part hereof, by reference, and urge upon you a careful study of them, because in no other way can you get a clear understanding of conditions and what the State is doing, and in no other way can you so well qualify yourselves for an intelligent, satisfactory discharge of your duties in this particular field. You will find some things to criticise. It would be very strange if you did not; but, in very many ways you will be disarmed of criticism.

I have deemed it best, however, to present to you, as clearly as I can, the financial condition of the State. This, first of all, you must know, because you cannot proceed intelligently as to the business affairs of the State until you do.

First of all, there are balances left over from appropriations heretofore made, many of them some years ago, for specific purposes which have been carried out. These balances ought to be transferred to the general fund, charged off the Treasurer's books as unexpended balances of appropriations, and the accounts closed. You should pass a bill authorizing this to be done.

They are:

Dam at Okoboji	\$ 1,000.00
Executive Council, extraordinary repair.....	168.00
Executive Council, improvement Capitol grounds.....	853.00
Executive Council, storage house	221.00
Executive Council, new boilers	2,563.00
Executive Council, decorating offices	1,074.00
Executive Council, repairs to elevators.....	1,500.00
Executive Council, watchman's clock	485.00
Gray uniforms	690.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument.....	3,195.00
Monument at Vicksburg	6,964.00
Monument at Keokuk	550.00

Providential contingent fund	35,000.00
Publishing Acts General Assembly	1,300.00
Retrenchment and Reform Engineers	1,000.00
Sale of Camp Grounds	4,218.00
Sale of State Square	158.00
Statue of James Harlan	500.00
Statue of Samuel J. Kirkwood.....	2,740.00
	<u>\$ 64,179.00</u>

The taxable value of all property subject to general levies for State and county purposes is \$926,900,092. The amount of monies and credits returned is \$250,218,117. The State receives approximately one-sixteenth of the tax levied on this sum. The State millage levies do not apply to monies and credits. These valuations, it may be assumed, will be closely approximated for the next biennium and will enable you to determine the revenue that will be derived at present levies.

The estimated receipts of general revenue for the last six months of the present biennium, ending June 30, 1915, including cash on hand January 1, 1915, is:

Estimated disbursements for same period.....	\$ 2,250,000.00	\$ 2,980,079.51
To this may be added extraordinary appropriations of former legislatures undrawn, December 31, 1914	375,013.00	2,625,013.00
Leaving estimated balance on hand June 30, 1915		355,066.51
The estimated receipts of general revenue for biennium beginning July 1, 1915.....		10,078,000.00
Total revenue for the biennium.....		\$10,433,066.51
Estimated expenditures for biennial period ending July 1, 1917		\$ 9,477,017.46
		<u>\$ 956,049.05</u>

From this statement it is easily discovered that after providing for the estimated expenditures there will only remain for additional purposes \$956,049.05, and that these additional purposes must be kept within that sum, unless you provide for additional revenue. The State has been conducting its general revenue affairs upon the theory that no more should be taken from the people than is actually necessary to meet the expenditures to be cared for by this fund—upon the sound theory that a large surplus meant over-taxation. Good business, however, demands a reasonable surplus and this would not be a violation of the theory. The legislature, therefore, in fixing the amount of revenue to be raised, and it has sole authority in this matter, has held the fund down to the very lowest point possible to meet the needs of a rapidly developing State under modern conditions and ideals. If, therefore, the General Assembly creates large needs and demands and does not authorize a fund commensurate with them, the administrators of affairs are put to the utmost of their ingenuity in management to keep within the limit set for them.

I desire to call your attention here to the fact that the Thirty-fourth General Assembly in Chapter 201 provided for the levy annually for five years of one-fifth of a mill each for the State University and the

State Agricultural College and one-tenth of a mill for the Teachers' College "for the purpose of providing for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of such necessary buildings as shall be determined upon by the State Board of Education." The Thirty-fifth General Assembly in Chapter 17 provided for the levy annually for five years of a special tax of one-half mill for the institutions under the Board of Control "for the purpose of providing for the erection and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections, district custodial farm, State colony for Epileptics and for the purchase of land and for the purpose of establishing and maintaining industries at any or all of said institutions." These levies will provide for the educational institutions \$463,450.00 annually and the same amount annually for the Board of Control. Heretofore appropriations have been made for these institutions and not provided for out of the millage tax. Appropriations are always charged to the general revenue and deplete it when the expense should be cared for by the millage tax. You should see to it that all allowances made to these institutions for any of the purposes mentioned in the Statutes referred to be charged to the millage fund.

It has been suggested (and I am not sure but that the suggestion is a good one) that a better method of administering all of these institutions would be to provide entirely for them by a millage fund carried into the State Treasury and disbursed from it under your supervision and enactment after full hearings and investigations as to needs. Then every taxpayer would know exactly what he was paying for these purposes; but he cannot know where he pays through appropriations. Then the State levy could be reduced far, far below the present rate. Indeed, the State would be almost if not quite self-supporting. I believe this is a matter well worth your consideration from the standpoint of good management and business efficiency. An institution that subsists on appropriations, it has been said, dies every two years, and it does. Whereas if it has a fixed millage fund it knows exactly what can be depended upon and can plan for the future with absolute certainty.

The millage levies before referred to were fixed by the last General Assembly, based upon the taxable value of property as it then existed and as it was doubtless presumed would continue. Nobody knew at that time it would not. In view of the increased valuation you should reduce the millage levies proportionately.

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

Our State educational institutions should have liberal support. The greatness of a State must, in the last analysis, be measured by the intelligence and moral force and purpose of its people. There is no path of progress except along the line of investigation and research. The world is a constant revelation from every possible angle of study. It challenges eternal consideration and denies possibility of being exhausted. It is infinite and an inspirer of growth and ideals. Intelligence elevates the standards of life and of living. Ignorance stagnates, debases. Ignorance and selfishness halt progress and stand in the way of the great things of life. Ignorance and selfishness consider not the future. They have no ideals. There can be no illumination of the mind

where they are enthroned. It is, therefore, of the very first importance that a State improve and elevate her citizenship through education. There can be no distinction otherwise.

A modern, fully equipped, up-to-date institution of learning requires resources of money in considerable sums. What is just as much required is wisdom, judgment and foresight in the expenditures. The tendency is to profligacy, which is coarse and should be condemned. The substantial, solid building of a State or the life of a people lies not in the excessive display or expenditure of money but in that moderation and discriminating care which is commendable in an individual. You should inform yourselves just as fully as possible as to what these and all other institutions with which you have to do are doing. You should know what they are, what provision has already been made for them, what they ask for and what they ought to have. Then your allowances should be within the means at your disposal. You should not guess at these things. Your duties cannot be performed without the most painstaking care and study. Each one of you should set about this business as if it were his own individual business, not, however, in the spirit of parsimony, but as a man of large vision to put his affairs on a sound basis shaped for satisfactory and great results. To aid you and save you a great amount of work I have, with the help of the Secretary of The Board of Education, outlined as best I could so that you may see at a glance exactly the present situation as to each one of these institutions. I invite your careful study of the following statements:

STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.

The total enrollment of students in all of the collegiate departments of the State University for the academic year of 1908-1909, excluding duplicates, was 2,202. If to this number those enrolled in the two schools for nurses and in the summer school were added, the total enrollment for that year excluding duplicates, was 2,472. These numbers were not reached again until 1913-1914, when the corresponding enrollments were 2,345 and 2,669 respectively. On November 20, 1914, the attendance in the several collegiate departments was 2,365, while the total enrollment, including the School for Nurses and the summer session, was 2,771.

The General Assembly as a rule has heretofore provided for annual appropriations for her educational institutions of higher learning, that is to say, they are continuing fixed amounts from year to year until changed. In addition to these annuals, special appropriations are made from time to time for specific purposes.

The amount now provided for the University by way of an annual appropriation is	\$ 522,200.00
In addition to this is an estimated income on Endowment and other funds of	23,000.00
From fees, tuition, etc. (not including laboratory fees), estimated at	60,000.00
Special appropriations, 1914-1915 expires June 30, 1915,.....	72,500.00
The Thirty-fourth General Assembly authorized a one-fifth mill tax for building and other purposes for five years which is estimated at	180,000.00
Making a present standing income of.....	\$ 857,700.00

The Board of Education is asking of you additional continuing annual appropriations—

For educational support	\$ 122,600.00
For summer school	8,000.00
For repair and contingent fund.....	5,000.00
For extension work	10,000.00
For department of buildings and grounds.....	12,000.00

In addition the Board recommends the following appropriations for the special purposes named, for each of the two years of the biennium:

For equipment and supplies.....	\$ 7,500.00
For equipment of buildings and buildings partially equipped	25,000.00
Purchase of land.....	15,000.00
For paving, cement walks and care of grounds.....	5,000.00
For heating plant and equipment.....	9,000.00
For tunnel.....	3,000.00
For electrical equipment.....	5,000.00

Making a grand total for the University if you approve of present conditions and recommendations, and deducting the special of \$72,500.00 that expires June 30, 1915, of approximately

	\$ 1,012,300.00
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STATE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND MECHANIC ARTS.

An examination of the records reveals that in all departments of the College for the academic year there was enrolled in 1908-1909, not including duplicates, 1,835 students; and if to this is added those who attended the winter Short Courses, the total, not including duplicates, was 2,631. These numbers were not equalled until the year 1912-1913, when the enrollments were 2,034 and 2,882 respectively. In 1913-14 the enrollment during the academic year was 2,459, while the attendance in the Winter short Courses and the Summer School made the total 3,458. November 20, 1914, the regular enrollment was 2,542 and the 1914 Summer School 618.

The annual continuing appropriations for the college are \$427,900.00, consisting of:

For support	\$ 270,000.00
For contingent and repair.....	36,000.00
For engineer, experiment station.....	10,000.00
For agricultural experiment station.....	30,000.00
For support of experiment station.....	25,000.00
For agricultural extension work.....	42,000.00
For good road experimentation.....	10,000.00
For library	4,900.00

\$ 427,900.00

To this may be added by way of showing the fixed annual income of the institution the following derived from the special one-half mill tax, enacted by the last general assembly, for each of the two years beginning January 1st, 1914, and ending December 31, 1915, for the following purposes:

For collegiate support	\$ 125,000.00
For agricultural extension	48,000.00
For agricultural experiment station	57,000.00
For agricultural one year and two year non-collegiate courses	12,500.00
For trade school and engineering extension.....	25,000.00

For engineering experiment station.....	5,000.00
For veterinary practitioners course.....	5,000.00
For veterinary investigations.....	10,000.00
For contingent and repair.....	10,000.00
For the support of two and four year courses in home economics for home-makers and teachers.....	20,000.00
For equipment of department and buildings.....	40,000.00
For maintenance and support public grounds.....	10,000.00
For enlargement of buildings	10,000.00
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	\$ 377,500.00

Additional incomes:

Interest on endowment and other funds.....	35,000.00
Fees, tuitions, etc. (not including laboratory fees).....	46,000.00
From United States Government.....	90,000.00
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	\$ 171,000.00

One-fifth millage tax provided by the Thirty-fourth General Assembly for building and other purposes (estimated)....	\$ 180,000.00
Making a standing annual income of.....	\$ 1,156,400.00

To be added to this, if you grant the request of the Board of Education, are the following continual appropriations:

For educational support	\$ 125,000.00
For summer school	10,000.00
For sub-collegiate courses in home economics, agriculture and trade schools	16,500.00
For engineering experiment station	5,000.00
For agricultural experiment station	25,000.00
For agricultural and home economics extension.....	26,625.00
For engineering extension.....	7,500.00
For veterinary investigations.....	5,000.00

In addition to the above, annually hereafter, appropriations the State Board of Education is recommending the following specials for each of the two years of the coming biennium:

For additional equipment and furnishings for buildings and departments	15,000.00
For extension of heating system and equipment of heating plant	19,800.00
For repairs and improvements of dairy building, old agricultural hall and barn, and temporary provision for fruit storage	4,000.00
For temporary provision for home economics laboratory.....	750.00
For enlargement of buildings and additional small buildings..	10,000.00
For equipment and furnishing of chemistry building.....	25,000.00
For equipment for science building.....	2,500.00
For settling and storage water tank.....	7,500.00
It is estimated that for each of the two years of the biennium that there will be additional income of.....	18,625.00

Making a grand total, if you are satisfied with present appropriations and approve the recommendations of the State Board of Education, of.....\$ 1,480,200.00

IOWA STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE.

The State Teachers College has annual continuing appropriations of	\$ 221,750.00
A 1-10 millage tax (building) estimated at.....	90,000.00
Fees, tuitions, etc. (not including laboratory fees).....	15,000.00
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Making a fixed income of.....	\$ 326,750.00

The board recommends that annual appropriations be increased \$	66,200.00
Special appropriations for each year of the biennium.....	8,300.00

Making a total income of.....	\$ 401,250.00
A summarization of all increased appropriations asked by the State Board of Education, after deducting all special appropriations which expire June 30, 1915, shows the amount to be	\$ 530,875.00
If you act favorably upon the recommendations of the State Board of Education, the total (estimated) income of the three state institutions of higher learning from all sources for each of the academic years of 1915-16 and 1916-17, will be	\$ 2,893,750.00

INSTITUTIONS UNDER BOARD OF CONTROL.

There are sixteen institutions under the management of the Board of Control. Because of their number it is hardly practicable in a communication of this kind to take up and analyze the situation of each one as I have endeavored to do in the case of the educational institutions.

It is your duty to study carefully the report of the Board and of the executive officer of each institution. So far as I have been able to learn the management has been capable and wise throughout.

I submit herewith a statement showing exactly what each institution asks and what it wants the money for. Please note such items as should be included under the millage levies, both here and as to the askings of the Board of Education, and if you grant them let it be out of the millage levies and not by appropriations.

THE REFORMATORY, ANAMOSA, IOWA.

Ice house to replace old one.....	\$ 1,000.00
Stable, stone	820.00
Fire proofing floors, ceilings and roofs of laundry, shoe shop, machine shop and engine room.....	5,000.00
Transportation of prisoners.....	1,500.00
Repairs to steam plant, motors, pipes and tunnels.....	1,000.00
Salaries of foremen and trade instructors and teachers in school	22,000.00
Contingent and repair.....	6,000.00
Oculist and dental.....	1,500.00
Total	\$ 38,820.00

CHEROKEE STATE HOSPITAL.

Mechanical stokers for six boilers.....	\$ 7,000.00
Reconstructing cold storage plant.....	2,000.00
New floors	1,000.00
Pictures, library books, newspapers and periodicals.....	500.00
Contingent and repair.....	10,000.00
Improvement of water supply.....	1,000.00
Railroad switch	25,000.00
	\$ 46,500.00

CLARINDA STATE HOSPITAL.

Laundry and equipment.....	\$ 25,000.00
Contingent and repair.....	12,000.00
Books, periodicals and binding.....	500.00
Material for concrete bridges.....	1,000.00
	\$ 38,500.00

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

Tools and machinery for Industrial Schools.....	\$	500.00
Books, periodicals and binding.....		500.00
Contingent and repair.....		4,000.00
	\$	5,000.00

SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' HOME, DAVENPORT, IOWA.

Dental work	\$	1,000.00
Re-setting boilers, Nos. 1 and 2.....		800.00
Contingent and extraordinary repairs.....		6,000.00
	\$	7,800.00

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS, ELDORA, IOWA.

Oculist, aurist and dental work.....	\$	2,000.00
Contingent and repair		10,000.00
Sanitary toilet and equipment.....		1,000.00
Deep well and equipment.....		2,000.00
Machinery and tools and machine shop.....		500.00
Paints and painting supplies.....		1,000.00
Placing and returning paroled boys.....		800.00
Lectures, entertainments and amusements.....		500.00
Athletic fund and rewards of merit.....		300.00
Chaplain fund		250.00
Library books and periodicals.....		300.00
Agricultural implements and vehicles.....		500.00
	\$	19,150.00
Band instruments and supplies.....		300.00
	\$	19,450.00

STATE PENITENTIARY, FT. MADISON.

Fences for state farm.....	\$	500.00
Contingent and repair.....		6,000.00
Deep well for farm (as we now have to haul water from the prison)		2,000.00
Oculist and dental		1,500.00
	\$	10,000.00

STATE INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN,
GLENDOOD.

Addition to west wing Administration building.....	\$	10,000.00
Beds and bedding.....		2,000.00
Furniture and furnishings		2,000.00
Paints and painting		3,000.00
Contingent and repair.....		12,000.00
	\$	29,000.00

INDEPENDENCE STATE HOSPITAL.

Paints and painting	\$	1,000.00
Fencing		1,000.00
Contingent and repair.....		15,000.00
	\$	17,000.00

STATE HOSPITAL FOR INEBRIATES, KNOXVILLE.

Sewage disposal	\$	5,000.00
Enlarging dynamo room and new unit.....		5,000.00
Brick smokestack		4,000.00
New 100 h. p. boiler.....		2,000.00
Books and periodicals.....		300.00
Contingent and repair.....		3,000.00
	\$	19,300.00

SOLDIERS' HOME, MARSHALLTOWN.

Contingent and repair.....	\$	4,000.00
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INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, MITCHELLVILLE.

Contingent and repair.....	\$	4,000.00
Chaplain		250.00
Improvement water supply.....		2,000.00
Dental and oculist work.....		1,000.00
Books, periodicals and binding.....		300.00
Orchestral instruments and supplies.....		150.00
Transportation of girls.....		200.00
	\$	7,900.00

MT. PLEASANT STATE HOSPITAL.

General repairs and contingent.....	\$	18,000.00
Furniture and furnishings for ward.....		3,000.00
Hospital switch		30,000.00
Sewage disposal plant		10,000.00
Additional radiation		1,000.00
Painting		2,500.00
Stokers		7,000.00
Drain tile and fences.....		2,000.00
New floors		1,000.00
Fire escapes		450.00
Books, periodicals and binding.....		500.00
Wire guards and railing to porches and stairs of women's infirmary		500.00
	\$	75,950.00
Stock, horses and wagons.....		3,000.00
	\$	78,950.00

STATE SANATORIUM, OAKDALE.

Brick coal house.....	\$	1,500.00
Books and periodicals.....		250.00
Lectures and amusements.....		200.00
Contingent and repair.....		3,000.00
	\$	4,950.00
Total asked for all institutions for all purposes.....	\$	327,170.00

AMENDMENTS TO THE LAW AS TO STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

When the law creating the Board of Control was enacted the office of treasurer of each one of the institutions placed under its management was abolished and all moneys, books, etc., ordered to be turned in to the State Treasurer and all moneys thereafter derived from any source accounted for and remitted to him monthly and all funds and all bills payable thereafter drawn directly from the State Treasury.

There was opposition to this, of course, but time has demonstrated that it was a wise provision. When the law creating the State Board of Education was passed, for prudential reasons existing just at the time, the same thing was not to the same extent done as to the institutions passing under its management, but the Board was empowered to elect a treasurer for each one of the institutions. Not one word of criticism has ever been heard as to any one selected by the Board for treasurer at any one of the institutions or of his administration of his office. On the contrary, there has been universal approval. Many, however, believe that the funds of the educational institutions should be handled and administered exactly as the funds of the institutions under the Board of Control. Instead of four treasurers for the four institutions there should be but one and properly the State Treasurer that one. The accounts of the institutions should be kept substantially and so far as applicable with each institution as with the institutions under the Board of Control. For full information and by way of suggestion I call your attention to sections 13, 15, 16, 17, 37, 38, 39, 41 and 42 of Chapter 118 of the Acts of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly, to the end that you may examine into the question as to whether the law should be so amended as to incorporate like provisions in the law creating the State Board of Education. Experience has taught that the law creating the Board of Control and the methods therein provided for the administration of it were conceived in great wisdom.

Under present methods the State loses the interest that would accrue to it upon the large sums of money that might be held by the treasury as balances thereof from time to time. This should go to the State rather than elsewhere. This consideration alone would be a sufficient reason for your attention to this subject.

In this connection I desire to suggest for your consideration whether or not it would not be wise for the law to make somewhat similar provisions as to the State Highway Commission. This commission is the only one in the State that audits its own bills. Should they not be passed upon by some competent Board or Council and should not bills be paid directly from the State Treasury? It seems to me so. It hardly seems to me that it is wise that large sums can be drawn in lump amounts to be disbursed at pleasure. It must be understood that there is no criticism on the commission, but the question is are the present provisions or want of provisions of the law in this respect wise

USE OF UNEXPENDED BALANCE OF APPROPRIATIONS.

It is frequently the case that not all of an appropriation is needed for the purpose designated. Sometimes there is a surplus of several thousand dollars. Under the law as it now is this unexpended balance in many cases is not covered back into the treasury, but is used at the institution where the original expenditure was made for such purpose as the Board or Commission may please. It seems to me this ought not to be so. It is not "good business." It is a careless management of public funds. I recommend that you provide that all unexpended balances of appropriations be at once and hereafter covered back into the treasury.

COLLATERAL INHERITANCE TAX.

The law with reference to the collection of the collateral inheritance tax has, up to this time, been administered from the State Treasurer's office and by him. Many very difficult legal questions are constantly arising. The business in connection with the administration of the law is constantly increasing. During the biennium ending June 30, 1908, 905 estates paid the tax in the sum of \$341,000.00. The last biennium, 1,270 estates paid \$637,000.00. It is apparent that this volume of business requires very much and very careful attention, the cases extending as they do into very many counties of the State. The Treasurer feels that it is very likely that much is lost to the State, because of the impossibility of giving it the close attention from his office that the importance of the business demands. Besides, it is necessarily work that should be in the hands of one trained in the law. You are asked to carefully inquire into this condition and provide for its relief.

REFORM OF COURT PROCEDURE.

Two years ago I submitted some suggestions and recommendations on the question of some reform in our court procedure. But one of them was adopted, with some qualification, namely, that all exceptions to instructions should be taken before they are read to the jury. This does not at all deter me from referring to the same subject again. Reforms sometimes move slowly. It is often hard to up-root old practices and old forms and methods that have become woven into the life of the people although the original reasons for their adoption have long since ceased to exist.

The administration of the law in our courts is, as everybody knows, slow, uncertain and unreasonably expensive. The weak financially are not upon an equal footing with the strong because of our practice procedure. There is not equality before the law at all. When one starts in upon a suit at law there is absolutely no telling where or when it will end. The weak in purse may indeed fall by the way, powerless to proceed, his rights unadjusted or not even substantial justice achieved. If he gets through at all it may be by a long, weary way from one court to another and back and forth again and again. He learns the way and finds that toll is exacted at every step. And it is all because of errors, whether they are substantial and affect the very right of the parties or not. There is always the presumption, when the error is found, that it was prejudicial. It does not make any difference how conclusively and abidingly satisfied the Supreme Court may be that the judgment on the whole case was right, yet prejudice is presumed because of the error, the case is reversed and back it goes for a re-trial. It is upon the theory that it cannot be known what the jury might have done if the error had not been made. So, notwithstanding the conviction that the verdict was right, it goes back to take the chance of some other error being committed and another jury bringing in a verdict that is wrong. While courts are fallible and very liable to error the jury is practically infallible, their verdict almost unimpeachable and establishes the fate of the litigants as firmly and immovably as the rocks of Gibraltar.

Aside from chancery cases the Supreme Court is a court for correction of errors. As errors are always presumed to be prejudicial, the astute lawyer often makes every effort to "get error into the record." If he can succeed and the result of the trial is not to his liking he can appeal with every presumption in his favor. The error is presumed to be prejudicial to his client. It may be, but it ought not to be conclusively presumed so. The contest in the appellate court centers around the question as to whether or not there was error and the substantial rights of the parties may not be involved at all. When you get at the bottom fact about the matter the rule under consideration does not require of the trial court justice but infallibility. This whole thing appears to me to be wrong. If the court on the whole case is satisfied that the judgment is just, the one that ought to have been rendered, they ought to let it alone notwithstanding the error, and litigation should end. "Matters of practice ought not to be exalted above matter of substance." This course we pursue inevitably results in inefficiency of legal administration. It brings about disregard of the law and contempt for it among all classes of people. Convictions in criminal cases are nullified because of presumed prejudice on account of error. This General Assembly ought not to adjourn until it has enacted a law providing in substance that no judgment shall be set aside or reversed or new trial granted on account of error of the court or error in any matter of pleading or procedure unless it shall appear on the whole case that the error complained of has injuriously affected the substantial rights of the parties.

The time sometimes taken for the selection of a jury is the cause of delay, useless expense, absurd, farcical. The grounds of challenge for cause are given by statute. A few questions in a few minutes are sufficient to determine a juror's qualifications and the court should be given authority to control and limit the examination, or, better still, he should have the authority to examine and pass upon the qualifications of jurors for the trial of the cause.

I again repeat what I said two years ago, that the time for taking appeals should be greatly shortened. I see no reason why the law should make the procedure of a cause through the courts interminable.

The law forbidding counsel to comment on the fact that the defendant in a criminal case declines to become a witness in his own behalf and give such explanation as he can of the facts produced tending to establish his guilt should be repealed. It is entirely just to him to suppose that if he could explain he would do so.

While I am speaking of laws and what it seems to me ought to be done I desire to say just a word about the law enacted by the last General Assembly providing for the non-partisan nomination and election of Judges. I believe it ought to be repealed.

TREATMENT OF CRIMINALS.

To my mind our method of treatment of those convicted of many of the crimes under our statute has been absurd and without justification from the standpoint of either the convicted man or the State. I am aware that there are wide differences of opinion upon the question of the treatment of those who have violated the criminal law. There never

ought to be such a thing as even a thought of punishment as a retribution. Yet there is, when you get to the center of our theory of punishment, that thought running through it. The thought of punishment as a deterrent to others, I think, is a thing to be dismissed also because the experience of the world has shown that it does not deter—that the proportion of crimes to population does not decrease but rather increases. Then there is something of the avenging spirit underlying the thought. In some cases, it seems to me, the sentence of the law is out of all proportion to the gravity of the offense. And, as an ultimate question, what good can come, in very many cases, to either the culprit or to society, by a commitment to a jail or the penitentiary. How many scores of cases does every man know of as coming under his own observation, where not only no good came to either but a positive harm to both. I cannot view it in any other way than that every man ought to see the absurdity, the uselessness, the wrong done both to the prisoner and to society, in leading a young man, and older ones as well, first offenders, off and shutting them up in a jail or a penitentiary.

Perhaps in an hour of temptation, or under stress of circumstances, as inability to get work and little children and wife cold and hungry, they have committed an infraction of the law. What hope or chance is there for a man in a jail or a penitentiary. I am not now speaking of the habitual criminal, the outlaw, the man dangerous to be at large, but I am speaking of the large number of men whom we daily see walking out of our court rooms destined to imprisonment. Taken from their families, perhaps, who need every possible help they can give them, inflicting a wrong upon them personally and upon society as well by removing them from contributing members of society to helpless dependents and burdens to the State.

Our criminal court procedure and methods are uselessly expensive, but I sometimes feel that there is little hope of relief to society there as all appeals for reform have heretofore been in vain. The burden of expense to the people in feeding, clothing and warming prisoners and maintaining penitentiaries and reformatories is very great. Well, some one may ask, what will you do with them. I should say that at any rate as to the class of men I am now speaking of I would not continue a worn out, medieval method that the experience of centuries has demonstrated is an utter failure in helping or reforming men, a dismal failure in deterring or reducing crime. I should enlarge the right and impose upon the Judge the duty to parole men upon conditions of good citizenship, to express it in a general way, upon condition that the wrong done be righted as far as possible. I would restore these men to their families and to society to support themselves and their families rather than inflict suffering upon innocent and helpless women and children and the burden of supporting them all upon the State. We can do much better than that, and do it, too, without making them hate the State or changing them into enemies of society. Is this idea of the brotherhood of man a farce or not? Is helpfulness a fine thing to be talked about and never to be seen in action? Ought not the State to have a moral sense? Ought it not to have a conscience? Go, right the wrong you have done, restore any loss you may have occasioned, pay the costs you have oc-

casioned your fellow citizens, take your place in society, go to work, support yourself and your family if you have one and if you will and be faithful in these things your sentence will be suspended for such length of time as it may take to satisfy the court that you are a well-disposed law-abiding man. There would be your reformatory in action and without vast machinery and expense. Clothe the courts with this power to be used in their sound discretion after a full knowledge of the case and of the man and with the power of final discharge when satisfied the man merits it. If at any time after suspension he proves unworthy let the sentence be executed and let him understand that it will be. This course would save much time to the courts and costs to the people in lessening the number of expensive trials. And can any good reason be given why this thing should not be done at once rather than after several years by the Board of Parole and after a large amount of expense, constantly accumulating, is incurred, and after the wrong has been inflicted by the State upon women and children and especially since centuries of experience has demonstrated that jails and penitentiaries do no good except in keeping the vicious, the habitually bad man, the enemy to good order, from preying on society. Of such characters you will understand I am not speaking. The only reason that can be given is that society must be avenged. There must be retribution. Punish the man one, two, three years, then let the Board of Parole do what the judge should have power to do at once if you really want to do the man any good. But the theory is do him and his family and society all the harm you can first.

From what I have already said it follows that I am in favor of the custodial farm. Certain classes of violators of the criminal law should be put to work. Judges should be empowered to commit to the Farm when we have reached such a point that it can be done. The law should define what classes should be sent there and generally provide for the administration of it. You should make such provisions at this session. The jails, as I think, should be largely depopulated for service on the Farm. Every man who can be safely trusted out of jail or penitentiary ought to be a worker, a producer, and not simply a leech upon the honest efforts of his fellow men.

As many men as possible from the penitentiary and reformatory ought to be given work upon our public highways, especially since the State has entered upon the policy of permanent road improvement. The experiments made in this direction have been very satisfactory, indeed. The brief experience the State has had in allowing a few men from the penitentiary and reformatory to work out side has resulted in a profit over all expenses of \$19,773.10 to the State and earnings to the men about \$7,000.00. The State has turned its face toward the more modern and enlightened method of dealing with criminals and the whole subject is one that ought to have your most careful consideration. Some considerable expense must necessarily be incurred in the beginning but ultimately the methods proposed will, as I believe, reduce cost to the State. The abolishment of the contract labor system is looked upon, I think with general favor. But men must be kept at work and it will therefore be necessary that you provide by legislation some method

or provide such industries as will supply the need. This can be done by the millage tax already referred to.

PARDONS AND PAROLES.

In a pamphlet separate from this message which I make a part hereof by reference I have reported in full all cases of remission of fines and forfeitures and of commutations, revocations, restorations, suspensions and pardons granted, with the reasons therefor.

Summarizing the report:

I have referred to the Board of Parole for investigation and recommendation, upon the question of granting a pardon, nine cases of life men for murder in the first degree. In each case they reported adversely to granting a pardon. I have granted a pardon in one such case.

I have granted fifty-one suspensions upon the recommendation of the Board and fifty-nine from county jails.

I have restored to citizenship from parole 53 and, upon the recommendation of the Board, 224. There have been one revocation, forty-nine commutations and twenty-four remissions of fines and forfeitures.

THE ROAD LAW.

The road law passed by the last legislature has been rapidly growing in the favor of the people within the last year. For the first time in the history of the State has real, permanent progress in road repair and road making been realized. The outlook for the future is very encouraging, indeed. It may be found necessary at this session to amend it in some minor particulars to make it more flexible and workable, but only in such features of it as experience has proved necessary. The essential principles and provisions of it have been found to be right and the solid foundations for good roads in Iowa, and ought to remain.

There are localities in the State where the question of hard surfaced roads is engaging the attention of the people to a greater degree perhaps than in others. There are also places where the improvement of the road involves the cutting down of hills, at an unusual and exceptional expense. In order that this expense may be met and the improvement made, and in order that the work of hard-surfacing roads may be undertaken at once, it has been suggested that you make provision that counties may anticipate by a majority vote their road revenues by issuing bonds. I deem the suggestion a very good one and recommend that you make such provision. It would be entirely optional with each county—a majority vote of the people authorizing it.

In some States the law has provided for special assessment road improvement after the analogy of our special assessment drainage districts. I believe it would be wise and would encourage the building of the best and most permanent roads if you would authorize the establishment of special assessment road districts. Provision could, and should, be made for a portion of the cost to be paid by the public, a portion by those whose property would be specially benefited—each property paying in proportion to the benefits received—taking into consideration the enhancement of its value, its location, with reference to the improved road, all the elements of convenience, easy access to markets, and such like. Here, again, this

would be entirely optional with the people to be included in the district—the method of establishing to be carefully worked out by the law. There is nothing new in any of these suggestions. They are only in line with the progressive, up-to-date spirit of the times that wants to lift these States out of the mud, greatly enhance the value of the lands, save enormous sums of money in making markets easily and quickly accessible at all times, and especially when prices are best. I am advised by one who has made careful study of the question that there are only two States in the Union besides our own which do not provide for bond issues for the construction of permanent roads. Such portions of our State as cheerfully and enthusiastically avail themselves of the provisions of our road laws will rapidly forge ahead in wealth and community development. The last two years has already made this apparent. The next few years will make it more strikingly and astonishingly so. It is easy for a community to acquire the reputation of facing backwards, of always being against, but never for, anything. Capital never goes there. It soon becomes a melancholy remainder of the quaint, sleepy old days of an almost forgotten past and a fine place to go for dreamy, undisturbed rest and repose.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

There is no matter of greater public importance than the health of the people. To wait the appearance of the epidemic or scourge is always disastrous. When the work of constructing the Panama Canal was to be undertaken the thing regarded as of first and paramount importance was to convert the disease breeding surroundings into healthful conditions. To remove the cause of contagion is the part of wisdom. The sanitary engineer, the creation of healthful conditions, are the demands of the medical and sanitary science of the present. Many of the cities and towns of Iowa, by constantly turning filth and pollution into the streams and rivers, are transforming them into sources of disease, indeed; making them an actual menace to the health of the people. This condition will continually grow worse unless a remedy is provided. It is a subject worthy of your instant and most careful consideration. Enforceable provision for sewage disposal which would protect our streams from pollution and the health and lives of the people ought to be provided.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

The Thirty-fifth General Assembly adopted and referred to you a resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution authorizing the taxation, for State revenue purposes only, such classes of property as may be deemed proper by the legislature. This is a very important and most salutary proposition and ought, by all means, in my judgment, to be agreed to by you, to the end that it may be submitted to the people at the election in 1916. If the constitution were amended as proposed, it would go far toward making a solution of some of our tax problems and removing much of the dissatisfaction that now exists on account of the practical working of our tax laws. If, for instance, our State revenue were derived entirely from the taxation of railway properties, transportation, equipment, telegraph, telephone and public utility companies in general, then local assessments of valuations and levies would have nothing to do with

State revenue, pay no tax for said purpose. The incentive for low assessments to avoid the payment of State taxes would be removed. There would be an incentive to assessments at fair actual values and low rates. This would be a very great advantage to the State in its standing away from home. I think I may safely say to you that political economists who have given the subject of taxation the most thought and deepest study agree in recommending the proposition suggested.

Another constitutional amendment proposed by the last General Assembly was that favoring woman suffrage. Twice the republican party has adopted a plank in its platform declaring in its favor. The progressive party made a similar declaration. The proposed amendment ought to be agreed to by you so that this long debated question may be submitted at the next general election.

MEANDERED LAKES AND LAKE BEDS.

Among all the multitudinous duties imposed by the law upon the Executive Council none are more difficult of fulfillment than those with reference to what are called the lakes and lake beds of the State. There are constant appeals for the drainage of some of these lake beds. There is just as constant opposition to it. There is a constant demand for the preservation of the lakes. I do not think there is a man in Iowa who would drain or destroy one of them. The republican party, in one of its planks, demanded, at its last convention, that the lakes be preserved. The difficulty arises with reference to lakes which were meandered by the original Government survey, but which, as some insist, have degenerated into swamps and marshes, or practically filled with vegetable growth, and no longer have any of the characteristics of a lake. Some of our most public spirited and progressive citizens urge that these should be preserved and "improved," as authorized by the law, by dredging. This has seemed to the Council as utterly impracticable, as well as being entirely prohibited by the cost. The Council ought not to be charged with the duty and responsibility of settling the controversy; indeed, they cannot settle it. This General Assembly ought not to adjourn without enacting definite, specific legislation touching this question. I urgently recommend that there be appointed a commission from your membership, or better, perhaps, from citizens not holding any public office, to examine such lake beds, and all of them, and report definitely and fully to you the condition of each one of them, to the end that there may be definite legislative disposition of each such lake bed. Or, if this fails of approval, and it is still thought that the Council should be charged with any duty with reference to them, that the law be so amended as to authorize and direct it to survey and drain, or sell, or drain and sell, or drain and retain for the State only such meandered lake beds as no longer contain lakes but have become swamps or marshes or filled with vegetable growth and lost the distinguishing characteristics of lakes as being permanent bodies of water. The legislation should be specific as to the very lake beds to which it shall apply and should dispose of and settle the lake question.

The law also provides that where there is a sale of a lake bed under its provisions the proceeds thereof must be transmitted by the State

Treasurer to the county treasurer in the county where the lake bed was situated and that it shall there be placed to the credit of the county road fund to be expended by the Board of Supervisors in the same manner as other road funds. This, it seems to me, is plainly wrong. The lake beds belong to the people of the State—to the State—and the proceeds of any such sales ought to go into the general fund of the State for the broader benefit of all the people. What belongs to all of the people should not have local expenditure only. The statute should be so amended.

We are entering upon the policy of establishing custodial farms. Some of these old lake beds contain from three to nine hundred acres of land. If the legislature orders them, or any of them drained, the land thus reclaimed should be kept by the State and some, perhaps, used in the future for such farms. It is not good business to pay probably \$200 an acre for land when the State has land that could be put in cultivation for half that sum and, if properly located, utilized as such a farm. Besides, it would seem that the labor of prisoners could be used in tiling the land.

APPROPRIATION FOR GETTYSBURG DEFICIT.

The last General Assembly made an appropriation of \$10,000 "for the purpose of enabling the State to assist in the celebration upon the battlefield of the fiftieth anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg." It soon became apparent that this amount would not be sufficient to pay the expenses of the surviving participants in that great conflict who desired to attend. In this emergency Hon. Lafayette Young, a public spirited citizen of Des Moines, Editor of the Des Moines Capital, began a campaign through his paper to raise additional funds by public subscription and raised \$3,338. It transpiring that there were not as many eligible under the provisions of the law as was at first supposed only \$1,278.94 of said amount raised was used.

As directed by the statute the commission appointed to carry out its provisions reported fully and satisfactorily and requested that you be recommended to make an appropriation of \$1,278.94 to cover the deficit in the original appropriation and to the end that the amount used from each donation be returned to the doner, the amount not used having already been returned. With the request by the commission I am glad to comply.

CELEBRATION OF NEGRO FREEDOM.

There is to be held in the city of Chicago, Illinois, during this year an Exposition celebrating the Half-Century Anniversary of Negro Freedom. The State of Illinois at the last session of its legislature made an appropriation of \$25,000 in behalf of this Exposition which it was then supposed, as I am advised, would be confined simply to that State. Since then it has been decided to make it national in its scope for the purpose of showing the progress the race has made in this country since its emancipation. Iowa and many other States have appointed commissions to co-operate with the Illinois commission in making this celebration general and a success. Not in all the history of the world has any other people under circumstances at all to be compared with the condition of the negro in America fifty years ago made the progress he has made in

that time. Emerging from slavery almost helpless, penniless, homeless, ignorant, they now, about ten millions of them, are taxed on a billion dollars worth of property, thousands of them have good homes, illiteracy is reduced from a total to thirty-five per cent, many of them are succeeding in very many lines of business, professional and otherwise, and large number of them are excellent citizens. The negro in the United States wants to take note of the progress he has made, to show what he has done, in the only years he has ever had a chance and to take counsel and encouragement for the future. The record is a proud one and he ought to be encouraged. There are fifteen thousand negro residents of Iowa, I am told. They will ask a small appropriation for the purpose named. If you find there is a proper organization for a proper and judicious expenditure of the money I think you ought to give it. Iowa can afford to be thus helpful to a race only so recently held under the bondage of slavery and ignorance.

PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION.

The Thirty-fifth General Assembly failed to make an appropriation to enable the State to participate in the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco which will open on the twentieth of February. Some of the public spirited men of the State, believing it would be a great mistake to fail of representation there, took up the question in behalf of what they conceived would be of great advantage to the State as over against its great disadvantage in having neither name nor place at the meeting point of the world to recount the progress of humanity and gather hope, encouragement and inspiration for the future. The good that would ultimately come to the State—having as she does all the advantages of location and natural resources that have ever throughout the world's history made for human greatness, in taking her place side by side with the other great sovereignties of our own country and of the world, they believed would justify sacrifice of time, effort and money on their part. Animated with this spirit and with faith in the people some of them, on behalf of the whole, journeyed to San Francisco and selected and dedicated a site for an Iowa building. Returning to the State they took up the matter of raising funds for the construction of the building and for the general purposes of a creditable exhibit for the State. Their visit to the leading cities of the State by a special train in this behalf is a fact familiar to all. The expense of this train and the trip to the coast and all incidental expenses were paid by themselves and their time given as well. Prominent men in the cities visited pledged their assistance and upon these pledges the committee pledged their credit by promissory note to the amount of many thousand dollars. It may be said, I think, that these men believed that the people of Iowa would approve and respond through the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, although, so far as I know, it was not at that time asked that that should be done. Since that time the Executive Committee have given of their time and their money in carrying on the work thus so hopefully and courageously undertaken. They have taken charge of the work and constructed a beautiful and commodious building upon the site selected at a cost of \$30,000. It compares very favorably with the buildings erected by thirty-

eight other states. The work of preparing an exhibit for the State in all of her interests, agriculture, horticulture, manufacturing, animal industry, indeed, in every way, is going on under the guidance and management of these same men. They believe that for the building and for making an exhibit creditable to the State and for the expenses (not including the personal expenses I have mentioned) incident to so great an enterprise there ought to be made by you an adequate appropriation. I agree with them. The good that will come to Iowa from her representation and the exhibit she will make in my judgment will far surpass in value the appropriation. I recommend that you grant it.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT IN STATE LIBRARY.

The State Library has been extended so as to cover practically every field of library activity, professional and otherwise. The one notable exception is in the medical field. The State Medical Society in conjunction with the State Library Board will ask you for a small amount as a book fund and also that you provide the State Library with a medical assistant who should be a man "educated in medicine and surgery and familiar with the language in which the literature of his profession finds expression." I can see no good reason why this great profession as well as the profession of the law should not be represented by a well equipped department in the library. Indeed, I should think the library incomplete so long as it is wanting in this great field of human knowledge, investigation and rapid development. I hope you will give the Medical Society and the library board sympathetic hearing and grant their request.

REORGANIZATION OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT.

The committee on retrenchment and reform has submitted a report which, if acted upon favorably, involves a reorganization of the state government. I shall not enter upon a discussion of it. It involves questions of great interest and a discussion of them would discover, I doubt not, very conflicting views. Inasmuch as it proposes practically an entire change in the governor's office with relation to the state government I think, perhaps, it would be in better taste if I should pass it with only a suggestion. It proposes to make the governor the responsible head of all of the departments of the state government, responsible for the service and efficiency of every man throughout the entire organization, or practically so. That would be little, if any, change from the situation as it now exists for I have already discovered in my experience that the governor is held responsible for everything that is done or happens without being clothed with the powers the reorganization proposes. I don't see why two or three years should be squandered in fixing up the constitution so they can get at him. That would be a work of supererogation. They go straight at him anyhow. At any rate that has been my observation.

FOUR YEAR TERM FOR GOVERNOR.

But seriously, while there is talk about reorganizing the government, I want to say I am thoroughly convinced, both from observation and my own experience, that it would be far more satisfactory to the people and far better service could be rendered them if the governor were elected

for a term of four years rather than two and made ineligible to another successive term. As it is, he enters upon his first term with the incoming of a general assembly. That ought not to be so, but I will not discuss that question. Soon, if not immediately, after the adjournment of the legislature, if the experience of recent years is to be taken as a precedent, and in view of our primary system of nominating candidates, he must begin preparations for and eventually enter upon a long speaking campaign for a renomination. Securing it he must practically continue his campaign for re-election. He must do these things or ignominiously and pusillanimously sometimes surrender all that he stood for and abandon all that he hoped to accomplish in the way of public service. All this constantly distracts his mind from his public duties, prevents him from giving himself wholly and unreservedly to the study of public affairs as they relate to the welfare of the people—prevents him from devoting all his energies to the public good. It all seriously affects his efficiency as a public servant.

If, also, he should be a timid soul, thinking more of office than of public duty, and afraid of his fellow-citizens rather than challenging them to things that make for human betterment he might move softly, gently, whisperingly through a first term in the hope of no antagonism for a second. During a second term he might become courageous when there was no enemy in view and nobody could get at him and might really accomplish something. But the first term would be lost. Whatever type of man he might be a four year term and ineligibility to a second consecutive term would enable him at once and continually for four years to concentrate all of his energies upon his duties as a public servant, studying the business of the State, the needs of the State in all her diversified interests with nothing "to molest or make him afraid."

Another potent reason for a four year term lies in the fact that two years only enables one to become thoroughly acquainted with the business of the state and reach his best efficiency and especially so if he is compelled to give himself to two campaigns in the meantime. Strong, efficient service could be better rendered in my judgment by a four year term. I invite you to consider this matter and the necessary change in the constitution.

REDUCTION OF MEMBERSHIP IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

I have long been of the opinion that legislative bodies in this country are too large for the best, most careful and most satisfactory work. This opinion has ripened into a conviction. If our house of representatives were reduced from 108 to 50 and our senate to twenty-five I believe any observing, thoughtful man, especially if he had actual experience in legislation, would agree with this view. Legislation could and would receive much more careful and critical study. It would be much more thorough, concise, clear, mature. It would be far less voluminous. Our legislature would become in fact a deliberative body. There would be better quality of debate. There would be better behavior of members. Numbers obstruct deliberation. A large number involves confusion and prevents concentration of thought and effort. The principle is not recognized anywhere else among men than in law-making assemblies. It would not be

recognized anywhere else where really great things are to be done in a really great and efficient way. I am convinced that fifty men in the house could and would produce better results than one hundred and eight and that twenty-five men in the senate would be more efficient than the fifty whether in the senate or house.

I believe, too, that upon the whole such a change would result in securing better fitted, abler and more experienced men for legislators. The work would be more inviting, give, as it seems to me, better and wider opportunity for public service. It would elevate standards. Representative and senatorial districts would be enlarged, giving a greater responsibility and importance to the office. Judge Story, an eminent and perhaps the most profound American law writer, in his great work on The Constitution says:

“Higher qualifications will usually be sought and required where the representatives are few than where they are many. And there will be a higher ambition to serve where the smallness of the number creates a desirable distinction than where it is shared with many and, of course, individual importance diminished.”

Again, while still considering this subject he says, “Let the Federalist speak in its own fearless and expressive language” and quotes from it the words of James Madison, always profoundly wise, as follows: “In all legislative assemblies, the greater the number composing them may be, the fewer will the men be who will, in fact, direct their proceedings. In the first place, the more numerous any assembly may be, of whatever characters composed, the greater is known to be the ascendancy of passion over reason.” In the next place, the larger the number, the greater will be the proportion of members of limited information and weak capacities. Now, it is precisely on characters of this description that the eloquence and address of the few are known to act with all their force. In the ancient republics, where the whole body of the people assembled in person, a single orator or an artful statesman was generally seen to rule with as complete a sway as if a scepter had been placed in his single hand. On the same principle, the more multitudinous a representative assembly may be rendered, the more it will partake of the infirmities incident to collective meetings of the people. The people can never err more than in supposing that in multiplying their representatives beyond a certain limit they strengthen the barrier against the government of a few. Experience will forever admonish them that, on the contrary, after securing a sufficient number for the purpose of safety, of local information, and of diffusive sympathy, they will counteract their own views by every addition to their representatives. The countenance of the government may become more democratic, but the soul that animates it will be more oligarchic. The machine will be enlarged, but the fewer, and often the more secret, will be the springs by which its motions are directed.” If the measure of the number required should, as he says, only be sufficient to secure “safety, local information and diffusive sympathy,” not a large number would be required in Iowa. Her interests throughout her borders are practically the same. Any intelligent, well informed man fully understands them. A very moderate number of men from different sections would bring full information as to her needs and there would be perfect accord sympatheti-

cally. As it is the wonderfully diversified interests of a vast territory, not fully understood in any particular section, and extending over forty-eight states, only has one representative to every 210,415 of population, while Iowa, every part of which is intimately known by every other part, has in her legislature one member to about 15,000 of her population. No basis of reasoning upon the proper number for a legislative body has ever justified this.

Again, responsibility diminishes as members increase. The dominant thought of the present is that responsibility in public affairs should be capable of actual, definite location and that the best results cannot be attained otherwise. This reasoning has just as much force as elsewhere when applied to a legislative body. But there can be no satisfactory fixing of responsibility where the body is unreasonably large and unwieldy. Where everybody is responsible for a given action or result, nobody is responsible.

A matter of smaller consideration, and yet a thing to be considered, is the reduction of the expense of a session by, doubtless, one hundred thousand dollars,—a half million dollars in five sessions.

If these considerations are by you deemed of enough importance to submit to the people the question of an amendment to the constitution you should pass the necessary resolution looking to that end.

COST OF A LEGISLATIVE SESSION.

I have just made reference to a consideration of the cost of a session of the legislature. I think it not improper for me to say more. Based upon experience in the past it is estimated this session will cost \$218,125.00. Of this amount \$163,500 will be paid as salaries and mileage to the members and the lieutenant governor. The balance of \$54,625.00 will be paid for supplies and "help." I think a fair estimate for supplies and sundry expenses would be \$4,625.00, leaving \$50,000.00 or \$500.00 per day for a hundred day session for "help,"—meaning "extra help," clerks, door-keepers etc. Some of this is absolutely essential, of course, but much of it is pure—unadulterated "graft." As president of the senate in the Thirty-third General Assembly I said to the senate: "Public money is taken from the people for a public purpose only and it is intolerable that it should be used for petty graft or turned over even in small sums to persons who have rendered no equivalent of service in return. No young man or woman should be taught to feel that the state is an institution upon which it is permissible to work a graft, and no old man should be allowed to do it. Such a course cheapens the public service, dishonors the men engaged in it, and lowers the ideal of public life. It does not beget respect for public officials or for the state as an institution for the administration of government or for law; it cannot be to our credit, Senators, that doorkeepers doze in these galleries for one hundred days at the public expense, the doors not opening a half dozen days during the session, except to permit their entrance. On occasion of need men called from the extra help about the Capitol could be stationed there. A dozen doorkeepers are used in the two houses where none at all are needed. Every man of legislative experience knows that many more committee clerks and other clerks are employed than are needed. Every senator and representative knows of

clerks sitting around these chambers in luxurious ease from one end of the session to the other, doing practically nothing at all, and every senator and representative knows that such a thing should fall under his condemnation."

I was criticised then for saying these things. It was said to be "small and picayune." Both the principle of the thing and the money are involved and what I said then I say again with emphasis. It is reprehensible and indefensible. The Thirty-sixth General Assembly ought to organize along different lines.

THE BEE-KEEPERS.

The bee-keepers of the state, I am advised by the state inspector, suggest that their bees ought to be taxed. I think perhaps that never before in all the world's history since the days when they went up to Jerusalem to be taxed, and that was involuntary, has it been recorded that men suggested to the government. "Here am I, tax me." "Ten stand of bees" are now exempt from taxation. Many apiarists own many more than this but only one or two have been found who say the assessors would list them. They say that by listing bees for taxation a million dollars of assessed valuation will be added. I suggest in view of all this that you repeal the bee exemption. The bee-keeping industry in its value to the state is already surprising, although it is not developed to any great extent. In his report the inspector says "it is capable of sustaining many thousands of people in comfort and adding millions of dollars to the resources of the commonwealth." The bee-keepers will ask of you a little additional appropriation and in view of the spirit in which they come to you and the possibilities of the industry, which have been amply demonstrated, I recommend that you grant it.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES.

A legislative committee has taken the place in the mind of many of us of something more powerful than the body which creates it. This, of course, is absurd unless the body has surrendered its authority by rules. Primarily a committee cannot control its creator. The legislative body never loses control over a bill or one of its committees. It may by vote sustain or defeat a committee, it is true, but the supreme authority is still there. We hear of such things as a bill being "lost in a committee" or "smothered in a committee." This need not be unless it is what is wanted by a majority of the house or senate. This all creates a prejudice and distrust of the law-making body. The committee takes on something of secrecy and every member of it is lost as to publicity and responsibility because nobody knows who was there or what was done or how it was done or who did it. This should not be so. A committee should be required to keep a full and exact record of every meeting. It should show who was there. If there was a hearing it should show who was heard and in what behalf. It should show the vote of every member upon every question voted upon and this whole record should accompany every bill coming from a committee and should also be made up into a permanent record of the committee's work for the session. The whispering secretive days—the days of dodging and gliding through the devious ways of dark back alleys are over. I venture to suggest the adoption of such a rule by you and that you make such procedure in committee statutory.

HABIT-FORMING DRUGS.

Nothing can be more ruinous than the use of habit-forming drugs. I need do nothing more than suggest their deleterious effect upon health, morals, intellect, character. Nothing can possibly be more reprehensible than the sale of them. No denunciation of the sale of them can be too severe. Strengthen the law, if you can, so as to effectually get at the evil. Make the possession presumptive evidence of intent to sell. Provide, as the attorney-general has suggested, a remedy by injunction. Make the place where the drugs are sold or kept for sale in violation of law a nuisance and abate it as in the case of liquor nuisances.

THE SHORT BALLOT.

I discussed the short ballot question in my inaugural address two years ago and the Thirty-fifth General Assembly made some progress in that direction. The question is one of even greater interest than it was then. It will continue to thrust itself to the front until there is some change that will be an adoption of the short ballot principle which is: "When you want representation, elect. When you want administration, appoint." That is all there is to it and the application of the principle solves the problem. Under our present methods everybody knows there is no such thing, and cannot be, as an intelligent selection of at least half of our public officials. But I will not re-discuss the question. It ought to have your most earnest and careful attention. I might, however, suggest that certainly the office of railroad commissioner ought to be made appointive.

PUBLIC UTILITIES BILL.

Neither will I re-discuss the question of public utilities. I also discussed that question two years ago and I now re-iterate all I then said and also refer you to what I then said on the question of

COUNTY MANAGEMENT.

I thoroughly believe that you ought to so change the law as to permit the appointment or employment of a manager of the business affairs of the county—one who will give his whole time to the duties of his office. Many thousands of dollars could be saved. What is said here applies as well to towns and cities. By your permission I refer you to what I heretofore said on this subject.

CONCLUSION.

I have presented these different subjects for your consideration only in a suggestive way and left the consideration of them exhaustively to you, if, perchance, you may consider them of sufficient moment to engage your serious attention, as I hope you may. I am sure your final judgment and action will be right and with this confidence I submit them.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the canvass of the votes cast for the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor at the election held November 3rd, A. D. 1914, and announced as teller on the part of the Senate Senator Hilsinger and as assistant tellers Senators Foskett and Hagemann.

Speaker Atkinson announced as teller on the part of the House Representative Coast of Johnson and as assistant tellers Representatives Kopp of Henry and Steelsmith of Osceola.

The President further announced that in accordance with the statute, tellers Senator Hilsinger and Representative Coast would constitute the judges of said canvass.

The Speaker then opened the returns in the presence of the joint convention and the tellers proceeded to canvass the vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Iowa, at the election held Tuesday, November 3rd, 1914.

Moved by Senator Parker that the joint session now take a recess until Thursday, January 14th, at 1:30 p. m.

Motion prevailed.

Senate returned to Senate chamber and resumed its sitting.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the Senate Amendment in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Relative to establishing a lunch room in the basement of the Capitol.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Chief Clerk.

The President appointed as member of such committee on the part of the Senate Senator Arney.

Senator Robinson, from the committee appointed to examine applicants for committee clerkships, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

We, your committee appointed to examine the applicants for committee clerks as to their qualifications for the position, according to the resolution passed by the Senate, beg leave to report that we have made such examination of the following named persons and find them qualified for the position:

Blanche Fuller	Senator Darrah.
Grace Burlingham	Senator Hilsinger.
Amy Byram	Senator Frailey.
C. H. Doolittle	Senator Perkins.
Lois Elwood	Senator Enger.
Lillian M. Hall	Senator Kimball.
Emma D. Kasemeier	Senator Hagemann.
Don L. Kellogg	Senator Jackson.
Ethel Livingston	Senator (none).

John J. Loftus	Senator Schrup.
Juanita McCoy	Senator Wilson.
Sadie McGrane	Senator (none.)
Mrs. H. C. McLaughlin	Senator (none.)
Amy Purvis	Senator Eversmeyer.
Belle I. Riddle	Senator Larrabee.
Jessie W. Rinebarger.....	Senator Balkema.
Phoebe Russell	Senator Fellows.
Leonard W. Reed	Senator Jones.
Clara Shannon	Senator (none.)
Chas. P. Swift	Senator Parker.
Tressa Taylor	Senator Taylor.
Nelle Wade	Senator Lindly.
Ruby D. Welch	Senator Foskett.
Esther Paul	Senator (none.)
Bertha L. Golding	Senator Helmer.

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. B. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Adopted.

The following committee clerks appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn:

John J. Loftus	Blanche Fuller
C. Owen Stookey	Amy Byram
Belle I. Riddle	Lillian M. Hall
Bertha L. Golding	Tressa Taylor
Nelle Wade	Juanita C. McCoy
Ruby D. Welch	Leonard W. Reed
Emma D. Kasemeier	C. H. Doolittle
Jessie W. Rinabarger	Charles D. Swift
Grace Burlingham	Don L. Kellogg
Phoebe Russell	

Senator Helmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 13, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President pro tempore of the Senate, A. C. Savage, presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. B. F. Fellman, pastor Calvary Baptist church, Des Moines.

The Journal of January 12th was taken up, corrected and approved.

The following communications from the Governor were read and placed on file:

DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 13, 1915.

THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE,
State of Iowa.
Des Moines.

I desire to extend to the officers and members of your honorable body, to the members of your families and to your friends, an invitation to attend a reception to be given by the State officers and their wives at the Governor's office, Thursday evening, January 14th, nineteen hundred and fifteen at eight o'clock.

Very respectfully,

G. W. CLARKE,
Governor.

DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 13, 1915.

HON. W. L. HARDING,
President of the Senate,
36th General Assembly.

I herewith transmit to you for submission to the Senate, the special report of the secretary of the State University, the report of the Secretary of the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts and the report of the secretary of the State Teachers' College.

Very respectfully,

G. W. CLARKE,
Governor.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE IOWA STATE COLLEGE OF
AGRICULTURE AND MECHANIC ARTS TO GENERAL AS-
SEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA, JANUARY 11, 1915.

To the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

GENTLEMEN:—I beg leave to submit herewith the report required by Chapter 104 of the Laws of the Thirtieth General Assembly. It shows:

First—The balances in the hands of the College and the State Treasurer at the beginning of the biennial period commencing July 1, 1912, available for college purposes.

Second—The additional funds which became available during each of the two years of the biennial period.

Third—The amounts expended in each of the two years for buildings and improvements, repairs, administration, maintenance and equipment of departments, and for the general expenses of the institution.

Fourth—The balances to the credit of the different funds at the close of the biennial period.

Fifth—Hospital receipts and sales of departments listed separately as required by law.

Sixth—The number of professors and instructors employed by the college, and the number of students enrolled in each course during each year of the biennial period:

I. BALANCES ON HAND, JULY 1, 1912.

In hands of College Treasurer—

Collegiate Support Fund—

General for departments (including working balance of \$25,000)	\$ 73,059.99	
Books and periodicals, special for Library	438.75	
Piano rental, special for Music department	239.47	
Scholarship funds, subject to special provisions	1,150.46	\$ 74,888.67
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Two Year Course in Agriculture....		10,508.50
Agricultural Extension		11,012.33
Experiment Funds—		
Agricultural Experiment Station.\$	23,027.70	
Engineering Experiment Station...	2,367.31	
Good Roads Experimentation....	3,137.52	\$ 28,532.53
Building and Improvement Funds—		
Special Building Tax.....\$	41.24	
Engineering Annex Furniture....	186.63	
Additional department equipment	120.46	
Heating Plant	17.35	
Public Grounds Improvement....	.68	

Room Rent	3,268.05	
Repair and Contingent.....	21,127.39	\$ 24,760.44
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Total in College Treasurer's hands, not including Hospital balance reported elsewhere...		\$149,702.47
In hands of State Treasurer—		
Special Building Tax	\$ 91,274.67	
Part of special appropriations of Thirty-fourth General Assembly made available before July 1, 1912	21,722.00	
Pure Bred Stock appropriation (old)	.44	
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Total in hands of State Treasurer		\$112,997.11
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Total in hands of College and State Treasurer		\$262,699.58

II. ADDITIONAL FUNDS AVAILABLE DURING THE BIENNIAL PERIOD 1912-14.

(a) For the fiscal year 1912-13.

Collegiate Support Fund—		
From National Government.....	\$ 85,486.20	
From annual State appropriation...	249,900.00	
Scholarship and other special trust funds to be used according to terms of trust	2,410.00	
Tuition from students residing outside of state	9,460.00	
Interest on Treasurer's balances....	3,676.34	
Cancelled checks	46.28	\$350,978.82
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Two Year Course in Agriculture—		
Annual State appropriation.....		25,000.00
Laboratory and incidental fees charged students covering cost of laboratory materials used by students and about one-half of cost of heat, light and janitor services; hospital fees \$5,071.50 reported elsewhere		75,682.20
Agricultural Extension Work—		
Annual State appropriation, permanent	\$ 42,000.00	
Annual State appropriation for biennial period	8,000.00	50,000.00

Experiment Funds—

Agricultural Experiment Station—

From National Government.....	\$ 30,000.00	
From Annual State appropriation	55,000.00	\$ 85,000.00

Horse Breeding Experimentation—

Annual State appropriation equaling National appropriation to upper limit of \$7,500.....		360.00
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Engineering Experiment Station—

Annual State appropriation.....		10,000.00
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Good Roads Experimentation—

Annual State appropriation.....	10,000.00	\$105,360.00
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Building and Equipment Funds—

Special Building Tax.....	\$149,068.60	
Annual Repair and Contingent fund	36,000.00	
Part of the special appropriations of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly made available after July 1, 1912	65,750.00	
Special appropriation for Chemistry building, equipment of same and purchase of laboratory supplies..	125,000.00	
Receipts from rental of rooms, sale of old building material, and net receipts from Custodian's store room	3,834.82	\$379,653.42
Hog Cholera Serum fund.....		35,000.00

Total from all sources for 1912-1913

\$1,021,674.44

(b) For the fiscal year 1913-14.

Collegiate Support Fund—

From National Government.....	\$ 85,191.86
From Annual State appropriation..	249,900.00
*From Two Year millage tax; for College departments	75,000.00
From Two Year millage tax; for Home Economics, amount apportioned to College work.....	9,000.00
Special appropriation for College departments	20,000.00
Scholarship and other special trust funds to be used according to terms of trust.....	2,325.00

*The first annual installment of the Two-Year millage tax was due in 1914. Something more than three-fifths was collected in the first half of the year. This report is based upon three-fifths being available before July 1, 1914.

Tuition, from students residing outside of State.....		\$ 11,867.50	
Interest on Treasurer's balances...		2,946.64	
Cancelled checks		101.10	\$456,332.10
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Non-collegiate Support Fund—			
Agriculture—			
Annual State appropriation.....	\$ 25,000.00		
Two Year millage tax apportioned to Agriculture	4,500.00		
Portion of special appropriation apportioned to Agriculture.....	2,400.00	\$ 31,900.00	
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Home Economics—			
Two Year millage tax apportioned to Home Economics.....	\$ 6,000.00		
Portion of special appropriation apportioned to Home Economics	1,600.00	7,600.00	
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Engineering—			
Amount of Two Year millage tax and special appropriation set aside for Trade School work at the College		6,500.00	
Veterinary Science—			
Two Year millage tax apportioned to Veterinary Science for Practitioners' course		3,000.00	\$ 49,000.00
Laboratory and Incidental fees charged students (hospital fees reported elsewhere, \$8,176.00).....			\$ 90,741.32
Extension Work—			
Agriculture—			
Annual appropriation	\$ 42,000.00		
Special appropriation	7,000.00		
Two Year millage tax.....	28,800.00	\$ 77,800.00	
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Engineering—			
Special appropriation	\$ 10,000.00		
Two Year millage tax (\$15,000 less \$6,500 set aside for Trade School work at the College....	8,500.00	18,500.00	\$ 96,300.00
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Experiment Funds—			
Agricultural Experiment Station—			
From National Government.....	\$ 30,000.00		
State Annual appropriation.....	55,000.00		
From Two Year millage tax.....	34,200.00		
Special appropriation	10,000.00	129,200.00	
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Horse Breeding Experimentation—			
Annual appropriation equalling national appropriation up to limit of \$7,500.....		\$ 1,564.19	
Engineering Experiment Station—			
Annual appropriation	\$ 10,000.00		
Two Year millage tax.....	3,000.00	13,000.00	
Good Roads Experimentation—			
Annual appropriation		10,000.00	
Veterinary Investigations—			
Special appropriation	\$ 3,000.00		
Two Year millage tax.....	6,000.00	9,000.00	\$162,764.19
Building and Equipment Funds—			
Special Building Tax.....		\$169,528.97	
Repair and Contingent fund—			
Annual appropriation	\$ 36,000.00		
Special appropriation	8,000.00		
Two Year millage tax apportionment	6,000.00	50,000.00	
Heating Plant Equipment, including steam lines			
		30,000.00	
Two Year Millage Tax—			
For maintenance and improvement of public grounds.....	\$ 6,000.00		
For enlargement of buildings and additional small buildings	6,000.00		
For equipment of departments and buildings	24,000.00	36,000.00	
Receipts from rental of rooms and sale of old building material and furniture			
		4,624.72	\$290,153.69
Total from all sources for 1913-1914			\$1,145,291.30

III. EXPENDITURES.

(a) For 1912-13.

Collegiate Support Fund—	
Salaries, including administrative officers	\$226,490.27
Department expenses and equipment	94,366.93
Scholarship and other trust funds expended	1,931.24
Administrative and general expenses	26,947.58

Maintenance of buildings and grounds (including heat, light and janitor service for buildings and care and improvement of campus)		76,312.57	426,048.59
Two Year Course in Agriculture—			
Salaries	\$18,318.47		
Current expenses and equipment.	9,530.61		27,849.08
Agricultural Extension—			
Salaries of Extension staff.....	\$ 29,123.13		
Current expenses and equipment.	21,301.55		50,424.68
Experiment funds—			
Agricultural Experiment Station—			
Salaries	\$ 41,046.39		
Current expenses and equipment	40,123.06	\$ 90,169.45	
Horse Breeding Experimentation.		268.50	
Engineering Experiment Station—			
Salaries	\$ 6,058.34		
Current expenses and equipment	5,503.04	11,561.38	
Good Roads Experimentation—			
Salaries	5,528.32		
Current expenses and equipment	5,257.82	10,786.14	112,785.47
Buildings, Improvements and Equipment—			
Repair and Contingent fund.....		45,196.63	
Special Building Tax—			
Hall of Agriculture	17.26		
Engineering Hall Annex.....	533.86		
Domestic Technology building....	317.40		
Veterinary building	8,596.73		
Judging pavilion	353.84		
Gymnasium	78,620.54		
Mechanical Engineering Lab.....	12,978.95		
Transportation building	14.86	101,433.44	
Central Heating Plant.....		38,217.35	
Chemistry building		10,272.24	
Public Grounds Improvement.....		1,893.17	
Engineering Hall Annex Furniture.		186.63	
Additional department equipment..		30,350.56	
Room Rent		1,689.66	\$222,239.68
Hog Cholera Serum Fund—			
Net expenditures			\$ 2,520.39
Total expenditures for 1912-13..			\$848,867.89

(b) Expenditures for 1913-14.

Collegiate Support Fund—

Salaries, including administrative officers	\$294,601.88	
Department expenses and equipment	118,811.09	
Scholarship and other trust funds expended	1,362.50	
Administrative and general expenses	36,726.57	
Maintenance of buildings and grounds (including heat, light and janitor service for buildings and care and improvement of campus)	90,096.53	\$541,599.47

Non-Collegiate Support Fund—

Agriculture—

Salaries	\$ 23,420.06	
Current expenses and equipment	11,317.22	\$ 34,737.28
Home Economics—		
Salaries	\$ 5,598.29	
Current expenses and equipment..	1,939.67	7,537.96

Engineering Trade School—

Salaries	2,629.60	
Current expenses and equipment..	1,046.92	3,676.52

Practitioners' course—

Net expenditures	588.56	\$ 46,540.32
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Extension Work—

Agriculture—

Salaries of staff	\$ 43,673.51	
Current expenses and equipment.	29,770.12	\$ 73,443.63

Engineering—

Salaries	\$ 8,435.46	
Current expenses and equipment.	5,965.31	14,400.77
		\$ 87,844.40

Experiment Funds—

Agricultural Experiment Station—

Salaries	\$ 51,173.46	
Part payment on experiment farm	21,123.33	
Current expenses and equipment..	61,341.32	\$133,638.11

Horse Breeding Experimentation—

Feeding and care of horses	\$ 1,649.00	
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Engineering Experiment Station—

Salaries	\$ 6,195.71	
Current expenses and equipment .	7,067.07	13,262.78

Good Roads Experimentation—			
Salaries	\$ 4,166.48		
Current expenses and equipment .	4,962.36	9,128.84	
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Veterinary Investigations—			
Salaries	\$ 3,102.43		
Current expenses and equipment .	5,886.26	8,988.69	\$166,667.42
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Buildings, Improvements and Equip- ment—			
Repair and Contingent Fund		\$ 51,596.87	
Special Building Tax—			
Engineering Hall Annex	\$ 108.62		
Domestic Technology building ...	441.36		
Dairy building	606.48		
Veterinary building	972.99		
Judging pavilion	102.02		
Gymnasium	2,000.83		
Chemistry building	116,073.38		
Mechanical Engineering lab.	34,748.77		
Transportation building	49,801.69		
Girls' dormitory	1,531.18		
Horticultural laboratory	107.19	206,493.68	
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Central heating plant		16,994.28	
Chemistry building		56,208.90	
Public grounds improvement		4,179.86	
Additional department equipment.		12,269.90	
Equipment of departments and buildings		3,465.31	
Room rent		8,277.05	359,486.68
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Hog Cholera Serum Fund—			
Net expenditures for building and current current expenses			10,699.87
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Total expenditures for 1913-14 for all purposes			\$1,212,838.16

IV. BALANCES ON HAND JUNE 30, 1914.

In hands of College Treasurer—			
Collegiate Support Fund—			
General for departments (includ- ing working balance of \$25,000) \$	71,354.87		
Piano rental, special for music department	\$ 394.45		
Scholarship funds, subject to spe- cial provisions	591.72	\$ 72,341.04	
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Non-collegiate Support Funds—		
Agriculture	\$ 12,114.58	
Home Economics	240.04	
Engineering Trade School	3,013.75	
Practitioners' course	2,411.44	\$ 17,779.81
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Extension Work—		
Agriculture	\$ 14,944.02	
Engineering	5,072.53	\$ 20,016.55
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Experiment Funds—		
Agricultural Experiment Station ..	\$ 13,420.14	
Horse Breeding Experimentation...	6.69	
Engineering Experiment Station...	543.15	
Good Roads Experimentation	3,222.54	
Veterinary Investigations	11.31	\$ 17,203.83
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Buildings, Improvement and Equip- ment—		
Repair and Contingent fund	\$ 10,333.89	
Public Grounds Improvement	698.29	
Room rent	1,760.88	\$ 12,793.06
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Hog Cholera Serum Fund		\$ 21,779.74
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Total in hands of College Treasurer, not including Hospital balance re- ported elsewhere		\$161,914.03
In hands of State Treasurer—		
Special Building Tax, after deduct- ing all drafts of College Treasurer included by him in account for the biennial period		\$101,985.53
Balance of special appropriations for Chemistry building		58,518.86
Balance of appropriation for Central Heating Plant		13,005.72
Two Year Tax Fund—		
Maintenance and improvement of public grounds	\$ 6,000.00	
Enlargement of buildings and ad- ditional small buildings	6,000.00	
Equipment of departments and buildings	20,534.69	32,534.69
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Pure Bred Stock appropriation (old)		.44
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Total in hands of State Treasurer		\$206,045.24
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Total in hands of College and State Treasuries		\$367,959.27

SUMMARY.

Receipts—

Balances in College and State Treasuries July 1, 1912		\$ 262,699.58
Additional funds available in 1912-1913	\$1,021,674.44	
Additional funds available in 1913-1914	1,145,291.30	2,166,965.74
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Total funds available during biennial period from all sources and for all purposes		\$2,429,665.32

Expenditures—

During fiscal year 1912-1913	\$ 848,867.89	
During fiscal year 1913-1914	1,212,838.16	2,061,706.05
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Balances in College and State Treasuries June 30, 1914		367,959.27
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		\$2,429,665.32

V. HOSPITAL ACCOUNT AND SALES OF DEPARTMENTS.

(a) College Hospital Account.

Receipts—

Cash on hand July 1, 1912		\$ 2,835.08
Fees and charges paid by students and others, during 1912-1913	\$ 5,741.64	
Fees and charges paid by students and others, during 1913-1914	9,455.46	15,197.10
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Total available funds		\$ 18,032.18

Expenditures—

Expenses of maintenance for 1912-1913	\$ 4,432.62	
Expenses of maintenance for 1913-1914	9,886.60	\$ 14,319.22
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Cash on hand June 30, 1914		3,712.96
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		\$ 18,032.18

(b) Sales of Departments.

For the fiscal year 1912-1913	\$ 90,018.56
For the fiscal year 1913-1914	234,582.34
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Total	\$325,500.90

These sales are largely sales of the products of the serum plant, the farm, creamery, horticultural department and Experiment Station. The sales of each department are given in the Biennial Report of the Board of Education.

VI. NUMBER OF INSTRUCTORS AND ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS AND
STUDENT ENROLLMENT.

(a) Instructors and Officers.

	1912-1913	1913-1914
Collegiate Departments—		
Professors, Assistant Professors and Administrative Officers	106	126
Instructors and Assistants	87	103
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Total	193	229
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Non-Collegiate Departments—		
Professors, Assistant Professors and Administrative Officers	6	10
Instructors and Assistants	19	23
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Total	25	33
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(b) Student Enrollment.
For 1912-1913.

Division of Agriculture (including Home Economics)—		
Science and Agriculture	309	
Agronomy	61	
Animal Husbandry	217	
Dairying	41	
Horticulture and Forestry	42	
Agricultural Engineering	89	
Home Economics	321	
Agricultural Education	22	1,102
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Division of Veterinary Medicine		70
Division of Engineering—		
Civil Engineering	144	
Mechanical Engineering	138	
Electrical Engineering	181	
Mining Engineering	21	
Ceramics	6	
Industrial Chemistry	5	495
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Division of Science		74
Division of Music		9
Non-Collegiate Agricultural		218

Winter Short Course	729
Summer School	193
Special students, music	121
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Total	3,011
Less duplicates	129
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	2,882
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For 1913-1914.

Division of Agriculture—

Agriculture	377	
Agricultural Education	36	
Agricultural Engineering	135	
Agronomy	90	
Animal Husbandry	220	
Dairying	40	
Forestry	32	
Horticulture	24	954
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Division of Engineering—

Agricultural Engineering	135	
Chemical Engineering	11	
Civil Engineering	150	
Electrical Engineering	188	
Mechanical Engineering	146	
Mining Engineering	13	
Ceramics	4	
Structure Design	3	650
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Division of Home Economics

446

Division of Science

91

Division of Veterinary Medicine

77

Division of Music

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Non-Collegiate—

Agriculture	230	
Dairying	45	
Engineering Trade School	22	
Home Economics	24	321
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Summer School

215

Special students, music

132

Winter Short Courses—

Agronomy and Animal Husbandry .	462	
Creamerymen	115	
Farm Dairying	27	
Painters	57	
Engineering	51	
Highway Engineering	81	
Home Economics	54	847
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Total

3,740

Less duplicates—

Agricultural Engineering	135	
Summer School	63	
Music	84	282
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		3,458
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Respectfully submitted,

E. W. STANTON,
Secretary.

Iowa State College of Agriculture
and Mechanic Arts.

IOWA STATE TEACHERS' COLLEGE SPECIAL FINANCIAL REPORT,
FISCAL PERIOD JULY 1, 1912, TO JUNE 30, 1914.

To the Members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

GENTLEMEN.—The officers of the Iowa State Teachers' College have already filed a report concerning the fiscal affairs of this State Educational Institution with the State Board of Education.

It is necessary to refer to this for additional details should they be desired. This report is in conformity to Chapter 104, Laws of the Thirtieth General Assembly. It contains the summaries of the several funds for the fiscal period.

REPORT OF SECRETARY.

TO THE PRESIDENT.—I submit herewith my biennial report for two years ending June 30, 1914:

FINANCIAL STATEMENT TAKEN FROM THE RECORDS—SUPPORT OF SCHOOL,
FOR YEAR 1912-13.

Amounts on hand in the different funds, July 1,
1912:

Teachers' fund	\$ 973.96
Contingent fund	7,845.87
Library fund	4,709.12
Librarians' salary fund	5,361.72
Hospital fund	20.10
Millage fund	8,260.76
Paving, walks and improvement fund.....	254.92
Students' contingent fund	553.97
Summer contingent fund	7,393.36
Commencement contingent fund	1,272.23
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	\$ 36,646.01

Received from State Appropriations, for one year,
1912-13:

Teachers' fund, permanent	\$109,500.00
Contingent fund, permanent	48,000.00
Summer term fund, permanent	11,000.00

Library fund, permanent	5,000.00	
Librarians' salary fund, permanent	7,000.00	
Hospital fund, permanent	1,250.00	
Millage fund, one-tenth mill tax	75,000.00	
Pipe organ fund	5,000.00	
		\$261,750.00
Received from other sources for one year, 1912-13:		
Contingent Fund, material sold	\$ 1,489.91	
Contingent Fund, interest on general daily balance	780.22	
Contingent Fund, Independent School District, Cedar Falls, tuition		
	4,961.53	
Library Fund, fines and lost books	60.93	
Hospital Fund, insurance fees	258.00	
Hospital Fund, received from patients	446.85	
Pipe Organ Fund, Lecture Committee	5,045.85	
Pipe Organ Fund, Alumni and Glee Club	324.40	
Pipe Organ Fund, M. P. Moller, for incidentals ..	45.51	
Students' Contingent Fund, fees collected	19,738.55	
Summer Contingent Fund, fees collected	4,286.50	
Commencement Contingent Fund, fees collected .	696.00	
		\$ 38,134.15
Transfers between funds—no additional income:		
Teachers' Fund from Students' Contingent Fund		\$ 10,126.04
Contingent Fund from Summer Contingent Fund		1,475.02
Summer Term Fund from Summer Contingent Fund		5,821.64
Pipe Organ Fund from Students' Contingent Fund		1,250.00
Students' Contingent Fund from Pipe Organ Fund		1,250.00
		\$ 19,922.70

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Amount on hand July 1, 1912	\$ 36,646.01	
State appropriations	261,750.00	
Other sources	38,134.15	
Transfers between funds	19,922.70	
		\$356,452.86

SUPPORT OF SCHOOL FOR YEAR 1913-14.

Received from State Appropriations, for one year, 1913-14:		
Teachers' Fund, permanent	\$129,500.00	
Contingent Fund, permanent	63,000.00	
Summer Term Fund, permanent	16,000.00	
Library Fund, permanent	5,000.00	
Librarians' Salary Fund, permanent	7,000.00	
Hospital Fund, permanent	1,250.00	
Millage Fund, one-tenth mill tax	65,191.18	
Paving, Walks and Improvement Fund	900.00	
Furniture Fund	2,500.00	
		\$290,341.18

Received from other sources for one year, 1913-14:

Contingent Fund, Independent School District ..\$	3,159.64
Contingent Fund, District No. 5	534.68
Contingent Fund, Interest on daily balance	62.41
Pipe Organ Fund, concert	192.00
Students' Contingent Fund, fees	16,127.25
Summer Contingent Fund, fees	6,749.60
Commencement Contingent Fund, fees	644.00
Commencement Contingent Fund, play	381.83
Commencement Contingent Fund, Alumni	35.75

General Fund—

Contingent Receipts	1,470.74
Interest on general daily balance	1,233.75
Material Receipts	175.45
Hospital Receipts	640.62
Library Receipts	110.29

\$ 31,518.01

Transfers:

Millage Fund from Furniture Fund	\$ 228.60
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State Appropriations	\$290,341.18
Other sources	31,518.01
Transfers from other funds	228.60

\$322,087.79

RECAPITULATION OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

For the Biennial Period July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1914.

Funds.	Disbursements.	Receipts.	Cr. Balances.
Teachers' Fund	\$250,100.00	\$250,100.00
Contingent Fund	122,076.15	131,309.28	\$ 9,233.13
Summer Term	27,821.64	32,821.64	5,000.00
Library	11,005.13	14,770.05	3,764.92
Librarians' Salary	15,831.85	19,361.72	3,529.87
Hospital Fund	3,159.17	3,224.95	65.78
Millage Fund	137,497.62	148,680.54	11,182.92
Paving, Walks and Improvement ..	804.11	1,154.92	350.81
Pipe Organ	11,857.66	11,857.66
*Students' Contingent	11,890.01	37,669.77	25,779.76
Summer Contingent	15,193.20	18,429.46	3,236.26
Commencement Contingent	2,008.79	3,029.81	1,021.02
General Fund	3,630.85	3,630.85
Furniture	2,077.04	2,500.00	422.96
	<u>\$611,322.37</u>	<u>\$678,540.65</u>	<u>\$67,218.28</u>

*To be used in Study Center work for teachers in service during 1914-15.

STATISTICAL INFORMATION.

Faculty of Instruction:

Rank.	1912-13.	1913-14.
President	1	1
Head Professors	18	18
Professors	35	38
Assistant Professors	14	15
Instructors	20	25
Assistants	10	13
Student Assistants	15	16
	113	126
	1912-13.	1913-14.
Normal and College Course students	2692	2978
Training School pupils	530	517
	3222	3495

Respectfully submitted,
 HOMER H. SEERLEY,
President.

THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA, IOWA CITY—SPECIAL REPORT
 OF THE SECRETARY OF THE UNIVERSITY TO THE THIRTY-
 SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY, 1912-1913—JANUARY 1, 1914.

THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.

IOWA CITY.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
 JANUARY 1, 1914.

To the Members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

I submit herewith my special report for the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 104, Acts of the Thirtieth General Assembly.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. BATES,
Acting Secretary of the University

IOWA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

W. H. Gemmill, Secretary, Des Moines.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD.

Terms Expire July 1, 1919.

Parker K. Holbrook, Onawa.
 Charles R. Brenton, Dallas Center.
 D. D. Murphy, Elkader.

Terms Expire July 1, 1915.

James H. Trewin, Cedar Rapids.
 Roger Leavitt, Cedar Falls.
 Edwin P. Schoentgen, Council Bluffs.

Terms Expire July 1, 1917.

A. B. Funk, Spirit Lake.
 George T. Baker, Davenport.
 Henry M. Eicher, Washington.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

William R. Boyd, President, Cedar Rapids.
 Thomas Lambert, Sabula.
 W. H. Gemmill, Secretary, Des Moines.

OFFICERS OF THE UNIVERSITY.

John G. Bowman, President.
 W. H. Bates, Acting Secretary.
 W. J. McChesney, Treasurer.

THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.

IOWA CITY.

Statement of the receipts and disbursements for the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913.

RECEIPTS.

Funds for the erection of buildings, etc.—	
(See page 6).....	\$214,650.91
Income Fund—	
(See page 7).....	558,537.96
Special Funds—	
(See page 8).....	51,856.05
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Total receipts	\$825,044.92

The A. Whitney Carr Free Scholarship Interest Fund, the F. O. Lowden Oratory Prize Fund, the W. J. Bryan Prize Interest Fund, the Mark Ranney Memorial Interest Fund, the Waite Lowry Gifford Memorial Interest Fund, are not shown in the statement, as these funds are held in trust by the University—the income going to pay scholarships, prizes, etc., and in no way affecting the University's income.

The hospital funds are not included in the above statement. For accounts of these funds see pages 9 and 15.

Funds for the erection of buildings, etc.—

DISBURSEMENTS.

Building Tax Fund (See page 10) ..	\$126,967.40
Repr. and Contg. Fund (See page 10)	22,106.14
Eq. and Supplies Fund (See page 11)	7,901.08

Eq. New Law Building Fund (see page 11)	516.49	
Eq. New Bldgs. Fund (See page 11)	36,150.88	\$193,641.99
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Income Fund (See page 12)		\$472,945.47
Special Funds—		
Library Fund (See page 14)	\$ 17,615.61	
Special Land Fund (see page 14) ..	\$ 17,615.61	
Paving, Sidewalk and Campus Fund (See page 14).....	4,842.20	\$ 31,052.68
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Total disbursements		\$697,640.14

BALANCES IN UNIVERSITY TREASURY, JUNE 30, 1913.

Funds for the erection of buildings, etc.—		
Building Tax Fund	\$ 21,331.24	
Equipment and Supplies Fund	50.64	
Income Fund (excluding hospital balances)	85,592.49	
Special Funds—		
Library Fund	4,660.36	
Special Land Fund	15,418.56	
Donated Land Fund	722.37	
Paving, Sidewalks and Campus Fund	2.08	
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	\$127,777.74	
Less—		
Repair and Contingent Fund (overdrawn)	\$ 338.55	
Eq. New Buildings Fund (overdrawn)	34.41	
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	\$ 372.96	\$127,404.78

The University has no balances in departments to report, since any unexpended balances in departmental appropriations revert to Income Fund at the close of each fiscal year.

Total receipts, as shown		\$825,044.92
Total disbursements	\$697,640.14	
Balances	\$127,404.78	
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	\$825,044.92	\$825,044.92

Amount of moneys available from all sources, during the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913, for the erection, equipment, improvement, and repair of buildings at the University.

1-5 Mill Building Tax Fund—

(34th G. A., Chapter 201, Sec. 1.)

Balance in Building Tax Fund July 1, 1912.....	\$ 22,588.37
Received—State Warrants	125,000.00
Received—Sale of old material	710.27
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\$148,298.64

Repair and Contingent Fund—

Balance in Fund, July 1, 1912	1,660.52
Received—State Warrants—	
(32d G. A., Chapter 212, Sec. 2)	7,500.00
(33d G. A., Chapter 244, Sec. 1)	7,500.00
(34th G. A., Chapter 200, Sec. 1)	5,000.00
Received—sale of old material	103.30
Received—cancelled warrants	3.77

\$ 21,767.59

Equipment and Supplies Fund—

Balance in Fund, July 1, 1912	\$ 412.31
Received—State Warrants—	
(34th G. A., Chapter 212, Sec. 2)	7,500.00
Received—cancelled warrants	39.41

\$ 7,951.72

Equipment New Building Fund—

Balance in Fund, July 1, 1912	\$ 10,331.32
Received—State Warrants—	
(34th G. A., Chapter 212, Sec. 2)	25,500.00
Received—sale of old material	114.08
Received—transfer from Equipment New Law Building Fund	171.07

\$ 36,116.47

Equipment New Law Building, Etc., Fund—

Balance in Fund, July 1, 1912	\$ 516.49
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Total

\$214,650.91

Receipts from all sources, during the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913, going to make up the "Income Fund" of the University, except hospital receipts.

State Appropriations for support—

Thirty-second General Assembly, Chapter 212, Section 2	\$256,875.00
Thirty-second General Assembly, Chapter 214, Section 2	43,750.00
Thirty-third General Assembly, Chapter 244, Section 1	27,500.00
Thirty-fourth General Assembly, Chapter 200, Section 1	25,000.00
Thirty-fourth General Assembly, Chapter 200, Section 1	98,200.00

\$451,325.00

Tuition—

College of Liberal Arts	\$ 19,745.25
College of Applied Science	3,346.00
College of Law	10,844.00

College of Medicine	4,746.50	
College of Homeopathic Medicine	625.00	
College of Dentistry	9,393.25	
College of Pharmacy	2,455.00	
College of Fine Arts	7,512.50	
Graduate College	370.00	
Summer Session	1,227.00	\$ 60,264.50
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Diploma Fees		\$ 3,853.00
Ophthalmology and Otology receipts		1,297.27
Dental Clinic receipts		6,361.84
Law Loan Book account		327.50
Engineering Testing Laboratory account		11.45
Miscellaneous cash—rents—materials sold, laboratory breakage, deposits net, locker rentals, etc.		1,340.17
Interest on daily bank balance		2,559.96
Interest on Permanent Land Fund		12,635.55
Warrants cancelled		520.10
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Total		\$540,496.34
Balance on hand July 1, 1912		\$ 18,041.62
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		\$558,537.96

Amount of moneys available for special purposes, not connected with "erection, equipment, improvement, and repair of buildings," or going to make up the "Income Fund" of the University, during the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913.

Library Fund—

(34th G. A., Chapter 200, Sec. 1)

Balance in Fund, July 1, 1912	\$ 347.47
Received—State Warrants	21,875.00
Received—sale of books, etc.	53.50
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\$ 22,275.97

Special Land Fund—

(34th G. A., Chapter 212, Sec. 2)

Balance in Fund, July 1, 1912	\$ 1,706.52
Received—State Warrants	20,000.00
Received—rents and property sold	2,306.91
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\$ 24,013.43

Donated Land Fund—

Balance in Fund, July 1, 1912	92.37
Received—rents, etc.	630.00
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\$ 722.37

Paving, Sidewalks and Campus Fund—

(34th G. A., Chapter 212, Sec. 2)

Received—State Warrants	\$ 5,000.00	
Overdrawn on Fund, July 1, 1912	155.72	
		<u>\$ 4,844.28</u>
		\$ 51,856.05

The A. Whitney Carr Free Scholarship Interest Fund, the F. O. Lowden Oratory Prize Interest Fund, the W. J. Bryan Prize Interest Fund, the Mark Ranney Memorial Interest Fund, the Waite Lowry Gifford Memorial Interest Fund, are not shown in the statement, as these funds are held in trust by the University, the interest going to pay scholarships, prizes, etc., and in no way affecting the University's income.

Hospital receipts at the University for the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913:

University Hospital—

Balance to credit of hospital, July 1, 1912		\$ 1,305.93
Hospital earnings	\$ 41,622.26	
Nurses' earnings outside of hospital	1,108.60	
Operating room fees	4,305.00	
		<u>\$ 47,035.86</u>
		\$ 48,341.79
Balance overdrawn, June 30, 1913		<u>4,802.41</u>
		\$ 53,144.20

University Homeopathic Hospital—

Hospital earnings	\$ 6,048.95	
Nurses' earnings outside of Hospital	158.00	
Operating room fees	601.50	
		<u>\$ 6,808.45</u>
Balance overdrawn, June 30, 1913.....		<u>1,161.89</u>
		\$ 7,970.34

Expenditures from funds for the "erection, equipment, improvement and repair of buildings" at the University, during the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913.

1-5 Mill Building Tax Fund—

Expended for the erection of the Physics Building	\$ 30,650.35	
Expended for the erection of the University Hospital Extension	1,894.10	
Expended for the erection of the Woman's Building	62,913.94	
Expended for the erection of the Hospital Heating Plant	30,309.01	
(For detailed account of the expenditures on these buildings, see Secretary's printed annual report.)		
Superintendent of Construction—part salary	1,200.00	
		<u>\$126,967.40</u>
Total expenditures		21,331.24
Balance on hand, June 30, 1913		<u>\$148,298.64</u>

Repair and Contingent Fund—

General repairs	7,133.05	
Plumbing repairs	574.25	
Electrical repairs	1,117.20	
Armory repairs	223.88	
Engineering Building, repairs and painting	86.69	
Dental Building, repairs and painting	28.90	
Chemistry Building, repairs and painting	79.80	
Medical Building, repairs and painting	174.78	
Green House, repairs and painting	55.83	
Heating Plant, repairs and painting	470.38	
Law Building, repairs and painting	47.84	
L. A. Building, repairs and painting	234.35	
Natural Science Building, repairs and painting ..	44.69	
Old Capitol, repairs and painting	88.23	
Physics Building, repairs and painting	247.28	
President's Home, repairs and painting	180.50	
University Hospital, repairs and painting	1,181.88	
Homeopathic Hospital, repairs and painting	304.27	
Steam Lab. Building, repairs and painting	124.00	
Care of Athletic Park, repairs and painting....	240.26	
Care of Campus, repairs and painting	493.03	
Care of Tennis Courts, repairs and painting	46.46	
Engineering Shops—wrecking	431.23	
Physics Building, grading	1,311.31	
University plumber, salary	1,045.00	
Hospital tunnel	4,017.07	
Heating plant well	1,886.05	
Steam mains	237.93	
Total expenditures		\$ 22,106.14
Balance overdrawn, June 30, 1913		338.55
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		\$ 21,767.59

Equipment and Supplies Fund—

College of Applied Science—equipment	\$ 1,226.35	
Department of Physics—equipment	2,590.67	
College of Dentistry—equipment	232.45	
Zoology Museum—equipment	217.17	
University Hosp. drug room—equipment	939.91	
University Hosp., X-Ray Dept.—equipment.....	1,760.17	
University Hosp. Path. Lab.—equipment	90.97	
University Hosp. general equipment	240.00	
Electrical supplies	568.55	
Plumbing supplies	34.84	
Total expenditures		\$ 7,901.08
Balance on hand June 30, 1913.....		50.64
Equipment New Buildings Fund—		
Physics Building—equipment	22,413.99	
University Hosp. Extension—equipment.....	6,208.47	

Dept. of Electrical Eng.—equipment.....	2,166.21	
Dept. of Mechanical Eng.—equipment.....	657.19	
Research Lab. University Hosp.—equipment	4,705.02	
		<u>\$ 36,150.88</u>
Balance overdrawn June 30, 1913		\$ 34.41
Total		<u>\$ 36,116.47</u>
Equipment Law Building, Etc., Fund—		
Law Building—equipment	\$ 345.42	
Transferred to Equipment New Buildings Fund	171.07	
		<u>\$ 516.49</u>
Total expenditures		\$ 516.49
Expenditures from Income Fund for the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913. (See an itemized account of all disbursements summarized below, see Secretary's printed annual report.)		
Cost of Instruction—		
College of Liberal Arts.....	\$156,645.00	
College of Applied Science.....	33,000.00	
College of Law—.....	19,475.00	
College of Medicine.....	51,222.31	
College of Homeopathic Medicine.....	3,150.00	
College of Dentistry	20,049.24	
College of Pharmacy	5,400.00	
Graduate College	6,490.00	
Summer Session	7,955.07	
		<u>\$303,386.62</u>
Total cost of instruction		\$303,386.62
Cost of Administration—		
Salaries	\$ 20,101.65	
Supplies and assistance	3,137.83	
		<u>\$ 23,239.48</u>
Total cost of administration		\$ 23,239.48
General Library—		
Salaries	\$ 8,280.00	
Supplies and assistance	1,589.47	
		<u>\$ 9,869.47</u>
Total library expenditures from Income Fund		\$ 9,869.47
(Books, periodicals, etc., are paid for from the special library appropriation. See p. 14.)		
Cost of Apparatus and Supplies of Departments—		
College of Liberal Arts.....	\$ 11,266.21	
College of Law	182.20	
College of Medicine	9,346.34	
College of Homeopathic Medicine.....	96.00	
College of Dentistry	5,398.54	
College of Pharmacy	1,860.53	
Graduate College	349.01	
Summer Session	120.00	
		<u>\$ 28,618.83</u>
Total cost of apparatus and supplies of departments		\$ 28,618.83

Alumni Bureau—

Salaries	\$ 2,708.45	
Supplies, stenographic services, etc.	343.31	
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Total cost of Alumni Bureau.....		\$ 3,051.76
University Extension Expenses		\$ 672.60
Law Loan Book Account		75.15
Fixed Charges, or General Expenditures—such as fuel, light, janitor service, engineer, fireman, etc.		96,878.60
Tuitions—School of Music.....		6,960.00
Engineering Testing Laboratory		22.96
Tuitions refunded		170.00
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Total expenditures from Income Fund.....		\$472,945.47
Balance on hand June 30, 1913.....		\$ 85,592.49
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		\$588,537.96

Expenditures for special purposes, not connected with the "erection, equipment, improvement, and repair of buildings" or going to make up the Income Fund of the University during the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913.

Library Fund—

Expended for books, periodicals, and bindings as set out in the Secretary's printed annual re- port	\$ 17,615.61
Balance on hand, June 30, 1913.....	4,660.36

\$ 22,275.97

Special Land Fund—

Expended for land, as set out in the Secretary's printed annual report	\$ 8,594.87
Balance on hand, June 30, 1913.....	15,418.56

\$ 24,013.43

Donated Land Fund—

Balance on hand, June 30, 1913.....	\$ 722.37
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Paving and Sidewalks Fund—

Expended for paving and cement walks.....	\$ 4,842.20
Balance on hand, June 30, 1913.....	2.08

\$ 4,844.28

Expenditures from hospital receipts for the year commenced July 1, 1912, and ended June 30, 1913.

University Hospital—

Salaries	\$ 11,349.50
Help	7,522.93
Provisions	17,736.63
Household	10,054.98
Medicine	6,480.16

Total expenditures

\$ 53,144.20

University Homeopathic Hospital—

Salaries	\$ 1,565.00
Help	868.60
Provisions	3,253.35
Household	1,811.33
Medicine	472.06

Total expenditures \$ 7,970.34

STAFF OF INSTRUCTION.

1912-13.

Number of professors	63
Number of assistant professors	36
Number of instructors and assistant instructors	49
Number of fellows	12
Number of scholars	21
Number of lecturers	13

NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED DURING REGULAR ACADEMIC YEAR.

	Men	Women	Total
College of Liberal Arts.....	610	559	1,169
College of Law	225	0	225
College of Medicine	97	2	99
Training School for Nurses	0	17	17
College of Homeopathic Medicine.....	13	1	14
Training School for Nurses	0	16	16
College of Dentistry	174	5	179
College of Pharmacy	47	2	49
Graduate College	145	112	257
College of Applied Science	177	0	177
College of Fine Arts	27	104	131
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	1,515	881	2,396
Duplicates	98	43	141
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Total for entire year 1912-13, including
Summer Session, without duplicates. 1,417 838 2,255

Senator Arney offered the following concurrent resolution and moved its adoption:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That when we adjourn on Thursday, January 14th, it shall be until Tuesday, January 19th, at 10:00 o'clock, A. M.

By unanimous consent taken up, considered and adopted.

Senator Chase was called to the chair at 10:20 A. M.

On request of Senator Larrabee leave of absence was granted Senator Allen until tomorrow.

MOTION TO ELECT PRESIDENT PRO TEM.

Senator Savage stated that it would be necessary for the Senate to elect a President pro tem., and moved that the Senate proceed to such an election at this time.

Carried.

Senator Savage placed in nomination for President pro tem. of the Senate, Senator L. E. Crist.

Those voting for Senator Crist were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—48.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Crist.

So Senator Crist was declared duly elected President pro tem. of the Senate.

Senator Francis moved that Senator Savage be selected as a committee of one to escort Senator Crist to the chair.

Carried.

Senator Savage presented President pro tem. Crist to the Senate and on assuming the chair Senator Crist spoke as follows :

Senators, I thank you for this recognition in electing me President pro tem of the Senate of Iowa. I appreciate this distinguished office. I trust, however, that I will not be called upon many times to discharge these duties, for we will have with us the distinguished services of our Governor. Whenever I am called upon, I will discharge the duties with impartiality to the best of my ability. I thank you.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House :

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has adopted the report of the Joint Committee on Inauguration in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

The following committee clerks appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn:

Amy N. Purvis.
Lois Elwood.
F. H. Boardman.

Senator Chase moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:15 tomorrow afternoon.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 14, 1915.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:15 P. M., President pro tem., A. C. Savage, presiding.

The Journal of January 13th was taken up, corrected and approved.

President pro tem. Savage appointed Senators Larrabee and Wilson to escort Senator L. E. Crist to the bar of the Senate.

Senator Crist, President pro tem., appeared before the bar of the Senate and was duly sworn.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Relative to adjournment until Tuesday, January 19th.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

RESOLUTION BY SENATOR QUIGLEY.

Senator Quigley offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of Iowa, That, in view of the fact that the Governor of the State of Iowa has, in his message to the

joint assembly, imputed graft to this body, that the President of the Senate appoint a committee consisting of five members of the Senate, three to be Republicans and two to be Democrats, for the purpose of investigating what foundation, if any, exists for the said charge.

That the said committee be empowered to require the attendance of such witnesses as they deem necessary to determine the said matters, and report their findings or recommendations to the Senate, at the earliest possible moment.

Passed on file.

Secretary of Senate announced the following assignment of seats in the Press Gallery:

No. 55—J. S. Woodhouse, General Correspondent.

No. 62—American Press Association.

RESOLUTION BY SENATOR DORAN.

Senator Doran offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, All the doorkeepers of the Senate are old soldiers, as provided by law, and the natural gratitude of the people of Iowa;

AND WHEREAS, the Governor, in his message, made reference to the amount paid for their services as "pure and unadulterated graft," and that they "doze in these galleries," etc., be it therefore,

Resolved, That we do not share his apparent disgust and intolerance of the old soldier; and be it further

Resolved, That that portion of the message be expunged from the record of the Senate.

Passed on file.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on examination of committee clerks, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

We, your committee to examine the applicants for committee clerks as to their qualifications for positions, according to the resolution passed by

the Senate, beg leave to report that we have made such examination of the following named persons and find them qualified for the position:

Emma Anderson	Senator Boe
F. H. Boardman	Senator Arney
Winifred Laffer	Senator Laffer
Rae McGrady	Senator Whitmore
J. T. McGuire	Senator Sheean
Carl Perry	Senator Ream
Francis Stevens.....	Senator Chase
Nellie White	Senator White
Maud E. Johnson	Senator Thompson
Wm. E. Beigel	Senator Caswell
Elizabeth Mitchell	Senator Clarkson.

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Adopted.

The following committee clerks appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn:

Rae McGrady.	Francis Stevens
Nellie White.	Wm. E. Beigel.
Winifred Laffer.	J. T. McGuire.
Emma V. Anderson.	Maud C. Johnson.
Carl Perry.	Elizabeth Mitchell.

On request of Senator Nye leave of absence was granted Senator Fellows for the day.

A committee from the House appeared and notified the Senate that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint session.

The President pro tem. announced that the Senate would proceed to the House under the direction of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

The Senate proceeded to the House.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Pursuant to adjournment, the joint session reconvened, the Hon. L. E. Crist, President pro tempore, presiding.

The roll was then called and the following members responded:

Allen, Anderson of Davis, Anderson of Greene, Anderson of Montgomery, Anderson of Winnebago, Arney, Atkinson, Bailey, Balkema, Ball, Barry, Bauman, Becker, Bingham, Boe, Brady, Brammer, Bruce, Chase, Clark, Clarkson, Coakley, Cochrane, Craven, Crist, Crozier, Darrah of Franklin, Darrah of Lucas, Doran, Durant, Eggleston, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Freeman, Garton, Gilbert, Gillette, Gilmore, Grason, Gray, Greene of Clinton, Greene of Grundy, Griffin, Grout, Hadley, Hagemann, Hale, Hall, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Holbert, Horchem, Ingwersen, Jamison, Jessen, Johnston of Humboldt, Johnston of Lucas, Jones of Cerro Gordo, Jones of Dickinson, Jones of Montgomery, Kane, Kepple, Kimball, Klinker, Kopp, Laffer, Larrabee, Lenocker, Lindly, Lueders, McDermid, McFarlane, McFerren, Mackie, Michael, Miller, Moore, Murray, Neff, Nicholson, Nordyke, Nye, Oldenburg, Parker, Perkins, Petersen, Purdy, Rayburn, Ream, Rees of Fremont, Reese of Wright, Richards, Ring, Robinson, Rogers, Rone, Rowles, Savage, Sawyer, Schmedika, Schrup, Shaeffer, Sheean, Shortess, Slaughter, Smith, Spotts, Steelsmith, Stokes, Stone, Sullivan, Swain, Swenson, Taylor of Buchanan, Taylor of Van Buren, Thomas, Thompson of Decatur, Thompson of Des Moines, Tucker, Turner, Voorhees, Wayman, Wenstrand, Whitmore, Wigdahl, Wilson of Appanoose, Wilson of Cherokee, Wilson of Louisa, Wilson of Mahaska, Wilson of Mitchell, Witthauer, White of Benton, White of Iowa—140.

Those absent were:

Bronson, Buxton, Caswell, Coast, Doze, Elwood, Enger, Fellows, Helming, Herman, Jackson, Kelso, Kimberly, Lee, Munro, Pitt, Quigley, Roberts—18.

The tellers reported as follows:

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 14, A. D. 1915.

MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE JOINT CONVENTION.—Your tellers, appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives to canvass the vote cast for candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, at the election held November 3, 1914, beg leave to make the following report of the total vote cast for Governor:

	<i>Votes.</i>
George W. Clarke	207,881
John T. Hamilton	182,036
George C. White	16,796
Oliver C. Wilson	9,029
Malcolm Smith	6,837
Total	422,579

And the total vote cast for Lieutenant Governor at the election held November 3, 1914:

W. L. Harding	212,201
Oliver P. Myers	164,040
Harry B. Betty	15,688
Oscar H. Hoy	8,955
Thurlow P. Taft	6,459
John Theroff	1
W. O. Bade	1
Total	407,345

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

G. E. HILSINGER,

W. O. COAST,

Judges.

F. P. HAGEMANN,

H. I. FOSKETT,

D. C. STEELSMITH,

W. F. KOPP,

Tellers.

On motion report was adopted.

President Crist of the joint convention announced that George W. Clarke, having received the highest number of votes cast for Governor, was duly elected to the office of Governor of the State of Iowa for the ensuing term, or until his successor is duly elected and qualified, and that W. L. Harding was duly elected to the office of Lieutenant Governor for the ensuing term, or until his successor is duly elected and qualified.

President Crist of the joint convention then directed the abstract of votes and certificate of election to be filed with the Secretary of State.

The following certificates were signed in the presence of the joint convention:

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 14, A. D. 1915.

This is to certify that upon a canvass in joint convention of the two houses of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Iowa of the votes cast at the general election held November 3, 1914, for Governor of

the State of Iowa, it appeared that George W. Clarke received the highest number of all votes cast for any candidate at said election for said office, and was therefore declared duly elected to said office for the term of two years and until his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Signed in the presence of the joint convention this 14th day of January, A. D. 1915.

L. E. CRIST,

*President pro tempore of the Senate and
President of the Joint Convention.*

W. I. ATKINSON,
Speaker of the House.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Teller of the Senate.

W. O. COAST,
Teller of the House.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Clerk of the House and Clerk of the Joint Convention.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 14, A. D. 1915.

This is to certify that upon a canvass in joint convention of the two houses of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of the state of Iowa of the votes cast at the general election held November 3, 1914, for the office of Lieutenant Governor of the state of Iowa, it appeared that Wm. L. Harding received the highest number of all votes cast for any candidate at said election for said office, and was thereupon declared duly elected to said office for the term of two years and until his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Signed in the presence of the joint convention this 14th day of January, A. D. 1915.

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Teller of the House.

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Clerk of the House and Clerk of the Joint Convention.

Francis of Dickinson moved that a committee of three be appointed to notify the Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the official result of the canvass of the votes.

Motion prevailed.

President Crist named as such committee Senator Francis of Dickinson, Representatives Wenstrand of Page and Lenocker of Madison.

Francis of Dickinson of the joint committee appointed to notify the Governor and Lieutenant Governor of their election, made the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT.—As a committee appointed at the joint session to inform Honorable George W. Clarke and Honorable William L. Harding of their election to the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor, respectively, we beg leave to report that we have performed the duty assigned to us and that each officer named assured us that he stands ready to assume the duties of his office.

L. E. FRANCIS,
On the part of the Senate.
ALFRED WENSTRAND,
R. A. LENOCKER,
On the part of the House.

Motion prevailed and the report was adopted.

Senator Savage was called to the chair and presided during the inaugural ceremonies.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced the arrival of the Governor and his staff, Governor-elect Clarke and Lieutenant Governor-elect Harding, who were escorted to the Speaker's station.

The following program, as arranged by the committee, was carried out:

Music by Professor T. Fred Henry's Orchestra.

Invocation, Reverend Charles S. Medbury, Des Moines.

Our loving Father Who art in Heaven, we are grateful for the privileges of a service so sacred as this. And we pray, Our heavenly Father, that coming into this service, the merely formal, the merely perfunctory, may be lost sight of, and the dignity of it reach the heart of every man, woman and child of our commonwealth. May we here by petition, Almighty God, have the blessing and the favor of Heaven upon the state we love. We thank Thee for a sacred history in which, Lord, are the lives of all men and women,—the named and the unnamed of earth are one record in the lowly sphere in the Lamb's Book of Life. And Our Father, we thank Thee for the recent years; we thank Thee for the years that have culminated; we thank Thee for the worthy administration of which the state may well be proud. We thank Thee today that without regard to party lines, without regard to affiliations, there is a thought of gladness in the hearts and minds of all that Iowa has taken no backward steps; that its forces are enabled by ideals to increase the worthy state of all men, by making rich the poor, by making strong the weak, by making mighty the lowly; that Thy holy humanitarianism will come to have increased emphasis.

We thank Thee for our Christian governor, Our Father. We thank Thee for the lives that have brought honor to his name. We thank Thee for the courage of his convictions. We thank Thee for the openness of his life. We thank Thee that there has become attached to him no suggestion of unworthy motives, seeking only self or personal aggrandizement.

And, O Lord, as this man, this servant of the people, comes to this position, may we recognize that it is Thee Who has called him. May the boons of Heaven's favor rest upon him, and the opportunity of industry mark every day on the pages of the history of our lovely land.

Father we pray not only for Governor Clarke, but for all his associates; for the state officers; the senators and representatives of this general assembly; and for the goodness and greatness of all our men and all our women and on our cities and towns. And when the scroll is unrolled, and we look back over the history we have made, may we find that every man has used his energy and ability, and that every woman has lent her grace and charm to make a great commonwealth. And so we pray, Our heavenly Father, as lovers of good, that the good may go on, in the name of Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Selection by Drake University Male Quartette.

Cornet Solo, Professor T. Fred Henry.

Group of Songs, Miss Frances Clarke.

Administration of oath of office to Governor George W. Clarke and Lieutenant Governor William L. Harding, elect, by Chief Justice Horace E. Deemer.

Inaugural address by Governor George W. Clarke.

INAUGURAL ADDRESS OF GOV. GEORGE W. CLARKE

Delivered to the Thirty-sixth Session of the General Assembly,
January, 1915.

Members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly and Fellow Citizens:

While I am not insensible to the high honor conferred upon me by a re-election to the office of Governor of Iowa, yet I do not come to this day and this gathering in this chamber of the representative men and women of the commonwealth with any exaltation of spirit, but rather with a deep sense of obligation which the honor imposes upon me. I regard the ceremony of this hour to be not for the purpose of conferring distinction upon any one but an assembling of the people here through their chosen representatives to dedicate, consecrate to their service two years of the life of a fellow-citizen. A great state speaks here today in hope. I wish I could realize in service rendered the hope of an intelligent people devoted to human welfare. But ideals so far outrun realization that I know that it is impossible. While I am thus impressed with the occasion, the natural instincts of my mind and heart respond in sincere gratefulness to the people of Iowa, not simply because they have conferred upon me again the office,—there is something better in the abstract than that—but because I seem still to have in some measure their confidence.

Frequently, upon occasions of this kind, opportunity is taken to discuss matters relating to national politics. Doubtless this is because the office is sometimes regarded as having quite a large relation to that subject. I have never had exactly that conception of it. It rather appeals to me as

having a very vital relation to the business of the state, to the development and up-building of it in all its great interests and to the common good of the people, not only as citizens of Iowa, but with reference to the contribution the state may make to the sum total of the Great Republic.

What may have appropriateness at this time, it is somewhat difficult to determine. The interest of the world is absorbed in the gigantic war going on in Europe. Our people are contributing to the relief of suffering occasioned by it. The people may take note of it, it seems to me, on an occasion like this, and if I say something about it, and the attitude of mind that it seems to me should prevail among our people with reference to it, I trust it may not be deemed amiss.

Two years ago when we assembled here upon a similar occasion the world was at peace. The great nations of the earth were engaged in the upbuilding of the world. Their commerce covered the seas and the ports of the world welcomed every flag. All around the earth men said mankind had reached the highest point in civilization of which history had made any record. Art, science, literature, had an appreciative world. Their devotees were in all lands. Culture and refinement—the humanities—were appealing to men as never before. Men were talking of universal peace. They were traveling to far away lands beyond oceans for peace conferences. A little later they were preparing for a great celebration among the nations of one hundred years of peace among English speaking peoples. The brotherhood of man seemed about to become a realistic conception and no longer a Utopian dream.

Suddenly, a few months ago, there were gathering armies in the great European nations where civilization after centuries had developed its finest flower and fruitage. Millions of men were marching down to the battle. The roar of the guns has not ceased since. Thousands upon thousands have fallen. The moans of the wounded fill the nights with horror. There is weeping in the homes of a continent and cries of fatherless children. Destruction of the work and toil of centuries, with relentless hand, goes on. The hidden mine explodes and millions of dollars and hundreds of men, helpless, disappear beneath the waves. Suffering indescribable follows in the wake of grim-visaged war. Insanity displaces sanity. Pestilence threatens and starvation follows in its train. The effects on the stricken countries will follow far, far down the years. Babies of today will bear its burdens on their backs through life. The world, shocked, horrified, seems losing its faith in humanity. Man, after all, at the center of him, it is said, is the same cruel, brutish being as when he lived in the forest and wielded a bludgeon. Civilization is a farce and liable to fall to pieces any day. The brotherhood of man is a weak, sickly sentimentalism. Men relapse into barbarism in a week. The foundations for nobility of life and great living crumble during a night. In vain has been the long struggle. In vain the wonderful mechanical inventions of the last century. In vain the discoveries of science. In vain everything except as engines of destruction. In vain Christianity. It is but a thin veneer—a pretense. In vain the Sermon on the Mount. In vain the perfect life and teachings of Jesus of Nazareth. So cry millions of discouraged, despondent, surrendering men and women. Should we have such an attitude of mind? I do not believe in this cry.

I deprecate this cry of failure. The day of surrender should never come. The face of every man and woman should ever be turned toward the future, aglow with hope and their minds and hearts animated with confidence in the ultimate triumph of the great ideals that have ever inspired the men and women whom all the world, good and bad alike, have pronounced blessed and the real Kings and Queens of humanity. I believe with Browning that "God is in his Heaven and all is right with the world." I believe that all things work together for good. Men and women ought to be standing out on the firing line of this faith. I don't believe in the trembling, shrinking, fearing, surrendering life. I believe in the great moral forces of this world. I believe that they are stronger than the unflinchable armies of the Kaiser and of all the artillery and siege guns of the British Empire and of the Czar of all Russia and of all navies that ever floated upon all the seas and of any and all fortifications ever built by men. I do not think this world is a failure. I think that the great, fine, beautiful, inspiring things, beyond description, beyond language, which have been implanted in my soul and yours will ultimately triumph, far away yonder down the centuries it may be. I believe with Tennyson when he said:

"I doubt not through the ages one increasing purpose runs
And the thoughts of men are widened with the process of the suns."

I believe with the old Hebrew prophet of twenty-six centuries ago that the time will come when "men will beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks and nations will not lift up sword against nation, neither will they learn war any more." If this is not so "then is our preaching in vain." If we do not camp a little higher up every day, every month, every year, we are not fulfilling our destiny, as individuals, or as a people. As a people, we should never be "Tenting tonight on the old camp-ground," but as a progressive, inspired people moving on in the line of human betterment. I think we may say:

"And fierce though the friends may fight
And long though the angels hide,
I know that Truth and Right
Have the universe on their side."

Justice, now so trampled upon and now so apparently unattainable, will ultimately prevail. Down in the rotunda of this great building we have inscribed in letters of gold the words, "Justice is the idea of God, the ideal of man." Some one has said Justice was ordained from the foundations of the world. Carlyle, one of the most profound thinkers of the last century, wrote:

"Foolish men imagine that because judgment for an evil thing is delayed there is no justice, but an accidental one here below. Judgment for an evil thing is many times delayed, some a day or two, some a century or two, but it is as sure as life, as sure as death. In the center of the world whirlwind, verily now as in the oldest days, dwells and speaks a God. The great soul of the world is just. There is justice here below and even at bottom there is nothing else but justice. Forget that, thou hast forgotten all. Success will never more attend thee. How can it? I tell thee

again, there is nothing else but justice. One strong thing I find here below; the just thing. My friend, if you had all the artillery of the world trundling at your back in support of an unjust thing, and infinite bonfires waiting ahead of thee to blaze centuries long for thy victory on behalf of it—I would advise thee to call a halt. What will thy success amount to? If the thing is unjust, thou hast not succeeded. No, not though bonfires blazed from north to south and bells rang and editors wrote leading articles and the just thing lay trampled out of sight, to all mortal eyes an abolished and annihilated thing." It will rise again. It will prevail. You cannot fight justice out of this world. It is the idea of God. You cannot beat it down by laws or artillery.

So the most appalling, the most gigantic war of all history, has its roots in the wrong thing, the unjust thing. Refer it, if you will, to this incident or that in the past history of nations, yet under it all and struggling for recognition, for supremacy, is the right thing, the just thing. Out of it all I believe may come ultimate good for humanity. The progress of the world has ever been through suffering, tears, death. Truth may in some future years have an easier pathway, but up to the present it "has always ridden on a gun carriage." When the thunder of the guns has ceased, the smoke rolled away and the monuments have been erected to the memory of the fallen, humanity has often moved up a milestone. Human liberty has fought every inch of its way. Never a concession without a fight. The greater the value to the people, the more determined and persistent the contest. The truth of this statement has been realized on the floor of this House scores of times. It is an appalling price to pay, but beyond this world war lies, in all probability, the death of militarism, lies the practical disarmament of the great powers of the earth, comes the removal from the people of the crushing burdens of great armies and navies, comes the disappearance of hereditary rulers and the entrance of more perfect democracies. The world will, it seems to me, demand these things upon the settlement of this awful upheaval of the nations. It will fail of its duty if it does not. All the world will be interested in the settlement. If all these things emerge, has not good come? Will not humanity take a long step forward? Will not the brotherhood of man advance much more nearly toward actual realization? Is there not now almost in sight, as a necessary result, a federation of the world? Are there men in Iowa, or will there be in the Iowa that is to be, men who will sit in a congress of all the earth? May we not be closer than we may possibly realize to a realization of Tennyson's vision?

"For I dipt into the future, far as human eye could see,
Saw the vision of the world and all the wonder that would be.

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"Till the war-drums throbb'd no longer and the battle flags were furled
In the Parliament of man, the Federation of the world."

Why should any man despair? Why should any man cry out, "Civilization is a failure!" It is but crushed Justice and eternal Right coming into their own.

I think we may approve the sentiment:

"Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord,
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored;
He has loosed the fateful lightning of His terrible, swift sword;
His truth is marching on.

He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat;
He is sifting out the hearts of men before his judgment seat;
Oh, be swift, my soul, to answer Him, be jubilant, my feet,
Our God is marching on."

Human progress has not stopped. There will be a restoration upon more secure foundations. Has not mankind moved steadily forward through all the ages? Can anybody think it is going to stop now?

Men of Iowa, living in the best day God ever vouchsafed to humanity, under the best and freest government that human wisdom ever devised, at the very top of human conditions, in a land where nature ever smiles and the soil is rich to prodigality, face to the front, fill your minds and hearts with a great faith in the eternal rightness of things, with an inspiring optimism and pull for the common good, for the betterment of human conditions until your State shall come to be the best place in all the earth in which to live. A man ought to set for himself a goal toward which, leaving the things which are behind, he can press forward. He ought to be inspired with a vision inviting to fine accomplishment. The man without a vision is a burden. He is a camp follower. You never can get him out on "the red, roaring firing line."

Iowa is to be greatly congratulated on the splendid public spirit that has sprung up all over the State in the last two years. It doesn't make any difference into what part of the State you go, it is there. There is public discussion of ways and means of growth. More production, better and cleaner farms, better herds, better roads, better streets, better parks, better schools and school-houses, better homes, better and cleaner towns and cities, better sanitary conditions. When before did such a spirit ever get into the very atmosphere of Iowa? To such an extent has this become an all-pervading spirit that the man who does not breathe it has become known throughout the State and gained a kind of distinction. This does not mean a spirit rampant for change for the sake of change. It does not mean a spirit that will out-run the safe, sane, reliable judgment of intelligent, careful men, but it means a spirit that understands the needs and knows how to build a great civilization. It does not mean that anybody thinks that this is but the work of a day, but it means that there is a clear vision of what ought to be and can be done under the conditions of Iowa life and a determination to work out and realize gradually that ideal so far as possible. Did you ever know a time when public office was more regarded as an opportunity for public service than now? Have you not observed that there is far more talk about the common good than there was only a very few years ago? Have you noted how more and more men are giving of their time and money to the public welfare? And it has not all issued in talk. There has been great advancement. It is seen on the farms of the State—better homes and farm buildings—far better and more comfortable life there. Better schools. More school-houses built last year than for very many years before. More children in

the schools. A higher average paid for teachers than ever before. Forty-nine fine high school buildings have recently been erected ranging in cost from \$15,000 to \$190,000. Aside from these, there have very recently been built twenty-two consolidated school buildings ranging in cost from \$9,000 to \$60,000. There are in the State eighty consolidated schools, and the increase in the last two years was sixty-four. There was more paving done in the towns of Iowa, I am told, in the last year than in ten years before. Time would fail me if I were to attempt to speak fully of the wonderful progress made in the last two years, largely animated by this all-pervasive spirit that I have spoken of that is moving upon and inspiring the lives of the people for better things. May the great State move on.

There are some obstacles, of course. Indeed, it must be said, there are many, and the regrettable thing is that it is so often based on human selfishness. I mean that a man will sometimes place what he deems his own even slight pecuniary interest above what it is perfectly clear would be for the enhancement of the interest of all. There are men who would charge a battery for Iowa against a deadly fire with splendid bravery who would not have the firm courage and patriotism to consent, without the most determined fight, to the change of a law that would divert fifty or a hundred dollars from their pockets annually, although clearly for the common good and worth a hundred thousand dollars annually to the people. There is but one question, it is impossible there could be any other, and that is, is this for the public welfare? If it is, every personal consideration should instantly disappear. I can have no interest, you can have no interest, that is detrimental to the interest of all. Will men let loose of their selfish interests? It is this very question over which battles have been fought and the intellectual contests in the legislative bodies of the world have ever been, when reduced to their last analysis, in innumerable cases, waged about the very same question. As legislators, the question is, is the principle involved sound, and then, is it right, and will it contribute to the common good. Selfish interests have delayed the righteous thing, the just thing, as Carlyle said, some day or two, some year or two, in Iowa history many times. When letters come pouring in upon you from every direction it is very wise to inquire into the source of them. The rule is that you will find them prompted and inspired from a source that would promote an individual rather than the common good. Men familiar with legislative history in Iowa have known of General Assemblies being stampeded in this way from enacting the most wholesome legislation, only to find it become law later, with the final approval of all the people, and to find also that the letters received by them were sent by men who would have benefited most by the law relieving them of the incubus of the selfish interest but had been deceived into thinking that it was detrimental to their good.

You start, Senators and Representatives, into this session under the fire of criticism. Every legislature so starts. Before you have introduced a bill, even before you have come to the Capital City, the discrediting talk about the legislative session and what may or may not be done begins. It is one of the most unfortunate things of our American life that, with an air of superciliousness and superior wisdom, a large part

of our citizenship assume to speak of State legislatures, and the Congress of the United States as well, with at least poorly disguised ridicule. Men who have never given any time at all to the consideration of public questions and who have seldom, or never, seen any bad effects of the completed work of a legislature will begin, and have already begun, to discount your work. It has actually become a habit. It brings into contempt with young people especially the law-making department of the State—by far the most important, bearing a greater weight of responsibility, than any other department of government. Neither the Executive nor the Judicial department can be compared with it in its importance to the life, happiness and destiny of the commonwealth. And yet I but speak the truth when I say that to be known as a member of the legislature is to be regarded by many with a certain sort of condescension. To such an extent has this thing grown up among the people that I have known most excellent men shrink from the unpleasant publicity it would give them to become a candidate for a member of the legislature—a place capable of commanding the very best equipment and more versatility of talent than any other in the State. It is all a part of our want of respect for law. Indeed, it breeds the want of such respect. It brings about the failure to enforce the law. If the people and the newspapers assiduously but, perhaps, sometimes, thoughtlessly, by slighting reference and sometimes open condemnation, bring about the impression that the legislature is more an instrument of evil than anything else, there will not be much reverence for the lawmaker's law. There are men who do this and then talk about good citizenship, forgetting that this is the very worst sort of citizenship. I am not talking about fair, dignified, honorable criticism, or corrective suggestions, but I refer, as you know, to the I-am-the-superior-curling-lip-contempt sort of suggestion and criticism. This ought not to move you, but, I am frank to say, you start with this handicap—the handicap that makes a man hesitate and makes some men afraid. Be not afraid.

Another thing will be your experience, and it grows out of the habit of the public mind of which I have just spoken. When your work is done, the better it is done, if you do anything worthy of yourselves and the State, if you make a record for really wise, constructive legislation, especially if you change an old, worn out way of doing a thing—a way adapted to by-gone days and conditions, to wise, up-to-date business methods, if you do something for the public welfare that prys some men loose from a few-dollar-per-year position or from some business graft, you may be assured that a storm of condemnation will fall upon you before you have been home thirty days. Of course, if you do nothing you will escape all this. The man who never does anything never arouses any antagonisms. The man who is never close enough to the battle line to hear the music of the bullets and shells never gets hit. And the men whom your legislation does the most for are often the men who will condemn you most severely. After you have given weeks, sometimes months of time, to the consideration of a measure and reached a wise and sound conclusion, your constituents who have not given the subject two hours of really careful study and thought will pour out their vials of wrath on your heads. That is what is coming to you. It is not

decent treatment. On the other hand, it is a reflection on your honesty; it is a charge of your abandonment of the public welfare; it is a declaration of a want of confidence. I want to suggest to the great Iowa constituency of this General Assembly that it can do no more unreasonable, unjust and unfair thing than to condemn its representatives before it has given the same careful study and consideration to the subject under as favorable circumstances for acquiring facts and knowledge of conditions and results to follow as they had. The decent, right, honest, patriotic thing to do is to assume, what you know to be a fact before these men left their communities, that they were honest, true men and that they would not have enacted the law if they had not thought it right and in the interest of the common good. When you have made this study under this assumption and given the law time to be tested, then condemn, if you are not satisfied, but not before. You have no right to do so before. There has never been a great, constructive piece of legislation where the loss of political heads did not follow and in every case time has vindicated the value and wisdom of the law. And it is a fact that the very men who led the victims to the political slaughter have often been the men to whom the law has been of most value and the men who afterwards would have fought its repeal with all the energy they could command. And no such law, so far as I have discovered, has ever yet been repealed. No law touching a great subject ever comes from the legislature perfect. It would be foolish to suppose that could be so. Its imperfections, on testing it, however, can be discovered and remedied by amendments.

The truth of what I have said here could be easily proved by many examples. I need only instance the drainage law enacted by the Thirtieth General Assembly. It fell under the most violent condemnation and its repeal was demanded. It, however, added multiplied thousands of acres to Iowa farms and hundreds upon hundreds of thousands of dollars to value of farm products. But I need not go further back than to the last legislature. When before in the history of the States did such a storm of condemnation fall upon men? There was the road law. Its repeal was demanded with the utmost insistency. In just this brief period a wonderful change has taken place in public sentiment in its favor. Who made the most noise and incited the insurrection? For the most part, the men who had for years profited enormously in the sale of material for bridge and culvert construction. But now it has had the endorsement of the meeting of the Boards of Supervisors of the State. It has the distinction of being referred to as the model road law by government experts in road building. Under it, and it has hardly yet had time to get under way, more good, permanent road work has been done in Iowa than in very many years put together before. Under it the people are getting value received for their money while before millions upon millions were wasted. Time will completely vindicate its wisdom and the men who enacted it and took the pitiless, cruel storm, the men who laid down their political lives for the good of the people.

There is the school superintendent law. Because of the nature of it, it has, perhaps, not yet reached its full vindication. The legislature thought that office, and through it the schools of Iowa, ought not to be

made the football of politics. In the great public school interests, they thought, it ought not to be that anybody, without reference to qualifications, could be elected county superintendent of schools, as had been done in some counties.

What else has the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, the violently condemned, to its credit? Just to instance a few measures by the briefest statement:

- Against unfair discrimination in trade;
- Fraudulent advertising;
- Books of accounts photographed for depositions, used in evidence;
- Carrying concealed weapons;
- Board of Arbitration to settle disputes, prevent strikes;
- Instructions to jury submitted to counsel before read to jury;
- Weights and measures law for protection of people;
- Public recreation and play grounds for schools;
- Right to acquire up to five acres for school grounds;
- State aid to consolidated schools;
- Providing for Normal Courses in high schools;
- State colony for epileptics;
- Establishment of hog cholera serum plant;
- Reorganization of State Board of Health—now the most effective in the State's history;
- Strengthening law as to bureau of labor statistics as to inspections, accidents, etc.;
- Custodial department at Knoxville and payment of inmates for work;
- Employers' Liability and Workmen's Compensation Act;
- Department of Insurance;
- Employment of prisoners on public highways;
- Election of United States Senators by the people;
- Shortening ballot by making clerk and reporter of Supreme Court and State Superintendent appointive;
- Reorganization of State Superintendent's department;
- Capitol extension bill.

The list might be much extended. The Thirty-fifth was, perhaps, the most violently condemned legislature in the history of the State, yet I venture to say there is not more than one other that can for a moment stand in comparison with it. The future will thoroughly and completely vindicate it in spite of some mistakes it made. You men of the Thirty-sixth are the successors to those of the Thirty-fifth. You are good, honest, true, faithful, patriotic men, proud of Iowa, loving her, devoted to the common good to human betterment, and your constituents know it. They ought not to assume the attitude I have described and I speak of it thus publicly because it is a public wrong and good citizenship, on reflection, will see that it is.

I have already spoken of the zeal that exists in the State for its upbuilding. If you will bear with me I shall like to be specific with reference to several matters.

CO-OPERATION OF INDUSTRIES.

There is much consideration given in these days to the building up and development of particular interests in the State. It is well that it is so, but it has sometimes seemed to me that there is much loss of effort. Much good is done and advancement is made all of the time but more could be accomplished if there were a greater combination of efforts. To illustrate: There are held annual meetings of the Corn Belt Meat Producers' Association, the Corn Growers, County and District Fair Managers, the Poultry Men, the Dairy Men, the Bee-Keepers, the Swine, Cattle and Horse Breeders and perhaps other organizations all having to do primarily with the farm, or with life on the farm and, fundamentally, with the development of the wealth and greatness of the State. These meetings are all held separately. In this way every man is taught to consider only his own individual interest and business. Each one of these only represents, however, one element entering into the increase of the State's wealth and the betterment of conditions. The exchange of ideas, the discussion of subjects pertaining exclusively to the particular industry is admittedly very helpful, but such methods do not make for the bigness of the man in the best sense. His vision becomes too circumscribed. He fails to realize that the greatness of his business and the completest success of it must, after all, depend on the measure of success or volume and profit of every other one of these lines of effort. The greatest sum of prosperity and human well-being can only be attained when all are prosperous and general contentment prevails. Every man is dependent upon every other man. Every business is dependent upon every other business. These are but expressions of a general principle, but we cannot get away from it. We never can make a great State here, superior in its achievements and attracting marked attention on account of them, nor can we have great, big Iowa men until they come to see that the other fellow's business is their business, too. Each one of these lines of endeavor and others that might be named are capable of a tremendous contribution to the State's wealth, but to get it the men of Iowa ought to be behind every one of them. In other words, there ought to be combination of effort. There ought to be co-ordination of all of these interests. There ought to be team work. Here are the bee-keepers in a meeting alone. Nobody but themselves knowing much about it or taking any interest in it. Yet they can turn hundreds of thousands of dollars into the State's wealth. Yonder are the dairymen, likewise alone, and the swine breeders, cattle and horse breeders, the poultry men, the meat producers, the horticulturists—a few men comparatively at each place, as if all Iowa were not very vitally interested in all these things. There may be difference in degree of importance to the common welfare among these industries, but all are important—very important. As things have been going, in their one-sidedness instead of their wholeness of interest, some are led to think and speak of some of these interests as of slight consequence. Every man wants every other man to be greatly interested in his particular interest, but he forgets to reciprocate. The men engaged in the development of finer and better animals forget that there is such a thing, for instance, as

fruit breeding, such a thing as making new plants and trees. The exhibits of the horticultural society show as fine apples as are produced anywhere, but they practically come from the southern sections of the State. What Iowa needs and must have in the coming years are apples, peaches, pears, plums and other fruits that will grow and thrive and bear in the different soils in all sections of the State—on the prairies of central and northern Iowa. I am told that it is practically impossible to grow fruits for Iowa which were bred “in the moist air and timbered regions bordering the eastern seaboard or the great lakes.” It is said “The Mississippi valley has a fiercer climate of heat and cold and great and sudden changes” and that there must be bred trees and plants adapted to each particular region—to Iowa. Mr. C. G. Patten of Charles City, has in a quiet way been devoting himself to this work. A leading horticulturist of Iowa for more than forty years says of him: “He is a genius in his way and has done more than any other man east of the Rocky Mountains. The work of Mr. Burbank of California does not count, as his productions are not suited to this climate and are mostly entire failures here. Mr. Patten has the most extensive laboratory for producing new and adapted varieties of fruits that exists between the Rocky Mountains and the Atlantic Ocean. He has spent his life and strength at this work for nearly forty years and is now well past eighty.” It gives me the greatest pleasure to in this public way call attention to Mr. Patten’s work. Modest, unassuming, quietly, intelligently, without reward or hope thereof, he is giving himself to the future. It is for Iowa that he wants to breed fruits adapted to her climate and her soil—adapted as if they were indigenous here. He has already done a great work. He says, “I am confident that the horticultural society of Iowa will have the honor of promoting the organization of a distinctly new, high quality pear and the most hardy type of cultivated pear tree ever known.” This work ought to have encouragement and support. Other breeders should take notice and should lend their support, interest and encouragement. The other earnest, intelligent man’s work is of vast moment also. This work, continued and supported as it ought to be, will mean millions upon millions of dollars to Iowa in the coming years. And it is toward the future, the *future*, that every right man should have his face set. The problems of the world will be solved when men look upon life as a service to humanity. It all lies away yonder. What is your contribution to be? To be specific, what is it to be to the Iowa rising yonder in the distance in splendid vision?

I have spoken of horticulture by way of illustrating the thought that I want to present here. I might have taken any other great industry. It is well, very well, these meetings of these different interests in the fall and winter of the year. But why would it not be a great thing if they would all make a week of it and after the separate meetings and special discussions, give, say two days of the week, to a general, altogether meeting to form a better and closer acquaintance with each other and with what each is trying to do and the greatness and possibilities of the work and business of the separate organizations and thus co-ordinate these interests, organize them as a whole, do team work, create a general helpful, sympathetic mutuality that will arouse an enthusiasm for

all these things that are to bring satisfaction, comfort and wealth to all the people now and in greater measure in the future, thus, indeed, every man becoming a promoter of a "Greater Iowa."

I do not know that any legislation could be suggested to bring about a result which, it seems to me, is so desirable, but I submit these thoughts for consideration and call attention to Chapter 140 of the Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly providing for "County Corporations for Improvement of Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, and Horticulture," with the inquiry, Why not a State wide incorporation for the promotion of the interests I have mentioned, thus bringing about organization, co-operation and concentration of effort? Explode a little powder, laid about, here and there, and its force is dissipated, lost and disappears in a puff of smoke. Get it together, confine it, get it behind something, then ignite it and the ball instantly flies away yonder, one mile, two, five miles with tremendous effectiveness. So may it not be to get together and amalgamate these great Iowa activities?

AGRICULTURAL CONDITIONS.

Believing that it would result in great benefit to our agricultural interests and promotion of the general good I asked the last legislature to authorize me by resolution to appoint and commission as representatives of the State not more than three persons to visit foreign lands, especially Great Britain and Ireland, to study at first hand agricultural conditions and methods with reference to co-operation, land tenantry and the preservation of soil fertility and make a report of results, facts and conclusions. The request was granted and two of the most eminent and best qualified men of the State for the task, Hon. James Wilson and Hon. Henry Wallace, were appointed. They were remarkably well fitted for the mission because of many years' study of agricultural conditions and needs and a genuine interest in and devotion to agricultural betterment. They visited the countries named, made a most careful study and most instructive report which will be placed on your desks for your careful consideration.

Subsequently, and some time after the adjournment of the legislature, I appointed another commission of especially qualified men, namely, Hon. John Cownie, Hon. Eugene Secor and Hon. F. D. Steen, to investigate and report upon the needs of agriculture in Iowa. They, also, made a most helpful and suggestive report. I urge upon you a most conscientious study of what these men have to say in these reports. They both raise a question of very greatest importance which, sooner or later will force itself on the people—the preservation of our soil fertility. They show that we are exhausting, wasting, destroying it all the time on almost half the farms of the State. This is a matter of great public concern. There cannot be a great people without great soil production. The greatness, indeed the very life of the State, in fact of the Republic, is founded on the retention and increased fertility of the land. The land robber is a menace to the public good. The present should call a halt. Out of the future comes the cry of determined protest. The countries of the old world were forced to meet and solve the problem and they did it through the experience of centuries. It will be far less difficult of solution here

if we begin at once and profit by their experience. The report on conditions in the countries visited says there is "an entire absence of worn-out land" and no complaint "of a want of soil fertility" or "land hunger" on the part of tenants. In substance, it is said, this is all due to the law relating to landlord and tenant. Nearly all the land is cultivated by tenants but there are no short term leases, the term being from fourteen to nineteen years in Scotland and the tenant paid for unexhausted fertility added to the land by him. Here forty per cent of the farms are reported occupied by tenants and most of the leases for only one year. No incentive to improvement upon the land or to increase soil fertility. Impoverish and leave for continued impoverishment by the next tenant. It is a hopeless condition for landlord, tenant and land. The public interest is in the land and legislation must give it consideration first and landlord and tenant next. It is the very first duty of Iowa to preserve her soil. Her sovereignty can find no higher expression. To save her own life she must command the preservation of the means by which she lives. She should forbid that her citizens impoverish the children of the future. There is no question in which society would have greater concern. It rises to a question above merely private rights and interest to one of the public welfare. I have always understood that that which affects the public welfare may be a subject of legislative regulation. There cannot be a matter of greater public interest and therefore can be controlled for the common-good. The Supreme Court of the United States very recently held that a large part of the country's wealth is subject to loss through fire and therefore that fire insurance rates may be fixed and regulated by law in the interest of the common good. By analogy why may we not reason—the soil is a large part of the wealth of the State and the terms of its leasing may be regulated by law in the interest of human welfare. Under conditions as they are shown to be the landlord is not a conservationist and the tenant cannot be. Men speculate in lands, rentals increase, the short term tenant exploits the soil, and not to be blamed, he takes his flight to cheaper lands in other States or under another flag. He should have an interest in the soil he tills. There should be something of a reasonable permanency in his connection with it to inspire his hope. He should be a builder and not a destroyer and so should the landlord. This is a vital question now; it will be doubly so in the future. To solve it now, or to even begin the serious consideration of it, will be the saving of millions of dollars to the future of our State. In one of these reports it is said: "We need laws, both federal and State, that will compel consideration of the land in all leases, making it the chief factor of importance, to be followed later by the claims of the tenant and landlord." This is a problem most difficult of solution, but that should not deter grappling with it. It is easy to point out the conditions which should exist but how to bring them about is quite another thing. We may, at least, begin to think seriously about the problem. I think it must be that the remedy can gradually be worked out. I think I can see that the well-being of the farmer—the owner and tenant—and the land and, ultimately of course, society as a whole, must depend upon such laws as the committee suggests and it must depend also upon a correction of our system of distribution which returns to the producer perhaps not

more than half or two-thirds of what the consumer pays and also upon a solution of the great problem of agricultural credit. I submit these reports and suggestions for the special and careful consideration of your committees on agriculture.

THE EXTENSION OF THE CAPITOL GROUNDS.

The 35th General Assembly, after the most careful consideration and study of the immediate, pressing needs of the State and of her needs and greatness in the coming years, authorized and directed the purchase of certain, specific grounds surrounding the Capitol building and directed the levy of a tax from year to year to pay for the same. In this bill was incorporated a plan for the future development of the grounds. This plan, which became a part of the law, was devised by one of the most competent and skilled landscape architects in the world and without expense to the State. The purpose in this was to prevent the haphazard location of buildings, memorials, monuments, walks, drives, etc., in the future thus marring and spoiling the opportunity given by nature to Iowa to have, probably, the most inviting and beautiful Capitol grounds in all the world. The opportunity, already too long neglected, to secure the grounds at a price the future would doubtless forbid and a desire to render a great public service, not only to the present but to the men and women of all the oncoming years in this great commonwealth, prompted your immediate predecessors by an overwhelming majority to pass what has since come to be known as the Capitol Extension Bill. Not only was this bill so passed but afterward when attacked by all the legal learning that could be brought to bear upon it, it was held by an undivided court to be invulnerable to any legal criticism that could be lodged against it. Subsequently the dominant political party of the State, in a contest in which it was a leading issue, refused with very strong emphasis to express its dissatisfaction with what had been done. Again the question, clear cut, undisguised, fully understood in its length and breadth and height and depth was submitted to all of the people of the State for their approval or disapproval. Their pronounced approval is so recent as to be fresh in the minds of all.

In accordance with the provisions of this law the Executive Council proceeded to purchase said real estate and has bought one hundred and seventy-five different descriptions for the aggregate price of \$980,902.00. But little more in comparison with the whole remains to be acquired. The whole, with the exception of the large stone church and the lot directly across the street west of it exactly upon the northwest corner of the tract is essential to the plan that was in the mind of the 35th General Assembly and the sketch of the completed grounds as outlined by the landscape architect which became a part of the law. It was the policy of the Council, so far as it reasonably could, to buy from the Capitol outward and what remains are lots in a few of the outlying blocks. In all of these blocks the State has bought a portion. So far, therefore, as the purchase is concerned it is practically completed. The best estimate I can now give you as to the cost of the whole as thus outlined will be \$1,140,000.00. The Council is now taking options for and contracting for the lots that remain. Competent, expert opinion from all sources is agreed that as a whole the property has been bought at very fair and reasonable values.

The law referred to ordered the Executive Council to sell Governor's Square either as a whole or after platting the same into blocks and lots. As the law also directed the sale of the buildings on the extended grounds it was the judgment of the Council that it would be much more profitable to the State to plat the square and move some of the better houses on the lots and sell the lots as thus improved. Thirty houses will be moved to the square. A few have already been moved. Already there have been moved from the purchased grounds fifty houses and three old brick structures wrecked. It is confidently believed by the Council that this method of dealing with the problem will bring to the State a net profit of \$40,000 to \$50,000 over and above what would have been realized by selling without thus improving the lots. The houses sold were of the poorer class. There have been realized from the sale of property from the grounds and from rentals \$28,405.63.

These things I have outlined because I think that the people are entitled to know the exact situation. I believe and always have believed, as the people of the State know, that they are greatly to be congratulated upon this great movement. From all over the county, from New York to San Francisco, have come letters from eminent men and women and from persons not well known, expressing their great appreciation of what Iowa has done in this particular. Already it has brought distinction to the State in that her legislators have provided for the great future while they could at a very reasonable expenditure. Greater distinction will be hers and universal applause and congratulations will constantly greet her from all parts of the Union when the great Capitol and the buildings, monuments and memorials emerging from the coming years will have proper placement and adequate setting and when Capitol Hill, commanding a most superb and beautiful view of a great city, the valleys of the rivers and the country stretching far beyond, shall have been improved and completed in harmony with the design of the architect and the splendid vision which has for years inspired thousands upon thousands of the men and women of Iowa and which found expression in the Act of the 35th General Assembly and when this hill shall bear upon its front and crest in grateful shade in summer time and in strength and majesty in the winter the trees indigenous to Iowa soil and climate as well as trees adapted thereto transplanted from all lands and when lawn and flowers and shrubbery shall everywhere invite, all eloquently proclaiming the bigness of the life of the people, their culture, their ideals, their appreciation of the really great value in human existence and of an investment that can never by any possibility involve a loss, then, and after we have long been forgotten, will Iowa continually enjoy great distinction because of her Capitol grounds.

And now in closing I desire to say that I am very hopeful that a fine record may be made by the 36th General Assembly. I am anxious to do whatever I can by cooperating with you in a proper way to assist in promoting such a result. When the work is done I trust it will be distinguished for its important, constructive character and for the care, thoughtfulness and accuracy with which it was done. There is no greater, no more responsible work than that of the lawmaker. A State's place in the world, its degree of enlightenment, must ever, in a very large measure, be determined by its laws. The future of Iowa, in the large sense, in its public

policy, with reference to the things that make for her growth and development will and must find expression in her legislation. Whatever Iowa may have and be in the future that will be of benefit to mankind must depend upon us who today call the State ours. Our obligation is not simply to today. It is a thousand times more to the years that are to come—to the Iowa that is to be—to the Iowa that we desire her to be. We ought to take a far-ahead look. The foundations ought to be enduring. What are these roads, these schools, these questions of social well-being, these questions of public health, these questions that go to the enlargement of life in the best and deepest sense—what are they to the future, should have consideration. We are not worth our time and space here unless we are looking constantly forward to a coming of a better day. Right good questions to ask oneself are, Is this the little or large view I am taking? Am I consulting my own, selfish interests or the welfare of all? What if everybody were just like me? What would my community, my State be if everybody were to adopt my view—which way would they be pulling, forward or backward?

Down in the rotunda in letters of gold is inscribed the sentiment, "Iowa—our eyes have been permitted to see only the beginning of her glory." It is true, and it doth not yet appear what she shall be. What a splendid vision rises. How much depends on us. Halt her not in any of the great steps forward she has taken. With unstinted devotion of her and her greatness may you do your work.

Music by Professor T. Fred Henry's Orchestra.

The minutes of the joint session were read and approved.

Heald of Linn moved that the joint convention be dissolved.

Motion prevailed.

Senate returned to the Senate chamber and resumed its sitting, President pro tem. Crist presiding.

The President pro tem. announced that he had on his desk copy of annual report of Board of Control and same would appear in the Journal.

January 13, 1915.

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.—We transmit herewith for the use of the Senate, a copy of the report required of us by Section 2 of Chapter 323, of the Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

BOARD OF CONTROL OF STATE INSTITUTIONS,

By J. H. McCONLOGUE,

Chairman.

To the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

We submit herewith a report, as required by Section 2 of Chapter 323 of the Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, showing the amounts transferred from the sums appropriated by that act and the amount of unexpended balances in the state treasury December 31, 1914, to the credit of the various institutions under our control.

REPORT.

IOWA SOLDIERS' HOME, MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 11,453.73
Contingent and repair	184.56

Total balances	\$ 11,638.29
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No transfer of funds.

SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' HOME, DAVENPORT, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 1,075.32
Contingent and repair	45 63
Copper eaves and gutters	66.97
Electric rewiring	21.23
Repair of engine room and roof	25.86

Total balances	\$ 1,235.01
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No transfer of funds.

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 1,278.68
Contingent and repair	467.32
Greenhouse	800.29
Slaughter house	350.00

Total balances	\$ 2,896.29
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Transfer of funds as follows—

From Walks and Improvements of Grounds Fund:

For painting pupils' dormitories	172.49
From Contingent and Repair Fund.....	\$ 1,000.00
From Repair of School House Fund	2.05
From Walks and Improvement of Grounds Fund	753.03

For support	1,755.08
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Total funds diverted	\$ 1,927.57
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INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN, GLENWOOD, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 11,366.83
Beds and bedding	710.38
Completing cottage for girls	94.48
Contingent and repair	1,655.21
Furniture and furnishings	1,042.70
Hospital for consumptives	2,457.77
Paints and painting	920.79

Total balances\$ 18,248.16

No transfer of funds.

STATE SANATORIUM, OAKDALE, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 5,669.71
Hospitals for advanced cases	2,300.00
Contingent and repair	643.77
Dairy equipment	503.02
Equipment, furniture and furnishings	2,714.20
Implements and machinery	170.00
Live stock	500.00
Lectures and amusements	61.23
Lumber and mill work	315.33
Painting	137.43

Total balances\$ 13,014.69

Transfer of funds as follows—

From Housing Pumping Machinery Fund:

For furniture and furnishings 850.00

Total funds diverted\$ 850.00

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS, ELDORA, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 788.01
Agricultural implements	211 91
Band instruments and supplies	142.27
Basement of chapel	1,000.00
Books, periodicals and binding	85.56
Chaplain	157 00
Contingent and repair	2,306.57
Extension of tunnels	4.67
Generating unit	154.91
Laundry building and equipment	3,785.57
Lectures and entertainments	135.71
Oculist and dental work	37.75
Paints and painting	336.98
Transportation of boys	364.75

Total balances\$ 9,511.66

No transfer of funds.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, MITCHELLVILLE, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 4,019.34
Books and periodicals	86.85
Changing dormitories	472.19
Chaplain	78.90
Contingent and repair	256.96
Draining land	68.90
Farm and garden implements	572.87
Lantern and slides	279.43
Oculist and dental work	242.28
Paints and painting	922.12

Total balances	\$ 6,999.84
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Transfer of funds as follows—

From New Boilers Fund:

For support	\$ 284.81
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From Piano for Chapel Fund:

For lantern and slides	126.00
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From Changing Dormitories Fund:

For contingent and repair	353.87
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From Drainage Land Fund	\$ 100.00
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From Horse Lawn Mower Fund	36.65
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From Farm and Garden Implements and Machinery Fund	200.00
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For contingent and repair	336.65
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Total funds diverted	\$ 1,101.33
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MOUNT PLEASANT STATE HOSPITAL, MT. PLEASANT, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 12,726.47
Books, periodicals and binding	94.37
Contingent and repair	778.81
Draining land	110.15
Improving sewage and disposal plant	1,382.40
Improvement of grounds	778.00
Paving streets	3,000.00
Repairing walls of main building	1,647.22

Total balances	\$ 20,517.42
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Transfer of funds as follows—

From Addition to Men's Infirmary Fund	\$ 1,044.44
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From Electric Elevator Fund	38.90
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From Ice House Fund	20.53
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From Moving and Repairing Farm House Fund	785.26
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From Laundry Machinery Fund	10.66
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From New Floors	229.54
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From Silo Fund	38.74
From Wagon Shed and Implement Fund.....	434.22
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For contingent and repair	2,602.29
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Total funds diverted	\$ 2,602.29

INDEPENDENCE STATE HOSPITAL, INDEPENDENCE, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 22,816.15
Contingent and repair	319.34
Draining land	435.09
Electric food elevator	769.98
Fencing	22.12
Homes for employes	377.20
Paints and painting	425.22
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Total balances	\$ 25,165.10

Transfer of Funds as follows—

From Electric Food Elevator Fund:

For iron working lathe	182.00
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Total funds diverted	\$ 182.00
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CLARINDA STATE HOSPITAL, CLARINDA, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 20,177.98
Books, periodicals and binding	145.41
Contingent and repair	764.30
Paints and painting	304.12
Plumbing and fixtures	18.05
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Total balances	\$ 21,409.86

Transfer of funds as follows—

From Increasing Water Supply Fund:

For contingent and repair	743.29
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Total funds diverted	\$ 743.29
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CHEROKEE STATE HOSPITAL, CHEROKEE, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$ 9,687.44
Books and periodicals	336.46
Contingent and repair	1,263.75
Increasing and improving water supply	1,846.09
Painting	1,746.33
Repairs of pumps	12.00
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Total balances	\$ 14,892.07

Transfer of funds as follows—

From Repair of Pump Fund:		
For new water cylinder	\$	88.00
From Carpets, Rugs and Bedding Fund:		
For equipment, Kinne Cottage		4.67
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Total funds diverted	\$	92.67

STATE HOSPITAL FOR INEBRIATES, KNOXVILLE, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$	5,853.82
Contingent and repair		275.80
Books and periodicals		62.41
Cold storage and store building		500.00
Custodial building		18,500.00
Fire equipment		446.13
Industrial equipment		102.80
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Total balances\$ 25,740.96

No transfer of funds.

STATE PENITENTIARY, FORT MADISON, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$	2,432.22
Contingent and repair		429.85
New cell house		6,626.17
Furnishing cells		3,472.93
Greenhouse		1,000.00
Lectures and amusements		10.58
Oculist and dental work		216.26
Paving streets		52.81
Re-roofing shops		1,048.58
Transportation of prisoners		333.07
Warden's house		45.82
Warden's support		225.00
Water reservoir		264.67
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Total balances\$ 16,157.96

No transfer of funds.

THE REFORMATORY, ANAMOSA, IOWA.

Balances December 31, 1914—

Support	\$	5,299.85
Carpet loom		120.00
Contingent and repair		1,491.42
Dwelling house for deputy warden		597.46
Extending industries		9,589.32
Extension of galleries		17.51
Feed water heater		1,000.00
Fencing		500.00

Improving water system91
Industrial equipment	53.39
Lantern and slides	175.00
Lavatories and closets	241.60
Oculist and dental work	559.14
Repairing derricks	712.09
Repairing pipe organ	200.00
Repairing electric wiring system	1,299.14
Repairing quarry bridge	121.68
Replacing radiators	12.05
Replacing tables in dining room	410.02
Salaries, foremen and instructors	7,048.90
Stone crushing plant	77.73
Transportation of prisoners	125.18
Warden's support	225.00
Total balances	\$ 29,877.39
Transfer of funds as follows—	
From Repairing Quarry Bridge Fund:	
For surveyor's instruments	\$ 167.92
From Extension of Galleries Fund:	
For typewriter	44.77
From Improving Water System at Farm Fund:	
For grinder	12.25
Total funds diverted	\$ 224.94

RECAPITULATION OF BALANCES.

	Support	Special	Total
Iowa Soldiers' Home	\$ 11,453.73	\$ 184.56	\$ 11,638.29
Soldiers' Orphans' Home	1,075.32	159.69	1,235.01
School for the Deaf	1,278.68	1,617.61	2,896.29
Institution for Feeble-Minded Children	11,366.83	6,881.33	18,248.16
State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis	5,669.71	7,344.98	13,014.69
Industrial School for Boys	788.01	8,723.65	9,511.66
Industrial School for Girls	4,019.34	2,980.50	6,999.84
Mount Pleasant State Hospital	12,726.47	7,790.95	20,517.42
Independence State Hospital	22,816.15	2,348.95	25,165.10
Clarinda State Hospital	20,177.98	1,231.88	21,409.86
Cherokee State Hospital	9,687.44	5,204.63	14,892.07
State Hospital for Inebriates	5,853.82	19,887.14	25,740.96
State Penitentiary	2,432.22	13,725.74	16,157.96
The Reformatory	5,299.85	24,577.54	29,877.39
Total	\$114,645.55	\$102,659.15	\$217,304.70

RECAPITULATION OF FUNDS TRANSFERRED.

School for the Deaf	\$ 1,927.57
State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis	850.00
Industrial School for Girls	1,101.33

Mount Pleasant State Hospital	2,602.29
Independence State Hospital	182.00
Clarinda State Hospital	743.29
Cherokee State Hospital	92.67
The Reformatory	224.94
Total	\$ 7,724.09

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF CONTROL OF STATE INSTITUTIONS,

By J. H. McCONLOGUE, *Chairman.*

MOTION FOR COMMITTEE.

Senator Robinson moved that the President pro tem. appoint a committee of two to escort Lieutenant Governor Harding to the chair.

Carried.

President pro tem. appointed Senators Robinson and Hagemann to perform this duty.

President pro tem Crist presented Lieutenant Governor Harding to the Senate.

President Harding on assuming the chair stated that he had no program to carry out this session; that he wanted to be fair and just to every member of the Senate. He stated that he hoped to have the work go on with dispatch, and trusted that the bills passed by the General Assembly would be well considered.

SENATE RESOLUTION.

Senator Thomas offered a resolution that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to telegraph Mrs. W. L. Harding the hearty congratulations of the members of the Senate and their wives upon the advent of the daughter that has come to bless their home, with best wishes for both.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

SANITARY WATER COOLERS.

Senator Savage offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That the Custodian be instructed to furnish the Senate with at least two sanitary water coolers and distilled or other sanitary water for drinking purposes.

Carried.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until next Tuesday, January 19, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 19, 1915.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 10 o'clock A. M., President W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Chas. R. Bair of First Methodist Episcopal church, Indianola, Iowa.

President Harding submitted the following assignments of standing committees, which were read by the secretary:

WAYS AND MEANS.

Allen, Chairman.	Doran.
Perkins.	Grout.
Kimball.	Whitmore.
Francis.	Thomas.
Helmer.	Crist.
Enger.	White of Iowa.
Balkema.	Farr.
Eversmeyer.	Voorhees.
Arney.	Clarkson.

JUDICIARY NO. 1.

Francis, Chairman.	Eversmeyer.
Frailey.	Allen.
Kimball.	Foster.
Parker.	Farr.
Heald.	Clarkson.
Perkins.	Sheean.

APPROPRIATIONS.

Savage, Chairman.	Fellows.
Larrabee.	Hilsinger.
Jones.	Jackson.
Robinson.	Chase.
Darrah.	Schrup.
Taylor.	Hagemann.
Laffer.	Caswell.
Henigbaum.	Lindly.
Foskett.	White of Benton.
Foster.	Fleck.

JUDICIARY NO. 2.

Chase, Chairman.	Wilson.
Crist.	Hilsinger.
Larrabee.	Hagemann.
Thompson	Gillette.
Whitmore.	Quigley.
Helmer.	

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

Arney, Chairman.	Darrah.
Jones.	Balkema.
Foskett.	Clarkson.
Helmer.	Schrup.
Larrabee.	White of Benton.
Allen.	White of Iowa.
Francis.	

BOARD OF CONTROL.

Robinson, Chairman.	Jones.
Heald.	Nye.
Whitmore.	Sheean.
Wilson.	Farr.
Boe.	Voorhees.
Francis.	Fleck.

RAILROADS.

Larrabee, Chairman.	Balkema.
Perkins.	Chase.
Foster.	Boe.
Parker.	Doran.
Crist.	Laffer.
Robinson.	Gillette.
Kimball.	Hagemann.
Arney.	Quigley.
Taylor.	Schrup.
Hilsinger.	Lindly.
Francis.	Greene.

BANKS AND BANKING.

Jones, Chairman.	Savage.
Foster.	Quigley.
Robinson.	White of Benton.
Arney	Schrup.
Laffer	Voorhees.
Foskett.	Farr.
Hilsinger.	Gillette.
Crist.	

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Boe, Chairman.	Nye.
Thomas.	Crist.
Henigbaum.	Fellows.
Heald.	White of Iowa.
Arney.	Lindly.
Darrah.	Caswell.
Laffer.	Greene.
Jones.	Sheean.
Savage.	Gillette.
Perkins.	

AGRICULTURE.

Doran, Chairman.	Balkema.
Arney.	Nye.
Helmer.	Savage.
Foskett.	Grout.
Darrah.	White of Benton.
Eversmeyer.	Farr.
Perkins.	White of Iowa.
Allen.	Fleck.
Fellows.	Lindly.
Wilson.	

HIGHWAYS.

Balkema, Chairman.	Thompson.
Heald.	Crist.
Thomas.	Doran.
Foster.	White of Iowa.
Jackson.	Farr.
Perkins.	Caswell.
Jones.	Lindly.
Darrah.	Fleck.
Parker.	White of Benton.
Robinson.	Clarkson.

CITIES AND TOWNS.

Kimball, Chairman.	Arney.
Parker.	Robinson.
Grout.	Wilson.
Thompson.	Henigbaum.
Heald.	Eversmeyer.
Darrah.	Sheean.
Jones.	Gillette.
Chase.	Voorhees.
Fellows.	Farr.
Fralley.	Greene.

ELECTIONS.

Darrah, Chairman.	Nye.
Kimball.	Laffer.
Taylor.	Voorhees.
Fellows.	Sheean.
Thomas.	Ream.
Francis.	Gillette.
Jones.	

PENITENTIARIES AND PARDONS.

Heald, Chairman.	Nye.
Thompson.	Gillette.
Thomas.	Fleck.
Wilson.	Caswell.
Frailey.	Ream.
Jones.	Sheean.

TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES.

Perkins, Chairman.	Nye.
Henigbaum.	Hagemann.
Thompson.	Voorhees.
Francis.	Farr.
Savage.	

INSURANCE.

Hilsinger, Chairman.	Jones.
Jackson.	Robinson.
Eversmeyer.	Hagemann.
Heald.	Schrup.
Crist.	Quigley.
Foskett.	White of Iowa.
Henigbaum.	Fleck.
Boe.	Caswell.
Frailey.	

LABOR.

Wilson, Chairman.	Doran.
Parker.	Greene.
Thomas.	Ream.
Larrabee.	White of Benton.
Perkins.	Farr.

CORPORATIONS.

Parker, Chairman.	Larrabee.
Henigbaum.	Frailey.
Helmer.	Fleck.
Jones.	Caswell.

COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP AFFAIRS.

Taylor, Chairman.	Robinson.
Jackson.	Nye.
Laffer.	White of Iowa.
Helmer.	Clarkson.
Foster.	White of Benton.
Chase.	

DAIRY AND FOOD.

Thomas, Chairman.	Henigbaum.
Grout.	Balkema.
Jackson.	Hagemann.
Enger.	White of Benton.
Arney.	Sheean.
Fellows.	

FISH AND GAME.

Fellows, Chairman.	Heald.
Quigley.	Hilsinger.
Francis.	Laffer.
Frailey.	White of Benton.
Darrah.	Sheean.
Grout.	

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Grout, Chairman.	Doran.
Enger.	Lindly.
Helmer.	Schrup.
Parker.	Greene.
Whitmore.	Fleck.
Allen.	Voorhees.
Arney.	Sheean.

MANUFACTORIES.

roster, Chairman.	Jackson.
Henigbaum.	Kimball.
Grout.	Foskett.
Arney.	Lindly.
Larrabee.	Ream.
Eversmeyer.	Schrup.
Whitmore.	

PUBLIC LANDS.

Nye, Chairman.	Chase.
Perkins.	Voorhees.
Fellows.	Greene.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Crist, Chairman.	Darrah.
Allen.	Taylor.
Chase.	White of Iowa.

SENATORIAL AND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS.

Henigbaum, Chairman.	Savage.
Boe.	Greene.
Frailey.	Hagemann.
Allen.	

PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Frailey, Chairman.	Francis.
Crist.	Whitmore.
Parker.	White of Iowa.
Grout.	Lindly.
Perkins.	Ream.
Thompson.	

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

Enger, Chairman.	Jackson.
Thompson.	Wilson.
Francis.	Quigley.
Savage.	Sheean.
Boe.	Farr.
Doran.	Schrup.

SUPPRESSION OF INTEMPERANCE.

Eversmeyer, Chairman.	Fellows.
Heald.	Frailey.
Foster.	White of Iowa.
Hilsinger.	Caswell.
Crist.	Hagemann.
Balkema.	Gillette.

MILITARY AFFAIRS.

Whitmore, Chairman.	Kimball.
Frailey.	Eversmeyer.
Allen.	Quigley.
Helmer.	Gillette.
Larrabee.	

PRINTING.

Helmer, Chairman.	Wilson.
Foster.	Ream.
Parker.	Caswell.
Thomas.	Greene.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

Laffer, Chairman.	Nye.
Thomas.	Ream.
Taylor.	

CONGRESSIONAL AND JUDICIAL DISTRICTS.

Eversmeyer, Chairman.	Helmer.
Allen.	Quigley.
Savage.	Gillette.
Thompson.	

PHARMACY.

Jackson, Chairman.	Heald.
Crist.	Francis.
Parker.	Lindly.
Chase.	Clarkson.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Enger, Chairman.	Greene.
Doran.	Quigley.
Balkema.	White of Benton.
Darraha.	

MINES AND MINING.

Clarkson, Chairman.	Doran.
Wilson.	Larrabee.
Parker.	Ream.
Foster.	Fleck.
Whitmore.	Greene.
Taylor.	

CLAIMS.

Schrup, Chairman.	Hilsinger.
Boe.	Caswell.
Taylor.	

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Quigley, Chairman.	Robinson.
Enger.	Caswell.
Taylor.	

FEDERAL RELATIONS.

Hagemann, Chairman.	Foskett.
Kimball.	Grout.
Enger.	

HORTICULTURE AND FORESTRY.

Farr, Chairman.	Caswell.
Sheean.	Enger.
Boe.	

RULES.

Thompson, Chairman.	Allen.
Chase.	Hagemann.

ENROLLED BILLS.

Foskett, Chairman.	Boe.
Larrabee.	

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Gillette, Chairman.	Nye.
Balkema.	

RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM.

Allen, Chairman.	Savage.
Francis.	Vorhees.
Schrup.	

SENATORS AND THEIR RESPECTIVE COMMITTEES.

ALLEN.

Ways and Means.	Senatorial and Representative Districts.
Judiciary No. 1.	Military Affairs.
Educational Institutions.	Congressional and Judicial District.
Agriculture.	Rules.
Public Health.	Retrenchment and Reform.
Public Buildings.	

ARNEY.

Educational Institutions.	Agriculture.
Ways and Means.	Cities and Towns.
Railroads.	Dairy and Food.
Banks.	Public Health.
Public Schools.	Manufactures.

BALKEMA.

Highways.	Dairy and Food.
Educational Institutions.	Suppression of Intemperance.
Railroads.	Commerce and Trade.
Agriculture.	Engrossed Bills.
Ways and Means.	

BOE.

Public Schools.	Constitutional Amendments.
Railroads.	Claims.
Board of Control.	Horticulture and Forestry.
Senatorial and Representative Districts.	Enrolled Bills.

CASWELL.

Public Schools.	Claims.
Appropriations.	Charitable Institutions.
Highways.	Horticulture and Forestry.
Penitentiaries and Pardons.	Printing.
Insurance.	Corporations.
Suppression of Intemperance.	

CHASE.

Judiciary Committee No. 2.	Public Lands.
Appropriations.	Public Buildings.
Railroads.	Pharmacy.
Cities and Towns.	Rules.
County and Township Affairs.	

CLARKSON.

Mines and Mining.	County and Township Affairs.
Ways and Means.	Pharmacy.
Judiciary No. 1.	Educational Institutions.
Highways.	

CRIST.

Public Buildings.
Ways and Means.
Judiciary No. 2.
Railroads.
Banks.
Public Schools.

Highways.
Insurance.
Public Utilities.
Suppression of Intemperance.
Pharmacy.

DARRAH.

Elections.
Appropriations.
Educational Institutions.
Public Schools.
Agriculture.

Highways.
Cities and Towns.
Fish and Game.
Public Buildings.
Commerce and Trade.

DORAN.

Agriculture.
Ways and Means.
Railroads.
Highways.
Labor.

Public Health.
Constitutional Amendments.
Commerce and Trade.
Mines and Mining.

EVERSMEYER.

Suppression of Intemperance.
Congressional and Judicial Dis-
tricts.
Ways and Means.
Judiciary No. 1.

Agriculture.
Cities and Towns.
Insurance.
Manufactures.
Military Affairs.

ENGER.

Constitutional Amendments.
Commerce and Trade.
Ways and Means.
Dairy and Food.

Public Health.
Charitable Institutions.
Federal Relations.
Horticulture and Forestry.

FARR.

Horticulture and Forestry.
Ways and Means.
Judiciary No. 1.
Board of Control.
Banks.
Agriculture.

Highways.
Cities and Towns.
Telegraphs and Telephones.
Labor.
Constitutional Amendments.

FELLOWS.

Fish and Game.
Appropriations.
Public Schools.
Agriculture.
Cities and Towns.

Elections.
Dairy and Food.
Public Lands.
Suppression of Intemperance.

FLECK.

Board of Control.	Insurance.
Appropriations.	Corporations.
Agriculture.	Public Health.
Highways.	Mines and Mining.
Penitentiaries.	

FOSKETT.

Enrolled Bills.	Agriculture.
Appropriations.	Manufactures.
Educational Institutions.	Federal Relations.
Banks.	

FOSTER.

Manufactures.	Highways.
Judiciary No. 1.	County and Township Affairs.
Appropriations.	Suppression of Intemperance.
Railroads.	Printing.
Banks.	Mines and Mining.

FRAILEY.

Public Utilities.	Corporations.
Judiciary No. 1.	Fish and Game.
Cities and Towns.	Senatorial and Representative Dis-
Penitentiaries and Pardons.	tricts.
Insurance.	Military Affairs.
Suppression of Intemperance.	

FRANCIS.

Judiciary No. 1.	Telegraph and Telephones.
Ways and Means.	Fish and Game.
Educational Institutions.	Public Utilities.
Board of Control.	Constitutional Amendments.
Railroads.	Pharmacy.
Elections.	Retrenchment and Reform.

GILLETTE.

Engrossed Bills.	Elections.
Judiciary No. 2.	Penitentiaries and Pardons.
Railroads.	Suppression of Intemperance.
Banks.	Military Affairs.
Public Schools.	Congressional and Judicial Dis-
Cities and Towns.	tricts.

GREENE.

Public Schools.	Commerce and Trade.
Labor.	Mines and Mining.
Senatorial and Representative Dis-	Public Lands.
tricts.	Public Health.
	Railroads.

GROUT.

Public Health.
Ways and Means.
Agriculture.
Cities and Towns.
Food and Dairy.

Fish and Game.
Manufactures.
Public Utilities.
Federal Relations.

HAGEMANN.

Federal Relations.
Judiciary No. 2.
Appropriations.
Railroads.
Telegraphs and Telephones.
Insurance.

Dairy and Food.
Senatorial and Representative
Districts.
Suppression of Intemperance.
Rules.

HEALD.

Penitentiaries and Pardons.
Judiciary No. 1.
Board of Control.
Public Schools.
Highways.

Cities and Towns.
Insurance.
Fish and Game.
Suppression of Intemperance.
Pharmacy.

HELMER.

Printing.
Ways and Means.
Judiciary No. 2.
Educational Institutions.
Agriculture.

Corporations.
County and Township Affairs.
Public Health.
Military.

HENIGBAUM.

Senatorial and Representative
Districts.
Appropriations.
Public Schools.
Cities and Towns.

Telegraphs and Telephones.
Insurance.
Corporations.
Dairy and Food.
Manufactures.

HILSINGER.

Insurance.
Judiciary No. 2.
Appropriations.
Railroads.

Banks.
Fish and Game.
Suppression of Intemperance.
Claims.

JACKSON.

Pharmacy.
Appropriations.
Highways.
Insurance.

County and Township Affairs.
Dairy and Food.
Manufactures.
Constitutional Amendments.

JONES.

Banks.
 Appropriations.
 Educational Institutions.
 Board of Control.
 Public Schools.
 Highways.

Cities and Towns.
 Penitentiaries and Pardons.
 Insurance.
 Corporations.
 Elections.

KIMBALL.

Cities and Towns.
 Ways and Means.
 Judiciary No. 1.
 Railroads.

Elections.
 Military Affairs.
 Federal Relations.

LAFFER.

Public Library.
 Appropriations.
 Railroads.
 Banks.

Public Schools.
 Elections.
 County and Township Affairs.
 Fish and Game.

LARRABEE.

Railroads.
 Judiciary No. 2.
 Appropriation.
 Educational Institutions.
 Labor.

Corporations.
 Manufactures.
 Military Affairs.
 Mines and Mining.
 Enrolled Bills.

LINDLY.

Appropriations.
 Railroads.
 Public Schools.
 Agriculture.
 Public Utilities.

Highways.
 Public Health.
 Manufactures.
 Pharmacy.

NYE.

Public Lands.
 Board of Control.
 Agriculture.
 Elections.
 Penitentiaries and Pardons.

Telegraphs and Telephones.
 County and Township Affairs.
 Public Library.
 Engrossed Bills.
 Public Schools.

PARKER.

Corporations.
 Judiciary No. 1.
 Railroads.
 Cities and Towns.
 Labor.

Public Health.
 Public Utilities.
 Printing.
 Pharmacy.
 Mines and Mining.

PERKINS.

Telegraphs and Telephones.
 Ways and Means.
 Highways.
 Labor.
 Public Lands.

Public Utilities.
 Judiciary No. 1.
 Railroads.
 Agriculture.
 Public Schools.

QUIGLEY.

Charitable Institutions.
 Judiciary No. 2.
 Railroads.
 Banks.
 Insurance.
 Fish and Game.

Constitutional Amendments.
 Military Affairs.
 Congressional and Judicial Dis-
 tricts.
 Commerce and Trade.

REAM.

Elections.
 Penitentiaries and Pardons.
 Manufactures.
 Public Utilities.

Printing.
 Public Libraries.
 Mines and Mining.
 Labor.

ROBINSON.

Board of Control.
 Appropriations.
 Railroads.
 Banks.
 Highways.

Cities and Towns.
 Insurance.
 County and Township Affairs.
 Charitable Institutions.

SAVAGE.

Appropriations.
 Banks.
 Public Schools.
 Agriculture.
 Telegraphs and Telephones.

Senatorial and Representative Dis-
 tricts.
 Constitutional Amendments.
 Congressional and Judicial Dis-
 tricts.
 Retrenchment and Reform.

SCHRUP.

Claims.
 Appropriations.
 Educational Institutions.
 Railroads.
 Banks.

Insuarnee.
 Public Health.
 Manufactures.
 Constitutional Amendments.
 Retrenchment and Reform.

SHEEAN.

Judiciary No. 1.
 Board of Control.
 Public Schools.
 Cities and Towns.
 Elections.

Dairy and Food.
 Fish and Game.
 Constitutional Amendments.
 Horticulture and Forestry.
 Penitentiaries and Pardons.

TAYLOR.

County and Township Affairs.
 Appropriations.
 Railroads.
 Elections.
 Public Buildings.

Public Library.
 Mines and Mining.
 Claims.
 Charitable Institutions.

THOMAS

Dairy and Food.
 Ways and Means.
 Highways.

Penitentiaries and Pardons.
 Labor.

THOMPSON.

Rules.	Judiciary No. 2.
Public Utilities.	Highways.
Constitutional Amendments.	Cities and Towns.
Congressional and Judicial Dis- tricts.	Penitentiaries and Pardons. Telegraphs and Telephones.

VOORHEES.

Public Lands.	Cities and Towns.
Ways and Means.	Elections.
Board of Control.	Telegraphs and Telephones.
Banks.	Retrenchment and Reform.

WHITE OF BENTON.

No Chairman.	Labor.
Appropriations.	County and Township Affairs.
Educational Institutions.	Dairy and Food.
Banks.	Fish and Game.
Agriculture.	Commerce and Trade.
Highways.	

WHITE OF IOWA.

No Chairman.	Insurance.
Ways and Means.	County and Township Affairs.
Educational Institutions.	Public Buildings.
Public Schools.	Public Utilities.
Agriculture.	Suppression of Intemperance.
Highways.	

WHITMORE.

Military Affairs.	Public Health.
Ways and Means.	Manufactures.
Judiciary No. 2.	Public Utilities.
Board of Control.	Mines and Mining.

WILSON.

Labor.	Cities and Towns.
Judiciary No. 2.	Penitentiaries and Pardons.
Board of Control.	Printing.
Agriculture.	Mines and Mining.

On request of Senator Chase, leave of absence was granted Senator Frailey until Thursday.

On request of Senator Robinson, leave of absence was granted Senator Heald for Tuesday.

JOURNAL CORRECTED.

Journal of Jan. 14th was taken up, corrected and approved.

The following committee clerk appeared before the bar of the Senate and was duly sworn:

Ethel Livingston..... Senator Gillette

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 1, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in Section 2383 of the code, relative to the penalty for the second and each subsequent offense of the crime of selling or keeping for sale intoxicating liquors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Wilson, Joint Resolution No. 1.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing to Amend the Constitution so as to Prohibit the Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicating Liquor as a Beverage within this State.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa;

That the following amendment to the constitution of the State of Iowa be and the same is hereby proposed: To add, as Section 26 to Article 1 of said constitution, the following:

SECTION 26. No person shall manufacture for sale, or sell or keep for sale as a beverage, any intoxicating liquor whatever, including ale, wine, and beer.

The General Assembly shall by law prescribe regulations for the enforcement of the prohibition herein contained, and shall thereby provide suitable penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the foregoing proposed amendment be and the same is hereby referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election for members of the next General Assembly, and that the Secretary of State cause the same to be published for three months previous to the day of said election, as provided by law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

By Senator Thomas, Joint Resolution No. 2.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing to Amend Article One (1) of the Constitution of Iowa by Adding Thereto a Provision Prohibiting the Manufacture, Sale, or Keeping for Sale, of Intoxicating Liquors, as a Beverage, Within This State.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa;

That the following amendment to Article One (1) of the constitution of the State of Iowa be and the same is hereby proposed, and referred to the Thirty-seventh General Assembly of the State of Iowa, viz: By adding thereto, following Section Twenty-six (26) thereof and as Section Twenty-seven (27) thereof, the following, to-wit:

"The manufacture, sale or keeping for sale, as a beverage, of intoxicating liquors, including ale, wine and beer, shall be forever prohibited within this state. The General Assembly shall by law prescribe regulations for the enforcement of the prohibition herein contained, and shall provide suitable penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof."

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two-b (2-b) title fourteen (XIV) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the drainage, sale and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public lands.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 3, a bill for an act to punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public lands.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 4, a bill for an act to fix the standard width of public roads in the state, at fifty (50) feet and regulating the removal of poles and fences to conform thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 5, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-one hundred fifty-one (2151) of the code, relative to the transportation of railroad commissioners and enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 6, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-eight (2478) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors, fixing their term of office, and making certain requirements of said appointees.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on mines and mining.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 7, a bill for an act to repeal sections twenty-four thirty-two (2432) to twenty-four sixty-one (2461) inclusive of the code 1897 and acts amendatory thereof, except certain sections or acts, relating to mulet tax.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 8, a bill for an act amending section seven hundred twenty-five (725) of the code of 1897, relating to the regulation of rates and service of gas companies, electric light companies, water companies, etc., and making said section applicable to telephone companies and service and empowering cities by ordinance to provide regulations thereof, and providing punishment for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public utilities.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 9, a bill for an act providing a punishment for persistent violators of the prohibitory liquor law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 10, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435) of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the mulct tax, statement by citizens, and enacting a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 11, a bill for an act regulating the shipment of intoxicating liquor into the state or between points within the state, regulating the delivery of such liquor, providing for the filing of statements with the county auditor showing such shipments and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 12, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the code of 1897, relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code of 1897, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 13, a bill for an act amending sections twenty-four hundred fifty (2450) and twenty-four hundred fifty-one (2451) of the code and limiting the period in which statements of consent and petitions of revocation of consent for sale of intoxicating liquors may be circulated.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senators Gillette and Crist, Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 15, a bill for an act to amend chapter two hundred eighty (280) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relative to the share of surviving spouse where intestate leaves no issue.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 16, a bill for an act additional to and amendatory of the law as it appears in title III, chapter 5B, of the supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter 13, acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly of Iowa, and to provide for medical and surgical treatment and hospital care of children who are afflicted with any malady or deformity which can probably be remedied, whose parents, or other persons chargeable with their support, are unable to provide such treatment and care, providing for payment of the expenses thereof, and conferring upon juvenile courts jurisdiction and certain powers in such cases.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 17.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion County, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town.

WHEREAS, Doubt exists as to the legality of the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion County, Iowa, the election of its officers, official

acts done, and the ordinances and resolutions passed by the town council of said town; therefore

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion County, Iowa, the election of its officers, and all acts done and the ordinances and resolutions passed by the town council of said town, not in contravention of the laws of the state, are hereby legalized and the same are hereby declared to be valid and binding the same as though the law had been, in all respects, strictly complied with in the incorporation of said town, the election of its officers, and all official acts done, and the passage of its ordinances and resolutions, provided that nothing in this act shall in any wise affect pending litigation.

SECTION 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines Capital, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Melcher Union, a newspaper published in Melcher, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 18, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns to create sanitary districts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 19, a bill for an act relating to the granting of new trials, setting aside of verdicts and reversal of causes upon appeal to the supreme court and defining procedure.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 20, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section twenty-four forty-eight (2448) of the supplement to the code 1913, relating to the number of names required upon the written statement of consent to sales of intoxicating liquors in cities, including cities acting under special charters, of five thousand or more inhabitants.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 21, a bill for an act regulating the granting of licenses to sell intoxicating liquors under the mullet law, and prohibiting the granting of such licenses in towns

of less than one thousand inhabitants and prohibiting the operation of saloons in towns of less than such population.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 22, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section twenty-four forty-eight (2448) of the supplement to the code 1913, relating to the time of closing places where intoxicating liquors are sold.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 23, a bill for an act authorizing and empowering the board of railroad commissioners to prescribe and establish joint service between telephone lines or systems and to fix the terms and conditions under which the same shall be rendered and limit the rates or tolls to be charged therefor, and prescribe penalties for violations of orders of such board.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on telegraph and telephones.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 24, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 5289 of the supplement of the code, 1913, relating to the sufficiency of indictments and the waiver of objections thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 25, a bill for an act to invest the district courts of the state of Iowa with jurisdiction and authority to restrain violations of any law heretofore or hereafter enacted to protect the public and trade and commerce against unlawful restraints, trusts, conspiracies, combinations and monopolies, or unfair discrimination between different sections, communities and localities: to cause any person within the state of Iowa to be made party to an action pending in any court in this state, and to require any person, firm, association or corporation to respond to a subpoena in any court in this state, and to give testimony, and produce any books, papers or documents in any hearing, investigation, proceeding or prosecution for the violation of any laws relating to pools, trusts, conspiracies, combinations or monopolies, or prohibiting unfair discrimination between different

sections, communities or localities, and to provide immunity to the person so testifying.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 26, a bill for an act to amend section 1571-m-17 supplement to the code 1913, providing for signal lights on buggies, carriages, spring wagons and other vehicles.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 27, a bill for an act for the regulation, supervision and control of the business of banking and to provide penalties for its violation for the repeal of all acts or parts of acts in so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 28, a bill for an act providing that evidence of intoxication shall not be given on the question of intent in civil and criminal cases.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 29, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 3705 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to instructions to juries.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 30, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred fifty-nine (4759) of the code relating to the crime of abortion.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 31, a bill for an act to amend section 4110 of the code of 1897, relating to appeals to the supreme court.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Savage from the joint committee on extra help submitted the following report and moved its adoption.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee, to whom was referred the employment of additional help for the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, beg leave to report that they have had the subject under consideration, and the committee has instructed us to introduce a joint resolution covering their recommendation, which is herewith submitted, with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. SAVAGE,
D. C. CHASE,
JOHN T. CLARKSON,
G. E. BRAMMER,
H. C. RING,
GEO. H. PURDY.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By joint committee on additional help.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3.

JOINT RESOLUTION Relating to the Selection of Additional Employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, Fixing Their Compensation and Defining Their Duties.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa;

SECTION 1. The Custodian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint the following named persons, G. H. Edmunds, Nate Flanders, J. E. Winder, C. H. Comley, Edwin Conrad, W. A. Conner, I. F. Hodson and L. L. Couse, who shall be designated as assistants to the Custodian, their duties shall be designated by him, and whose salary shall be seventy dollars per month.

SECTION 2. The Custodian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint three experienced elevator tenders at a salary of sixty dollars per month.

SECTION 3. The Custodian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint W. C. Pugh, as policeman at a salary of seventy dollars per month.

SECTION 4. The Custodian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint Arch Alexander and Abe Ford as assistant janitors in the House cloak and toilet rooms at a salary of sixty dollars per month.

SECTION 5. The Custodian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint Mary Coalson for service as assistant matron at a salary of sixty dollars per month.

SECTION 6. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized and directed to appoint Jacob Russell and Bert Palmer for service as clerks in the document department at a salary of seventy dollars per month.

SECTION 7. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized and directed to appoint J. R. Peters and R. O. Hughes for service in the document room at a salary of seventy dollars per month.

SECTION 8. The Law Librarian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint Nels C. Hansen and Miss Dorothy Kautz assistants at a salary of eighty dollars per month.

SECTION 9. The Law Librarian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint a stenographer at a salary of seventy-five dollars per month, and Lloyd Marshall page at a salary of forty-five dollars per month.

SECTION 10. The President of the Senate is hereby authorized and directed to appoint Howard H. Nye page for service as telephone messenger at a salary of forty-five dollars per month.

SECTION 11. The President of the Senate is hereby authorized and directed to appoint Aaron Coplan as page to the Chief Doorkeeper of the Senate at a salary of forty-five dollars per month.

SECTION 12. The Speaker of the House is hereby authorized and directed to appoint Donald M. Winterrowd page for service as telephone messenger at a salary of forty-five dollars per month.

SECTION 13. The Speaker of the House is hereby authorized and directed to appoint Cecil Wright as page to the Chief Doorkeeper of the House at a salary of forty-five dollars per month.

SECTION 14. Humphrey Richards is hereby appointed mail carrier.

SECTION 15. M. S. Pratt is hereby appointed assistant doorkeeper of the House.

SECTION 16. Frank Shaeffer is hereby appointed assistant to the Bill Clerk and File Clerk in the Senate.

SECTION 17. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized and directed to retain as many clerks hereby appointed to serve in the document room as he may deem necessary for a period of time not to exceed two weeks after the adjournment of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Read first and second time.

Passed on file.

RESOLUTION BY SENATOR HAGEMANN.

Senator Hagemann submitted the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The nations of the old world are now waging the greatest war of mankind, causing a destruction of life and property and bringing to the nations involved ruin and desolation and untold suffering and misery;

And Whereas, as a people, we stand and strive for the highest ideals of a Christian civilization and now hope and fervently pray that this massacre of nations may soon come to an end, followed by peace universal and everlasting among all nations of the world;

And Whereas, our government has proclaimed strict neutrality and given assurance to American citizens of all races and to the belligerent powers themselves, that we shall give aid and support to none, and by our acts as a nation, break no bonds of friendship with the countries with whom we are at peace and create no discord among our citizens here;

And Whereas, this country has recognized the right of our government to withhold war supplies from contending armies when she laid an embargo on munitions of war when the feeble armies of Mexico were arrayed

against each other, but now permits its citizens, without protest, to offer their limitless supplies to the mightiest armies that were ever assembled in battle array, thereby assisting in keeping alive this great military conflagration;

And Whereas, we, the members of this body, are in sympathy with the Christian endeavor of this nation to appeal to the God of Nations that peace may come, and reject as hypocrisy and national sacrilege the commercial spirit of the country that is answering our supplications for peace by sending the instruments of destruction and death to the serried armies arrayed in struggle through the empires of Europe.

Therefore Be It Resolved, That we, the Senate of the State of Iowa, duly assembled, hereby declare that it is the imperative duty of the Congress of the United States to pass the necessary laws forthwith that will enable the President of the United States to lay an embargo upon all contraband of war, save and except food stuffs alone, and thereby withdraw from the contending powers all aid and assistance of this Republic;

And Be It Further Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be sent to our Representative in Congress, in the House of Representatives and the Senate with the request that all legislation, looking to this end, be given their loyal support.

F. P. HAGEMANN.

Passed on file.

The following communication addressed to the President of the Senate was received and read.

Des Moines, Iowa, January 16, 1915.

Hon. William L. Harding,
City.

Dear Sir:

The Register and Leader has for many years printed the State Laws, carrying a publication clause, at a rate much less than actual cost. We have tried several times to induce the Legislature to pass a measure increasing the compensation. The present rate is less than one-half of our regular commercial rate.

This is to advise the officers and members of the Legislature that we will not in the future publish these Laws in either the Register and Leader or The Evening Tribune without adequate compensation. If a measure should be introduced increasing the compensation to the Des Moines newspapers publishing these Laws, it should carry a rate of not less than seven cents a brevier line, or its equivalent.

Yours very truly,

W. B. SOUTHWELL, *Business Manager*.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Eversmeyer submitted the following communication which was received and read.

Des Moines, Iowa, January 18, 1915.

Dear Sir:

The Des Moines Capital has been favored for a number of years with the publication of laws of the state of Iowa, which take effect on publication. We, however, have received this business at 33 1-3 cents per square, (a square being more than an inch), while our lowest average commercial rate is 70c an inch. Consequently, we have been publishing this business at a loss.

With two previous General Assemblies, in conjunction with the Register & Leader, we made an effort to have the rate made compensatory. A bill accomplishing this was passed by one house of the General Assembly on both occasions, but was refused in the other branch. The Capital cannot afford to carry the business at the price fixed, and we are requesting all members of both Houses of the General Assembly to either increase the rates, making them 70c an inch, or that the Capital's name be not inserted in the bills to receive the advertising.

The amount of the advertising received by the Capital from the last General Assembly was \$425.66.

We will be pleased to have you give the matter immediate attention.

Yours most cordially,

THE DES MOINES CAPITAL,
Lafe Young, Jr.

Referred to committee on printing.

On Jan. 18th G. F. Kane clerk to Lieutenant Governor Harding appeared before the bar of the Senate and was duly sworn.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 20, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. W. A. Morgan of Lenox, Iowa.

Journal of Jan. 19th was taken up, corrected and approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION relative to furnishing codes and supplements to the representatives of the press.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Boone county opposing the recommendations of the committee on retrenchment and reform.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 32.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Legalizing the Acts and Proceedings of the Incorporated Town of Adel, and the Town Council of Said Incorporated Town, in the County of Dallas and State of Iowa, in Relation to the Extending, Maintenance and Operation of a System of Water Works, and the Issuance of Bonds and Warrants of Said Town and Payment Thereof, and Authorizing the Town Council of Said Town to Issue Bonds for the Purpose of Taking Up Its Floating Indebtedness Represented by Such Warrants.

WHEREAS, The town council of the town of Adel has made extensive improvements and changes in its established water works system by the installation of several miles of additional water mains, and by the installation of a pumping house and pump and an auxiliary pump and engine for fire protection, and

WHEREAS, Such betterments have been contracted for and warrants issued for such improvements, and

WHEREAS, At this time there is approximately \$8,000.00 of said warrants outstanding with no funds available for the payment thereof, and

WHEREAS, In order to complete said work it is necessary to issue further warrants, and

WHEREAS, The outstanding warrants drawing interest at the rate of six per cent and the present revenues of the said water system are not sufficient to maintain and pay off such outstanding warrants within a reasonable time, and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the acts and proceedings of the said town in issuing the warrants in payment for the extension, erection, maintenance and operation of said water system, and

WHEREAS, The total bonded indebtedness of said town, including said warrants, would be less than fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000.00), and

WHEREAS, The constitutional limitation of indebtedness for such town is forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000.00), and

WHEREAS, It is the desire of said incorporated town and the citizens thereof that the acts and proceedings of the said incorporated town and the said town council, in relation to the extension, erection, maintenance and operation of said water works and the indebtedness created and incurred therefor and the warrants issued in payment of said indebtedness shall be cured and legalized and the said town council be authorized to issue bonds to pay said indebtedness so created and incurred.

Therefore, Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That all the acts of the incorporated town of Adel, County of Dallas and State of Iowa, and of the town council of said incorporated town relating to the extension, erection, maintenance and operation of said water works within said incorporated town and relating to the indebtedness created and incurred therefor, and relating to the issuance of the warrants of said town in payment of said indebtedness and the outstanding warrants of said town, are hereby legalized as a valid and binding indebtedness of said town, with the same force and effect as if the same had been legal and valid at the time of the incurring of the said indebtedness and issuing of said warrants.

SECTION 2. That the incorporated town of Adel, and the town council of said town be and are hereby authorized to issue the bonds of said town for the purpose of liquidating and taking up the floating indebtedness of said town represented by the said town warrants now outstanding, drawn upon the water works fund, not, however, in excess of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00), such amount being less than 5% of the actual value of the taxable property within said incorporated town.

SECTION 3. That the said incorporated town of Adel, and the town council of said incorporated town be and are hereby authorized to provide for the payment of the said bonds and interest thereon in the same manner as is provided by the statutes of Iowa in relation to the payment of bonds and interest thereon, issued for the construction of water works.

SECTION 4. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.

SECTION 5. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Dallas County Record, a newspaper published at Adel, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 33.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Legalizing Certain Acts and Proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Adel, County of Dallas and State of Iowa, and Warrants Thereof, and Authorizing the Issuance of Bonds.

WHEREAS, The electors of the Independent School District of Adel, County of Dallas and State of Iowa, at a special election held on the 24th day of November, 1913, pursuant to petition, order and notice as provided by sections 2812-d, 2812-e, 2813 of the Supplement of the Code of Iowa, 1907, as amended by the acts of the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies, did, by a vote of two hundred sixty-five for, and thirty-nine against, authorize the Board of Directors of said School District to issue bonds of the district for the purpose of securing additional grounds and building and furnishing a school house for said district, and

WHEREAS, The said Board of Directors did thereafter issue the said bonds and did procure additional grounds and build and furnish a suitable and proper school house for said district, and

WHEREAS, After the sale of the bonds and application of the entire proceeds thereof to the payment for said grounds and building and equipment there remains unpaid warrants, and for which no funds are available, in the sum of six thousand one hundred and seventy-nine dollars and forty-four cents (\$6,179.44), and

WHEREAS, The total indebtedness of the said School District, including said warrants, does not exceed the constitutional limitation nor the limitation fixed by the said statute which was in force at the time the said purchase, building and furnishing were authorized, and

WHEREAS, The said payments did not exceed the reasonable value of the property, materials and labor necessary for said building and furnishing of the said school house and the said School District has received the full value of said warrants and has taken possession of and continuously used said building without objection by any one, and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen regarding the legality of the said acts and proceedings of said Board of Directors and of the said warrants and the said School District should be permitted to secure the advantage of lower interest rates by issuing bonds for the payment of said warrants,

Therefore, Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. The acts and proceedings of the said Board of Directors for the Independent School District of Adel, in the County of Dallas and State of Iowa, as above set forth, and the said warrants issued on the school building fund or contingent fund of said district for school building purposes, numbered 630, 631, 633, 636, 638, 642, 653, 654, 655, 657, 658, 659,

660, are hereby legalized and declared valid and as effectual as though all of the same and the issuance of said warrants had been in strict compliance with law.

SECTION 2. The said Board of Directors are hereby authorized to pay the said warrants so legalized by the issuance of school building bonds of the said School District, in an amount sufficient therefor, including the interest on such unpaid warrants, and said bonds shall be issued in the general form provided by law for school building bonds, and which said bonds when issued shall be and are hereby declared to be legal and valid as though all the requirements of the law contained in said sections 2820-a, 2820-b, 2820-c, 2820-d of the Supplement to the Code, 1907, as amended by the acts of the Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies, had been fully complied with and the said law had remained in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. Nothing in this act shall affect in any way any pending litigation in relation to the subject matter thereof.

SECTION 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Dallas County News, a newspaper published at Adel, Iowa, which publications shall be without expense to the State.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 35, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred forty-one-d (741-d) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the power to erect a city hall and to purchase the ground therefor in certain cities and towns.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 36, a bill for an act to repeal the non-partisan judiciary law as the same appears in chapter two-b (2-b), title six (6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to restore the previous law relating to the nomination and election of judges of the supreme, district and superior courts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 37, a bill for an act enabling Mrs. C. C. Platner, and Mrs. George Wilson to share in the policemen's pension fund of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 38, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. N. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 39, a bill for an act to amend section 1087-b2 and section 1087-b3 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the non-partisan nomination and election of judges.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 40, a bill for an act to amend section 2540 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the season during which fish may be taken.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on fish and game.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 41, a bill for an act to create the office of city manager, providing for the appointment, salary and term of office and prescribing the duties and powers thereof. (Additional to chapter two (2) title five (V) of the code.)

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 43, a bill for an act to repeal section five (5) of chapter sixty-two (62) of the acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly, as amended by chapter fifty-

one (51) of the acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 44, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twenty (254-a20) of the supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter thirty-one (31) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, providing for the maintenance of dependent children whose mothers are widows.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Francis submitted the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, That no bill or measure other than appropriation bills shall be retained by any committee for more than ten days after reference to such committee unless authorized by the Senate.

Referred to committee on rules.

On request of Senator Nye leave of absence was granted Senator Thomas for the day.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Be It Resolved by the House, the Senate Concurring, That the Secretary of State be required to furnish each representative of the press who have assignments of seats in the House and Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, a copy of the Code and Supplement thereto and subsequent laws and annotations, and House and Senate Journals of the Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth General Assemblies.

Senator Chase moved the resolution be referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

Carried.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Quigley called up the resolution offered by him on January 14th relative to the appointment of an investigating committee.

The resolution was read for information.

Senator Helmer moved that the resolution be laid on the table.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

Those favoring the motion were:

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foscett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Parker, Perkins, Taylor Wilson—19.

The nays were :

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Savag^e, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—27.

Absent or not voting :

Enger, Frailey, Ream, Thomas.

The motion to lay on the table was lost.

Senator Quigley moved the adoption of the resolution.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

Those favoring the motion were :

The ayes were :

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—28.

The nays were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foscett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Parker, Perkins, Taylor, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting :

Frailey, Ream, Thomas.

The resolution was adopted.

The President appointed as members of such investigating committee, Senators Crist, Robinson, Darrah, Quigley and Gillette.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Doran called up the resolution offered by him on January 14th, relative to expunging a part of the Governor's message from the Senate Journal, and moved the adoption of the resolution.

Senator Boe moved that the resolution be referred to the special investigating committee named under the resolution offered by Senator Quigley.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Robinson from the committee on examination of committee clerks submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—We, your committee, appointed to examine the applicants for committee clerks as to their qualifications for the position, according to the resolution passed by the Senate, beg leave to report that we have made such examination of the following named persons and find them qualified for the position:

C. A. Bryan..... Senator Allen
Lyle Bean..... Senator Quigley

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. B. ROBINSON, CHAIRMAN,

Adopted.

The following committee clerks appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn:

C. A. Bryan..... Senator Allen
Lyle Bean..... Senator Quigley

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 21, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. E. E. Mack, Pastor of the Christian church, Cherokee, Iowa.

By unanimous consent of the Senate, Senate File No. 36 was withdrawn from the committee on judiciary and referred to committee on elections.

Journal of Jan. 20th was taken up, corrected and approved.

On request of Senator Eversmeyer leave of absence was granted Senator Hagemann until Tuesday.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Crist presented a petition of teachers of Clarke county, urging the passage of a "Teacher's Age—Service" beneficiary law.

Referred to committee on public schools.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of the reformatory at Anamosa and the penitentiary at Fort Madison.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on penitentiaries and pardons.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 46, a bill for an act to permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to subscribe for stock of federal reserve banks, and to invest funds therein and incur liability therefor, and become members thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 47, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-eight (2778), supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 48, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred and seventy-three (2773) of the code of Iowa, relating to legal holidays in common schools.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 49, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred seventy-nine (479) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Henigbaum, Senate File No. 50, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred and thirty-seven (937), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 51, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 52, a bill for an act providing funds and making appropriation for the participation of the state of Iowa in the celebration of the semi-centennial anniversary of the act of emancipation, to be held at Chicago, Illinois, in the year 1915.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 53, a bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 54, a bill for an act authorizing the issue of bonds for the purpose of purchasing, erecting or maintaining and operating waterworks, by cities of the first class and cities acting under the commission plan of government.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 55, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand three hundred forty-eight (2348) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to bounty on wolves.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 56, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand three hundred forty-eight-a (2348-a) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to bounty on pocket gophers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 57, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the time within which appeals may be taken to the supreme court, as the same appears in section forty-one hundred ten (4110) of the code and section fifty-four hundred forty-eight (5448) of the code as amended by chapter two hundred twenty-eight (228) of the acts of the Thirty-third (33d) General Assembly.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 58, a bill for an act to amend section 2415 of the code of Iowa, relative to the payment of costs in search warrant cases.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 59, a bill for an act to amend section 1087-a4 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a7 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a10 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a14 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a19 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a22 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a24a of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a25 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a27 of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the time of holding primary elections, declaration of party affiliation, form of nomination papers, form of primary election ballots, canvass by board of supervisors, canvass by state board, vacancy in nomination of United States Senator.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Fleck, Senate File No. 60, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand six hundred fifty-six (3656) of the code, relating to appearance term not being the trial term for equitable actions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Fleck, Senate File No. 61, a bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to investigate the Torrens system of land registration, and to report on the expediency of the adoption of such system or modification thereof, by the state of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Lindly, Senate File No. 62, a bill for an act to repeal section one (1) of chapter two hundred forty-four (244) of the laws of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, and enacting a substitute therefor relating to the display of the flag on school premises.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 63, a bill for an act authorizing the city and town councils to grant a permit to corporations, co-partnerships, or individuals desiring to manufacture ice to be sold to the public, to lay pipe lines in, under, along and

across the streets, highways, alleys, public grounds, streams or rivers within the corporate limits of cities and towns.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 64, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-b (1527-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 65, a bill for an act to repeal section one thousand eight hundred sixty-nine (1869) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to banks and unincorporated banking companies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 66, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two (932) of the code of 1897, relating to the transfer of public squares or other plats of ground deeded or dedicated to the public, to be used for school purposes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate Joint Resolution No. 4.

JOINT RESOLUTION Instructing the State Printer to Print in Pamphlet Form the Committee Appointments.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the State Printer is hereby instructed to print a list showing the membership of the various committees in both the Senate and the House, the same to be 6½ by 4 inches in size; one thousand (1,000) copies of same to be printed, four hundred (400) for the Senate and six hundred (600) for the House.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on printing.

Senator Eversmeyer submitted a communication from the Des Moines News relative to publication of laws of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

The communication was referred to the committee on printing.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, a Joint Resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

The resolution was read for information.

Senator Larrabee moved that the resolution be referred to the committee on retrenchment and reform.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Crist, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Perkins—7.

The nays were:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Darrah, Foster, Gillette, Hagemann, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Schrup—9.

The motion to refer was lost.

Senator Savage moved that the rules be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Darrah, Larrabee, Perkins—3.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Fleck, Foster, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Schrup—12.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM COMMITTEE.

President Harding announced the appointment of Senators Schrup and Voorhees, as members from the minority party on the committee on retrenchment and reform.

Senator Clarkson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 22, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. C. R. Vawter, Pastor of the Christian church, Marshalltown, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Gillette presented a petition from the Cherokee Commercial Club of Cherokee, Iowa, urging the passage of a bill providing for an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Doran presented a petition from the Nevada Commercial Club of Nevada, Iowa, urging the passage of a bill providing for an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Lieutenant Governor Harding presented a petition of citizens of Jones county, urging the enactment of a law giving the mayor and town council of each town or city and the trustees of the townships and board of supervisors of the county, power to make an investigation of all contagious and infectious diseases among animals.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following joint resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate joint resolution No. 3 relating to the selection of additional employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly and fixing their compensation and defining their duties.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 67, a bill for an act to impose a tax on dogs for the protection of horses, cattle, sheep, swine, other live stock and domestic fowls, defining the duty of owners of dogs with reference thereto, providing penalties for the violation of this act, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Ream, Senate File No. 68, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter one hundred fifty-three (153) acts of the Thirty-third (33) General Assembly, relating to the use of trot lines, and to the time during which one may take fish from the waters of the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on fish and game.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 69, a bill for an act to amend paragraph three (3) of section thirteen hundred four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of certain property from taxation.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Jackson, Senate File No. 70, a bill for an act to amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-two (4999-a32) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the selling of pure drugs.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on pharmacy.

By Senator Jackson, Senate File No. 71, a bill for an act requiring persons compounding, selling or dispensing medicines, drugs or chemicals on prescription to keep the original of such prescription on file, and providing for the labeling of all containers of medicines, drugs or chemicals, additional to chapter eighteen (18) of title twelve (XII) of the code and amendments thereto relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on pharmacy.

By Senator Nye, Senate File No. 72.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Ordinances of the Incorporated Town of Clearfield, Taylor County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, On the 17th day of July, 1913, the town council of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Iowa, duly adopted certain ordinances of said town, designated and numbered two hundred (200) to two hundred twenty-two (222), both inclusive, which were duly approved by the mayor of said town, and

WHEREAS, Said council provided for and caused the publication of said ordinances in book form and known and designated as "Ordinances of the Incorporated Town of Clearfield in Taylor County, Iowa," on the 15th day of August, 1913, the same being duly certified by the mayor and town clerk of said town as being true and correct copy of said ordinances, and

WHEREAS, Said ordinances were adopted, approved and published in the manner and form provided by law, but doubts have arisen and now exist as to the legality of said ordinances and the acts and proceedings of the said council, mayor and clerk, relative thereto, now, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Ordinances Legalized.—Pending Litigation. That the said ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor County, Iowa, designated and numbered two hundred (200) to two hundred twenty-two (222), both inclusive, duly adopted and approved July 17, 1913, and all of which was published in book form and designated and known as "Ordinances of the Incorporated Town of Clearfield in Taylor County, Iowa," be and hereby are each and all fully legalized and declared valid and of the same force and effect as if they had in all respects been adopted, approved and published in the manner, form and time provided by law; provided, however, that this act shall not affect pending litigation.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 73, a bill for an act to repeal chapter fourteen (14) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, relating to the levy of a tax for and purchase of grounds, etc., for extension of the State Capitol Grounds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 74, a bill for an act declaring telephone companies common carriers, placing telephone companies under the supervision of the board of railroad commissioners, and giving the board of railroad commissioners power to compel physical connection between telephone companies, to regulate the rates and charges of telephone companies, and to control the construction and operation of the plants of telephone companies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on telegraph and telephones.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 75, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section 2341-s of the supplement to the code 1913, relating to lien upon progeny of stallions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 76, a bill for an act to amend chapter three hundred forty-eight (348) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, relating to pensions to survivors of the Spirit Lake relief expedition extending said pension to Abbie Gardener Sharp.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) to indemnify George D. Shaw for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital of the insane at Clarinda, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 78, a bill for an act to amend section four (4) of chapter five (5) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relative to the settlement of liabilities of the state growing out of the sale of certain school lands and making appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Boe, Senate Joint Resolution No. 5.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 5, Providing for the Preparation and Printing of a Classified Index of Legislative Bills.

WHEREAS, By reason of the large number of bills introduced in former legislatures and the difficulty of determining the status of a bill during the progress of the session, experience has shown the need of a classified index of bills in order to facilitate and expedite the work of the General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the Thirty-sixth General Assembly now in session not be handicapped for the want of compiled detailed and statistical information in regard to the status of bills introduced and other legislative matters pending; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law librarian be required to prepare a classified index of bills, giving detailed information as to the status of all pending legislation.

SECTION 2. That all such detailed information shall be on file in the law library and shall be available to any member of the legislature.

SECTION 3. That the said law librarian shall have printed at intervals during the session, in a concise pamphlet form, such information and data, arranged both under serial number and subjects, as will give to the members of the legislature the status of each bill.

SECTION 4. That the state printer is authorized to print and bind as other printing and binding, such pamphlets as may be prepared by the law librarian, and such printing and binding shall be done without delay.

SECTION 5. That the said law librarian is authorized to employ a person competent to assist in the preparing, compiling and editing of such a classified index, and the person so employed shall receive compensation at the rate of eighty dollars (\$80.00) per month.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on printing.

REPORT OF MILEAGE COMMITTEE.

Senator Thomas from the special committee on mileage submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on mileage beg leave to report that they find members of the Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly entitled to mileage as follows:

Members	Miles.	Amount.
Lieutenant Governor Harding.....	452	\$22.60
Senator Allen	206	10.30
Senator Arney	150	7.50
Senator Balkema	480	24.00
Senator Boe	310	15.50
Senator Caswell	272	13.60
Senator Chase	144	7.20
Senator Clarkson	136	6.80
Senator Crist	116	5.80
Senator Darrah	136	6.80
Senator Doran	132	6.60
Senator Eversmeyer	326	16.30
Senator Enger	416	20.80
Senator Farr	442	22.10
Senator Fellows	670	33.50
Senator Fleck	70	3.50
Senator Foskett	340	17.00
Senator Foster	120	6.00
Senator Frailey	320	16.00
Senator Francis	358	17.90
Senator Gillette	316	15.80

Senator Greene	450	22.50
Senator Grout	212	10.60
Senator Hagemann	254	12.70
Senator Heald	260	13.00
Senator Helmer	168	8.40
Senator Henigbaum	350	17.50
Senator Hilsinger	468	23.40
Senator Jackson	320	16.00
Senator Jones	256	12.80
Senator Kimball	284	14.20
Senator Laffer	178	8.90
Senator Larrabee	172	8.60
Senator Lindly	268	13.40
Senator Nye	236	11.80
Senator Parker
Senator Perkins	392	19.60
Senator Quigley	600	30.00
Senator Ream	128	6.40
Senator Robinson	185	9.25
Senator Savage	120	6.00
Senator Schrup	409	20.45
Senator Sheean	314	15.70
Senator Taylor	274	13.70
Senator Thomas	200	10.00
Senator Thompson	336	16.80
Senator Voorhees	136	6.80
Senator White of Benton	240	12.00
Senator White of Iowa	196	9.80
Senator Whitmore	180	9.00
Senator Wilson	188	9.40

L. W. BOE,
 G. L. CASWELL,
 C. H. THOMAS, CHAIRMAN.

Adopted.

Journal of Jan. 21st was taken up, corrected and approved.

Upon motion of Senator Thomas, chairman of the committee on mileage, unanimous consent was granted to correct certain errors in the report of that committee.

On request of Senator Helmer leave of absence was granted Senator Parker for the day.

Senator Doran moved that the senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 23, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. E. L. Reese, Pastor of Summit Park United Brethren church, Des Moines, Iowa.

Journal of Jan. 22d was taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, joint resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, joint resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE RESOLUTION SIGNED.

President Harding announced that as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Laffer, by request, Senate File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to notice and proof of loss under oath in case of insurance on personal property, as it appears in section one thousand seven hundred and seventy-four (1774) of the code of 1897.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 80, a bill for an act to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg anniversary commission created by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly in carrying out the provisions of chapter three hundred thirty-five (335), acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

By Senator Nye, Senate File No. 81, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-h (2461-h) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of saloons which may be operated in any city or town.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Nye, Senate File No. 82, a bill for an act to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in the state of Iowa, by the prohibition of treating, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 83, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to the widow and heirs of Greenberry Stephens, for a tract of land in Muscatine county, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 84, a bill for an act to repeal section 3704 of the code of 1897 relative to restricting the argument of attorneys.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 85, a bill for an act to define a private bank and to require statements, and to provide for the examination of same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 86.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Legalizing Certain Bonds of, and Certain Acts and Proceedings by the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee and State of Iowa.

WHEREAS, In pursuance to the provisions of sections 2820-d2, 2820-d3, 2820-d4, 2820-d5, 2812-d, 2812-e, 2812-f, and 2813 of the supplement to the code, 1913, there was filed with the president of the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee, State of Iowa, on May 11th, 1914, a petition signed by the requisite number of qualified electors of said district, asking that a special election be called for the purpose of submitting to the voters of said district the question of the issuance of bonds for the erection of a school building, the purchase of a site therefor, and for the purpose of making repairs and improvements on the school buildings of the said district, and on May 11th, 1914, a special meeting of the said Board of Directors was called, all members being duly notified and all present, and a resolution was then and there passed calling a special election for June 12th, 1914, the polls to be open from 1 p. m. to 6 p. m., on the question of issuing bonds for the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00), and on May 13th, 1914, a special meeting of the said Board of Directors was held on call of the President, each member being duly served with notice, and it was then and there resolved to change the amount called for at such special election to the sum of eighty-five thousand dollars (\$85,000.00), and notice of the said election and its object, and the time and place appointed, was duly published for the requisite length of time, and the vote polled at such election resulted in four hundred forty-seven votes being cast, of which four hundred and two votes were "yes" and thirty-eight votes were "no" and seven ballots were defective, and

WHEREAS, Thereafter, by resolution of said Board of Directors at a meeting regularly called, with a quorum present, bonds were ordered issued in accordance with the result of said election, in the sum of eighty-five thousand dollars (\$85,000.00), in the denomination of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), being numbered from one to eighty-five, both numbers included, said bonds to become due and payable on the first day of July, 1924, and to draw interest from and after date until paid, at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first days of July and January of each year, both principal and interest being payable at the office of the treasurer of the Independent School District of Cherokee, Iowa, and prescribing the form of the said bonds, and

WHEREAS, The said eighty-five thousand dollars (\$85,000.00) does not exceed, together with all other indebtedness, five per cent of the actual value of the taxable property within such Independent School District, as listed in the last preceding county tax list, and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the acts and proceedings of the said Board of Directors and the validity of the said bonds, and

WHEREAS, The repairs which were contemplated in the original call for the election have already been made and paid for from other proper sources, and that no portion of the money to be derived from the sale of these bonds is to be used for any purpose save for the erection and equipment of a school building and for the purchase of a site therefor.

Therefore, Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That all the acts and proceedings of the said Board of Directors for the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee and State of Iowa, as above set forth, and the bonds issued or to be issued, in accordance with the said election, and the resolutions of the said Board thereafter passed are hereby legalized and declared valid, and all acts in connection therewith, by the said board, both preliminary to and subsequent to the said election, and the said election to be declared legal and valid and as effectual as though all of the same had been in strict compliance with the letter of the law.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this act shall affect in any way any litigation in relation to the subject matter thereof.

SECTION 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance, it shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Daily News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cherokee Democrat, a newspaper published at Cherokee, Iowa, both of which publications shall be without expense to the state of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 87, a bill for an act making void all claims for real estate commissions unless evidenced by contract in writing.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 88, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, etc.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Ream, Senate File No. 89, a bill for an act to provide free textbooks and supplies in all school districts of the state, to authorize the making of contracts therefor, and the terms, conditions and form thereof, to provide the terms and conditions under which publishers may lawfully contract to furnish such books, to fix the duties of school officers in reference thereto, to provide the terms and conditions under which the books may be loaned to pupils and their responsibility therefor, to authorize the levy of an additional contingent fund with which to pay for such books and supplies, and to repeal acts and parts thereof in conflict herewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 90, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-c (2461-c) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the amount of the annual mulet tax.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 91, a bill for an act to create a law and legislative reference and bill drafting department of the state library; providing for a director and subordinate officers and employees thereof; prescribing the duties and fixing the salaries thereof, and making an additional appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 92, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-five hundred seventy-five (2575) of the code, 1897, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the state board of health.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 93, a bill for an act to increase the salary of the chief executive officer of the institution for feebleminded children at Glenwood, Iowa, amendatory of the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven 3a (2727-3a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, joint resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 94, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the code, 1913, by granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise or bequest.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 95, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174) and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a) of chapter eight, (8), title two (II), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the census.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator White of Iowa offered the following concurrent resolution.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION inviting Rev. Dr. John A. Ryan of St. Paul, Minnesota, to address a joint session of the Senate and House.

WHEREAS, Rev. Dr. John A. Ryan of St. Paul, Minnesota, was appointed by President Taft one of a committee to investigate the wages paid for labor in the United States, and who has for many years last past made an exhaustive study of the conditions of the laboring classes, and particularly with reference to legislation affecting wages and working conditions, and

WHEREAS, These subjects are of vital interest to the people of this state and to this General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, The said Rev. Dr. John A. Ryan intends to lecture upon this subject in the city of Des Moines on the evening of January 24, 1915, now *Therefore, Be It Resolved by the General Assmby of the State of Iowa,* That an invitation be extended Rev. Dr. John A. Ryan of St. Paul, Minnesota, to address a joint session of the Senate and House at 11 a. m., Monday, January 25, 1915, in the House Chamber.

Adopted.

On motion of Senator Whitmore unanimous consent was granted to withdraw from the committee on printing, Senate Joint Resolution No. 4.

Senator Whitmore then moved that Senate Joint Resolution No. 4 be withdrawn from further consideration by the Senate.

Carried.

Senator Whitmore offered the following concurrent resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION Directing the State Printer to Print in Pamphlet Form a List of the Officers and Members of the Committees of the Senate and the House.

Resolved by the Senate, the House Concurring, That the State Printer is hereby instructed to print in pamphlet form, from the forms prepared for the Official Directory and Rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, a list showing the officers and the members of the various committees, in both the House and the Senate; four hundred (400) copies thereof to be printed for the use of the Senate and six hundred (600) copies thereof for the use of the House.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

EXTRA COPIES OF JOURNAL.

Senator Helmer offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

Resolved, That the State Printer be and he is hereby instructed to print one hundred (100) extra copies of the Senate Journal of January 12, 1915.

Adopted.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Caswell offered the following concurrent resolution:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House Concurring, That hereafter the section in bills requiring publication shall not designate publication of laws in any newspaper refusing to accept same at the rate of compensation now permitted by law.

Referred to committee on printing.

RESOLUTION FOR MEMORIAL.

Senator Enger offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—I move that a committee of three be appointed by the chair to draft resolutions in commemoration of the life and services of ex-Senator P. M. Jewell of Decorah, Senator of the forty-second Senatorial District during the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies, who died January 8, 1914.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Enger, Fellows and Quigley.

By unanimous consent of the Senate, Senate File No. 77 was withdrawn from the committee on appropriations and referred to the committee on claims.

Senator Greene made the following request and asked that it be considered at this time.

To the Members of the Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

I herewith request the unanimous consent of the Senate to appoint Katherine Croaks as my committee clerk, whom I can recommend as a person amply qualified to do and perform any work which I may have in the performance of my duties as a member of this body.

Miss Croake is a graduate of St. Mary's School of Clinton, Iowa, and of a business college at Clinton, Iowa, but in the past few years has not had experience in shorthand. Otherwise I feel that she would make a competent, careful employe of and for this body.

SENATOR GREENE.

Carried unanimously and request granted.

The following committee clerk appeared before the bar of Senate and was duly sworn:

Katherine Croake Senator Greene

Senator Allen stated that Mr. C. Alfonso Zelaya, son of the exiled president of Nicaragua, was present and moved that he be invited to address this body.

Carried unanimously.

Mr. Zelaya was escorted to the chair and addressed the Senate briefly on trade conditions in South America.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, January 25th, 1915.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 25, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Frank C. McKean Pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, Des Moines, Iowa.

Journal of Jan. 23d was taken up, corrected and approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to holding a joint session of Senate and House on January 25, 1915, at 11 o'clock a. m.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Robinson presented a petition signed by the Commercial Club of Mason City favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Ida county, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law giving the mayor and town council of each town or city and the trustees of the townships and board of supervisors of the county power to make an investigation of all contagious or infectious diseases.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Wilson presented a memorial of citizens of Appanoose county urging the enactment of a law prohibiting both the manufacture and sale of intoxicating and alcoholic liquors.

Referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

Senator Grout presented a petition signed by the Waterloo Commercial Club of Waterloo, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 96, a bill for an act amending section five thousand seven hundred eighteen-a-eighteen (5718-a18) of the supplement to the code, 1913, bringing prisoners committed to the penitentiaries, serving life sentences for murder, under the jurisdiction and operation of the parole law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on penitentiaries and pardons.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 97, a bill for an act to limit and restrict the time of service per day of laborers and mechanics employed upon any public works of the state or of any political subdivision thereof, or upon work done for the state or said division thereof, to prohibit violations of such limitation and restrictions, except under certain conditions, to provide for stated forfeiture on the part of contractors for the state or said divisions for violation hereof, to fix the duties of officers and agents of the state and said divisions thereof in reference hereto, to provide for the withholding of money from contractors violating the provisions hereof, to fix the punishment for violations hereof, to prohibit employers of labor upon public works from taking any part of the wages due or to become due to laborers so employed, and to punish such taking, and to punish such employers for exacting any sum of money from such laborers as a condition to employing them.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessarily expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and

to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 99, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in seven hundred fifteen (715) of the code, relative to the general powers of cities and towns.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 100, a bill for an act regulating the use of shore lines between high and low water marks.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senators Wilson and Thomas, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing to Amend Article One (1) of the Constitution of Iowa by Adding Thereto a Provision Prohibiting the Manufacture, Sale, or Keeping for Sale, of Intoxicating Liquors, as a Beverage, Within This State.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the following amendment to article one (1) of the constitution of the state of Iowa be and the same is hereby proposed: To add thereto following section twenty-six (26) thereof and as section twenty-seven (27) of article one (1) of said constitution the following, to-wit:

"SEC. 27. The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, as a beverage, of intoxicating liquors, including ale, wine and beer, shall be forever prohibited within this state. The General Assembly shall by law prescribe regulations for the enforcement of the prohibition herein contained, and shall provide suitable penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof."

Resolved, Further, That the foregoing proposed amendment be and the same is hereby referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election for members of the next General Assembly, and that the Secretary of State cause the same to be published for three months previous to the day of said election, as provided by law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

By Senator Boe, Senate File 101, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated independent school districts as the same appears in section twenty-

seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 102, a bill for an act to provide for the exemption from taxation of fire proof buildings used for hotel purposes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 103, a bill for an act amending chapter 2-A of title six of the supplement to the code, 1913 and relating to primary elections and nominations of candidates for office and the election of the delegates to various party conventions and the regulation of such party conventions, the selection of the committeemen, the filing of nomination papers, the preparation and form of the primary ballot and the count and canvass of the vote at such election and the certification thereof; provision for deciding a tie vote and for vacancy in nomination and for repeal of sections in conflict therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 104, a bill for an act to provide that owners of threshing, hulling, bailing, shelling or shredding machinery shall have a lien upon the material threshed, hulled, shelled, bailed or shredded therewith for the charge made for such services.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 105, a bill for an act in relation to semi-monthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

MOTION FOR CONTEST COMMITTEE.

Senator Perkins offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT—I move that a committee of five (5) be appointed by the President to consider and determine the contest of Sherman W. De Wolf vs. Henry W. Grout to a seat in this body, and that said committee

by its chairman be fully authorized and empowered to issue subpoenas and such orders as may be deemed necessary to secure the attendance before it of all witnesses, together with any and all documentary or written evidence, including all of the original ballots cast in the thirty-eighth Senatorial district at the election held November 3, 1914, and be vested with full power and authority to enforce obedience to such subpoenas and orders.

Carried.

President appointed as such committee Senators Perkins, Larrabee, Parker, Hagemann and Farr.

ADDITIONAL COPIES OF SENATE FILE NO. 27.

Senator Doran moved that 500 additional copies of Senate File No. 27 be printed.

Carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

The President announced that he had a communication from the Governor which would require an executive session.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Carried.

Senate went into executive session.

Senate arose from executive session.

Senate resumed regular session.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House concurrent resolution relative to inviting Hon. James Wilson, ex-Secretary of Agriculture, to address the joint assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, It has been customary at times past for the joint assembly to invite prominent men to address it on different subjects,

Resolved, That the House, the Senate Concurring, invite the Hon. James Wilson, ex-Secretary of Agriculture, to address the joint assembly at a date subject to his convenience.

Upon motion of Senator Doran the resolution was taken up for consideration.

Senator Doran moved that the resolution be concurred in.
Carried.

A committee from the House appeared and announced that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint session.

The President announced that the Senate would proceed to the House chamber under the direction of the Sergeant-at-arms.

The Senate proceeded to the House chamber.

JOINT CONVENTION.

In accordance with law and concurrent resolution duly adopted, the joint session was called to order, Honorable W. L. Harding, President of the Senate, presiding.

Perkins of Delaware moved that a committee of two be appointed to escort Father Ryan to the Speaker's station.

The motion prevailed and the President appointed as such committee, Senator Perkins of Delaware, and Representative Griffin of Woodbury.

The committee retired and escorted the Rev. Father Ryan to the Speaker's station, who addressed the joint convention as per previous invitation.

Darrah of Lucas moved the joint session be dissolved.

Motion prevailed and the joint convention was dissolved.

The Senate returned to the Senate chamber and resumed its sitting.

The following communication was received from the Governor:
To the Honorable, The Senate,
The Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the Governor to inform your honorable body that he has this day approved Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, joint resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties.

I have the honor to remain,

Very respectfully yours,

A. C. GUSTAFSON,

Secretary to the Governor.

Dated this 23d day of January, 1915.

Senator Taylor moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 26, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by Rev. C. C. Hatcher, Pastor of the First Baptist church, Bedford, Iowa.

On request of Senator Parker leave of absence was granted Senator Jackson for the day.

Journal of Jan. 25th was taken up, corrected and approved.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Chase presented a petition signed by the Commercial Club of Webster City, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Enger presented a petition signed by the Decorah Commercial Club of Decorah, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 106, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the code, 1897, relating to the salaries of railroad commissioners.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 107, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred and twenty-three (1323) of the code, 1897, relating to the assessment for taxation of shares of corporation stock and to prevent duplicate assessment of corporation property.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on corporations.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 108, a bill for an act to repeal sections ten hundred ninety-three (1093) and eleven hundred thirty (1130) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and section eleven hundred and thirty-eight (1138) of the code, and to enact substitutes therefor, relating to boards of election and the manner of canvassing the ballots.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Ream, Senate File No. 109, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sustained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the Capitol ground.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

By Senator Ream, Senate File No. 110, a bill for an act to abolish the office of school district treasurer, and to provide that the county treasurer shall receive and disburse the moneys of all school districts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 111, a bill for an act to protect the lives, health, morals, of women and minors, providing for the fixing of minimum wages and the standard conditions of labor for such workers, limiting the hours of labor, and providing penalties for violations of the same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the senate journal and the house journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on printing.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 113, a bill for an act to amend section 1099 of the code of 1897 and sections 1106, 1150, 1151 and 1173 of the supplement to the code, 1913 and relating to the election of presidential election and of vote therefor and removal of names from official ballot.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 114, a bill for an act creating a commission to prepare plans and specifications for the erection of a temple of justice building, and for an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 115, a bill for an act creating the office of editor of the Iowa statutory law and the Iowa supreme court reports, defining the duties of said office, the manner of appointment to such office, and providing for compensation therefor, and for the repealing of all acts relating to the office of supreme court reporter.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 116, a bill for an act to amend chapter fifty-two (52) of the acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly by repealing the same and adopting the following in lieu thereof prohibiting the use of electric passenger street and inter-urban cars not equipped with power brakes and sand appliances.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 117, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred ninety-two-g (792-g) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and authorizing cities to create paving districts for street improvements and to spread assessment over such district.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 118, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred ninety-two (792) of the Iowa code of 1897 relating to assessing cost of improvements.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 119, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-three (33) of chapter seventy-two (72) of the acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, relating to the apportionment of motor vehicle fees, county motor vehicle road fund and expenditure of same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was received and read.

To the Members of the Thirty-Sixth General Assembly:

I think it proper for me to call your special attention to conditions which have arisen and damages which have been sustained by reason of the ravages of the "Foot-and-mouth Disease" in portions of the State. Quite a number of our citizens have suffered considerable pecuniary loss on account of it. The disease is not yet completely stamped out, but it is hoped it is under control. In the state of Illinois on our eastern border it is much more general and prevalent, I am advised, than here, and the greatest care will have to be exercised to prevent further spread and damage in our state. In submitting the matter to you, I venture to suggest also that it is earnestly hoped that the people in the infected districts and in such districts as may become infected, will co-operate in a spirit of helpfulness with the authorities to the end that the disease may not spread and that losses may be reduced to a minimum.

I requested the State Veterinary Department to submit to me a statement of losses actually sustained from the disease, as well, also, as expenses incurred on account of it. His statement is as follows:

Total appraised value of live stock killed and buried..	\$ 95,000.00
Total burial expense.....	3,500.00
Total expense of cleaning and disinfecting premises...	2,500.00
	<u>\$101,000.00</u>

Of this total amount the federal government will pay one half or \$50,500.00.

In addition to this the State Veterinary Department approximates the amount due assistant state veterinarians and other persons employed to be compensated by the state at \$35,000.00, making a total of \$85,000.00. There is now no fund out of which these sums can be paid. It will be

necessary for you to provide such a fund and the provisions should be made as soon as you can fully advise yourselves of the amount you should appropriate, taking into consideration the amount of loss and expense already occasioned, and the fact that additional needs may arise. This is a matter of somewhat pressing importance and I trust you will give it early and careful consideration. So much of a fixed sum as may be found necessary should be appropriated. The \$35,000.00 the department estimates is to cover the expenses referred to and sufficient to meet the possible needs by way of expense of the department up to the close of the biennium, June 30, 1915.

G. W. CLARKE,
Governor.

Dated January 25th, 1915.

Referred to the committee on agriculture.

The following Senate employes appeared before the bar of the Senate and were duly sworn:

Frank Shaeffer.....	Assistant Bill and File Clerk
Howard H. Nye.....	Telephone Messenger
Aaron Caplan.....	Page to Doorkeeper
Humphrey Richards.....	Mail Carrier

Senator Crist moved that 300 extra copies of Senate File No. 65 be printed.

Carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

The President announced that there had been received by him communications requiring an executive session.

Senator Helmer moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Carried.

The Senate went into executive session.

The Senate arose from executive session.

Senate resumed regular session.

Senator Wilson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 27, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Thomas Carson, pastor of the M. E. church, Shell Rock, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Thompson presented a petition from the Commercial Exchange Club of Burlington, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Thompson presented a petition signed by the members of the Alpha Club of Burlington, Iowa, urging the passage of a bill favoring equal suffrage.

Referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

Senator Grout presented a petition signed by the Council Bluffs Remedy Company, Council Bluffs, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relative to printing committee lists for Senate and House.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent resolution relative to mail service.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

On request of Senator Savage leave of absence was granted Senator Schrup for an indefinite period on account of sickness.

On request of Senator Wilson leave of absence was granted Senator Chase for an indefinite period on account of sickness.

On request of Senator Wilson leave of absence was granted Senator Boe for the day.

On request of Senator Thomas leave of absence was granted Senator Crist for the day.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 10.15.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10.20.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Sutter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the northeast one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 121, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand two hundred eighty-three (3283) of the code of Iowa, 1897, relating to the trial of actions to contest the probating of wills.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 122, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three-b (1783-b) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to medical examination for life insurance.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 123, a bill for an act to provide for the dragging of dirt and graveled roads.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Ordinances of the Incorporated Town of Diagonal, Ringgold County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, On the first day of June, 1914, the town council of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa, duly adopted certain ordinances of said town, designated and numbered two hundred (200) to two hundred twenty-one (221), both inclusive, which were duly approved by the mayor and recorded by the clerk of said town; and

WHEREAS, Said council provided for and caused the publication of said ordinances in book form and known and designated as "Ordinances of the Incorporated Town of Diagonal in Ringgold County, Iowa, 1914," on the 15th day of June, 1914, the same being duly certified by the mayor and town clerk of said town as being true and correct copies of said ordinances; and

WHEREAS, Said ordinances were adopted, approved and published in the manner and form provided by law, but doubts have arisen and now exist as to the legality of said ordinances and the acts and proceedings of the said council, mayor, and clerk, relative thereto; now, therefore, *Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. Ordinances Legalized—Pending Litigation. That the said ordinances of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa, designated and numbered two hundred (200) to two hundred twenty-one (221), both inclusive, duly adopted and approved June 1, 1914, and all of which were published in book form and designated and known as "Ordinances of the Incorporated Town of Diagonal in Ringgold County, Iowa, 1914," be and hereby are each and all fully legalized and declared valid and of the same force and effect as if they had in all respects been adopted, approved, recorded and published in the manner, form and time provided by law; provided, however, that this act shall not affect pending litigation.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 125, a bill for an act for the identification of persons inspecting shipments of freight in transit in the state of Iowa for the purpose of fixing their classification, for requiring signed notices by mail to the board of railroad commissioners, the shipper and consignee of any alteration of classification and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 126, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, making any person found to be a bootlegger guilty of committing a misdemeanor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 127, a bill for an act amending section four thousand six hundred and sixty (4660) of the code, relating to the distance witnesses may be compelled to travel upon subpoena from district and superior courts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 128, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-eight hundred eighty-five (3885) of the code, by dispensing with the requirement for attachment bond where the defendant is a non-resident.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 129, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred ninety-eight (198) of the code and requiring all causes to be decided by the supreme court within six months after submission.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 130, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume of said reports and the terms and conditions thereof, to provide for the copyrights of said reports; to provide for the preparation, printing, binding and certification of the acts of the General Assembly and the

form and number thereof, to provide for the annotations of the laws of the state and the supplement embracing the same, to provide for the contents of the volumes containing said acts and laws, to provide for a revision of the laws of the state; to fix the salary of the reporter of the supreme court, to make annual appropriation for said work, and to repeal chapter four (4) of title three (3), section thirty-eight (38), section thirty-nine (39), section forty (40) and section one hundred thirty-three (133), of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 131, a bill for an act making appropriation for the payment of loss by hog cholera during quarantine for the hoof and mouth disease.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 132, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the issuance of certificates of soundness by the secretary of the state board of agriculture to owners or keepers of stallions and jacks.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

RESOLUTION RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.

Senator Francis offered the following resolution which was read:

WHEREAS, The Thirty-sixth General Assembly should economize in all expenditures of money but such economy should be intelligent economy; and

WHEREAS, Members of this Senate, in order to give justly as between various purposes and yet avoid appropriations aggregating an excessive total, must have before them a complete statement of all appropriations approved by the appropriation committee; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the Senate:

SECTION 1. That all bills carrying an appropriation be introduced by March 5, 1915, and no bill carrying an appropriation not filed prior to said date shall be considered by the Senate unless same be reported as a committee bill of the appropriation committee by a vote of three-fourths of the full membership of said committee.

SECTION 2. That no bill carrying an appropriation shall be taken up for consideration by the Senate, except by a three-fourths vote of the Senate suspending this rule, until the appropriation committee shall have reported all bills carrying an appropriation and a list and schedule thereof shall have been printed and furnished each senator, showing the amount granted for each specific object.

SECTION 3. The general report of the appropriation committee giving the statement and schedule provided for in section two hereof, shall be filed not later than April 1, 1915, and no appropriation not therein listed shall be considered by the Senate, except upon the three-fourths vote provided for in section one.

Senator Francis moved that the resolution be referred to the committee on rules and the committee be instructed to report back to the Senate by February 1st.

Carried.

The Journal of Jan. 26th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Kimball moved that Senate File No. 114 be withdrawn from the committee on appropriations and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Carried.

Senate File No. 114 was withdrawn from committee on appropriations and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking therefrom section five and substituting therefor as section five the following:

"This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa."

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Senator Francis moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Report adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 32, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the incorporated town of Adel, and the town council of said incorporated town, in the county of Dallas and state of Iowa, in relation to the extending, maintenance and operation of a system of water works and the issuance, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

1. Amend by striking out of the third section of the preamble the figures "\$8,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words and figures: "Nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00)".

2. Also amend said bill by striking out the word "Daily" in the third line of section five and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Des Moines".

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Senator Francis moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Report adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 38, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. M. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by adding to section one thereof the following: "Provided, however, that this act shall not affect pending litigation, if any, affecting the title to said property."

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Senator Francis moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Report adopted.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 53, a bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

To amend section two by substituting in the third line thereof for the words "Register and Leader and The Des Moines Daily Capital" the words "The Des Moines Daily News and the Marshalltown Times-Republican."

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Senator Savage moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Report adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House concurrent resolution.

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, the Senate Concurring: That the Custodian furnish the assembly mail carrier with a key to the assembly post office and that at 5:30 p. m. said carrier be required to take all accumulated letter mail to the East Side post office.

Senator Kimball moved that the Senate concur in the resolution.

Motion prevailed, and the Senate concurred in House resolution.

The President announced that the Senate would be at ease until the call of the chair.

Senate was at ease.

Senate resumed regular session at 11.40.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by striking therefrom section five and substituting therefor as section five the following;—

"This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa."

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Green, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Chase, Frailey, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Voorhees—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 53, a bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved the adoption of the following amendment:

To amend section 2 by substituting in the third line thereof for the words "Register & Leader and The Des Moines Daily Capital" the words "The Des Moines Daily News" and "The Marshalltown Times Republican".

Adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Parker moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Farr, Frailey, Schrup, Voorhees—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 28, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. H. W. Munster, Pastor of the M. E. church, Unionville, Iowa.

Journal of January 27th was taken up, corrected and approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 11, a bill for an act to amend the code relative to releasing liens by foreign administrators, executors and guardians.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

On request of Senator Hagemann leave of absence was granted Senator Eversmeyer for the day.

On request of Senator Wilson leave of absence was granted Senator Boe for the day.

On request of Senator Kimball leave of absence was granted Senator Heald for the day.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of Clinton police department, urging the passage of a bill for change in the policemen's pension law.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Grout presented a petition from the Chamber of Commerce of Waterloo, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Green, Senate File No. 133, a bill for an act to fix, limit and determine the maximum number of hours per day during which females may be employed or permitted to work, and the terms and conditions and limitations thereof, to provide for the posting of information of the terms of this act and of schedules of time such employes may be required to labor, to fix and determine the duties and powers of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics in reference to this act, to prescribe the duties of employers of such labor and to prescribe penalties and punishment for violations of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 134, a bill for an act to establish and maintain the Iowa child welfare research station and making an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 135, a bill for an act defining the number of men to constitute a crew on light engines.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 136, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section thirteen hundred and four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of property from taxation.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 137, a bill for an act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a board of examiners for the licensing of persons to carry on such practice, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of barber shops, schools and colleges in which the occupation of barbering is taught and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases through such occupation.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 138, a bill for an act to repeal section two thousand three hundred forty-one-s (2341-s) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the lien on the progeny of stallion and enacting a substitute therefor, fixing lien on progeny and on mother of such progeny for service of stallion or jack.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 139, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 140, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-five (1527-s-5), section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-eight (1527-s-8), section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-twelve (1527-s-12), section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-fourteen (1527-s-14), and section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-sixteen (1527-s-16) all of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal paragraph three (3) of section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-two (1527-s-2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute in lieu of the paragraph so repealed, all relating to highways and the duties of public officers in relation thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 141, a bill for an act to provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to provide the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 142, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-three hundred ten (3310) of the code and prohibiting the closing of any estate until inventory has been filed and accepted.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of forty-five thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof. (Additional to chapter 7 of title 5 of the code and amendments thereto.)

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Francis by request, Senate File No. 144, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of the supreme court.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis by request, Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis by request, Senate File No. 146, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis by request, Senate File No. 147, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), sup-

plement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the firemen's pension fund.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis by request, Senate File No. 148, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-six-a (256-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and terms of judges of the superior court.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis by request, Senate File No. 149, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws becoming effective by publication.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 150, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 11, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-three hundred eight (3308) of the supplement to the code nineteen hundred thirteen (1913) relating to releasing liens by foreign administrators, executors, and guardians.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 33, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Adel, Iowa, and warrants thereof and authorizing the issuance of bonds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Order passed on file.

Senator Helmer, from the committee on printing, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on printing, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, providing for the preparation and printing of a classified index of legislative bills, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

C. C. HELMER,
Chairman.

Order passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 32, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the incorporated town of Adel, and the town council of said incorporated town, in the county of Dallas and state of Iowa, in relation to the extending, maintenance and operation of a system of waterworks, and the issuance of bonds and warrants of said town and payment thereof, and authorizing the town council of said town to issue bonds for the purpose of taking up its floating indebtedness represented by such warrants, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved the adoption of the following amendments:

1. Amend by striking out of the third section of the preamble the figures "\$8,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words and figures "Nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00)".
2. Also amend said bill by striking out the word "Daily" in the third line of section five and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "Des Moines".

Adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Per-

kings, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Chase, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Heald, Schrup—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 33, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved to strike out the word "Daily" before the word "News" in the publication clause and insert in lieu thereof the word "Des Moines."

Adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Foster moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindley, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Heald, Henigbaum, Ream, Schrup—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 38, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. N. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by adding to section one thereof the following: "Provided, however, that this act shall not affect pending litigation, if any, affecting the title to said property."

Adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Kimball moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Farr, Heald, Ream, Savage, Schrup—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Foster moved that three hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 46 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Helmer moved that three hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 16 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Francis moved that three hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 74 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Francis moved that the number of Senate bills printed hereafter be five hundred instead of four hundred.

Carried.

The following communications from the secretary of state were received and read:

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

In accordance with the provisions of section fifty-five (55) of the supplement to the code, 1913, I would respectfully report to your honorable bodies that I have caused to be published during the year 1914, in two newspapers of general circulation in each congressional district of the state, House Joint Resolution No. 3, as it appears on pages 1681 and 1682 of the House Journal and on page 1585 of the Senate Journal of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, and proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, as passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and referred to the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

That as shown by the proofs of publications made by the affidavits of the publishers thereof, on file in this department, said joint resolution was published in the newspapers, at the times, and in the congressional districts of the state, respectively, as follows, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section seven (7) of article two (2) of said constitution and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections.

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Fairfield Ledger, Fairfield, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 28, 1914.

Washington County Press, Washington, Iowa, each week, first publication July 23, 1914, last October 29, 1914.

SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Muscatine Journal, Muscatine, Iowa, each week, first publication July 20, 1914, last October 26, 1914.

Marengo Republican, Marengo, Iowa, each week, first publication July 22, 1914, last October 21, 1914.

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Eagle Grove Eagle, Eagle Grove, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 29, 1914.

Daily Times-Journal, Dubuque, Iowa, each week, first publication July 20, 1914, last October 26, 1914.

FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Argo-Gazette, West Union, Iowa, each week, first publication July 22, 1914, last October 28, 1914.

Charles City Daily Intelligencer, Charles City, Iowa, each week, first publication July 22, 1914, last October 28, 1914.

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Times-Republican, Marshalltown, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 28, 1914.

The Evening Times, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, each week, first publication July 23, 1914, last October 29, 1914.

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Newton Daily Journal, Newton, Iowa, each week, first publication July 21, last October 27, 1914.

Keokuk County News, Sigourney, Iowa, 13 weeks, dates of publication as follows:

July 23, August 6, August 20, August 27, September 3, September 10, September 17, September 24, October 1, October 8, October 15, October 22, October 29, 1914.

SEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Register and Leader, Des Moines, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

Des Moines Capital, Des Moines, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 27, 1914.

EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Advertiser-Gazette, Creston, Iowa, each week, first publication July 23, 1914, last October 29, 1914.

Mount Ayr Record-News, Mount Ayr, Iowa, each week, first publication July 21, 1914, last October 20, 1914.

NINTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Shelby County Republican, Harlan, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 22, 1914.

The Red Oak Express, Red Oak, Iowa, each week from July 24, 1914, to October 23, 1914.

TENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Vindicator and Republican, Estherville, Iowa, 14 successive weeks, last publication October 23, 1914.

Kossuth County Advance, Algona, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 28, 1914.

ELEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Reporter, Rock Rapids, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

The Spirit Lake Beacon, Spirit Lake, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

That to guard against mistakes and to insure publication of this joint resolution as required by law, so far as I was able to do so, I prepared and sent, by registered mail, before commencing its publication, to each newspaper in which publication was made, a letter of instruction for which there was received in each instance a return registry receipt, and which is now on file in this office, a copy of which letter is as follows, viz:

Des Moines, Iowa, July 17, 1914.

Gentlemen:

Herewith I am enclosing for publication in your paper a copy of House Joint Resolution No. 3, passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

I desire this copy to appear in your paper once each successive week during the next three months, the first publication to be next week and the last publication to be during the week ending October 31, 1914.

Publication should be made on the same day of the week during each week of said period.

Please be certain to send me copy of your paper containing the first publication, enclosing the same in a wrapper endorsed with the words "Marked Copy," and also with the word "Personal," to make sure that it reaches my desk for examination.

If for any reason you cannot publish, as requested, kindly wire or telephone at our expense the Secretary of State, immediately upon receipt of this letter and enclosure.

Very truly yours,

W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

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Enclosure.

All of which is respectfully submitted by

W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

[SEAL]

Referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

In accordance with the provisions of section fifty-five (55) of the supplement to the code, 1913, I would respectfully report to your honorable bodies that I have caused to be published during the year 1914, in two newspapers of general circulation in each congressional district of the State, House Joint Resolution No. 4, as it appears on page 505 of the House Journal and pages 1987 and 1988 of the Senate Journal of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, and proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, as passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and referred to the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

That as shown by the proofs of publication made by the affidavits of the publishers thereof, on file in this department, said joint resolution was published in the newspapers at the times, and in the congressional districts of the state, as follows, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, authorizing the General Assembly to provide for the exclusive taxation of classes of property for state revenue purposes.

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Fairfield Weekly Journal, Fairfield, Iowa, 14 successive weeks, last publication October 21, 1914.

Mt. Pleasant Journal, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, 5 successive weeks, last publication August 19, 1914.

Mt. Pleasant News-Journal, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, 10 successive weeks, last publication October 28, 1914.

These two papers consolidated.

SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Marengo Republican, Marengo, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 21, 1914.

The Muscatine Journal, Muscatine, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Manchester Press, Manchester, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

Franklin County Recorder, Hampton, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 28, 1914.

FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Charles City Intelligencer, Charles City, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 28, 1914.

Argo-Gazette, West Union, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 28, 1914.

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Marion Register, Marion, Iowa, 13 successive weeks, first publication July 24, 1914.

Grundy Republican, Grundy Center, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Oskaloosa Herald, Oskaloosa, Iowa, 16 successive weeks, first publication July 23, 1914.

What Cheer Patriot, What Cheer, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 29, 1914.

SEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Knoxville Journal, Knoxville, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 29, 1914.

Indianola Herald, Indianola, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 29, 1914.

EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Osceola Sentinel, Osceola, Iowa, each week from July 9, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

Mt. Ayr Record-News, Mt. Ayr, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 20, 1914.

NINTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Guthrie, Guthrie Center, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

The Glenwood Opinion, Glenwood, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

TENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Boone Daily News-Republican, Boone, Iowa, 14 successive weeks, last publication October 20, 1914.

The Britt Tribune, Britt, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

ELEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Storm Lake Pilot-Tribune, Storm Lake, Iowa, each week from July 17, 1914, to October 9, 1914.

LeMars Sentinel, LeMars, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, first publication July 24, 1914.

That to guard against mistakes and to insure publication of this joint resolution as required by law, so far as I was able to do so, I prepared and sent, by registered mail, before commencing its publication, to each newspaper in which publication was made, a letter of instruction for which there was received in each instance a return registry receipt, and which is now on file in this office, a copy of which letter is as follows, viz:

Des Moines, Iowa, July 17, 1914.

Gentlemen:

Herewith I am enclosing for publication in your paper a copy of House Joint Resolution No. 4, passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

I desire this copy to appear in your paper once each successive week during the next three months, the first publication to be next week and the last publication to be during the week ending October 31, 1914.

Publication should be made on the same day of the week during each week of said period.

Please be certain to send me copy of your paper containing the first publication, enclosing the same in a wrapper endorsed with the words "Marked Copy," and also with the word "Personal," to make sure that it reaches my desk for examination.

If for any reason you cannot publish, as requested, kindly wire or telephone at our expense the Secretary of State, immediately upon receipt of this letter and enclosure.

Very truly yours,

W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

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Enclosure.

All of which is respectfully submitted by

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W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

Referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

In accordance with the provisions of section fifty-five (55) of the supplement to the code, 1913, I would respectfully report to your honorable bodies that I have caused to be published during the year 1914, in two newspapers of general circulation in each congressional district of the state, House Joint Resolution No. 5, as it appears on pages 1413, 1414 and 1415 of the House Journal and pages 2175, 2176, 2177 and 2178 of the Senate Journal of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, and proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, as passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and referred to the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

That as shown by the proofs of publications made by the affidavits of the publishers thereof, on file in this department, said joint resolution was published in the newspapers at the times, and in the congressional districts of the state, as follows, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

Joint resolution to amend the constitution relating to legislative authority; providing for the initiative and referendum with reference to the enactment of laws, or laws enacted by the General Assembly and amendments to the constitution.

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Hawk-eye, Burlington, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, first publication July 21, 1914.

The Daily Gate City, Keokuk, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Times, Davenport, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

Iowa City Republican, Iowa City, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 27, 1914.

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Hampton Chronicle, Hampton, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 22, 1914.
Waterloo Evening Courier, Waterloo, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 27, 1914.

FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Globe-Gazette, Mason City, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 27, 1914.
The Lansing Mirror, Lansing, Iowa, each week from July 24, 1914, to October 30, 1914.

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Cedar Rapids Tribune, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, each week from July 24, 1914, to October 30, 1914.
Vinton Eagle, Vinton, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 27, 1914.

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Grinnell Herald, Grinnell, each week from July 24, 1914, to October 23, 1914.
Ottumwa Daily Courier, Ottumwa, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 19, 1914.

SEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Nevada Representative, Nevada, Iowa, each week from July 24, 1914, to October 23, 1914.
Dallas County News, Adel, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 25, 1914.

EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Sentinel-Post, Shenandoah, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 27, 1914.
Chariton Herald Patriot, Chariton, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

NINTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Council Bluffs Nonpareil, Council Bluffs, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.
Atlantic News-Telegraph, Atlantic, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

TENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Messenger, Fort Dodge, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 27, 1914.
Jefferson Bee, Jefferson, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 21, 1914.

ELEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Sioux City Journal, Sioux City, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, first publication, July 21, 1914.

The Sac Sun, Sac City, Iowa, each week from July 30, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

That to guard against mistakes and to insure publication of this joint resolution as required by law, so far as I was able to do so, I prepared and sent, by registered mail, before commencing its publication, to each newspaper in which publication was made, a letter of instructions for which there was received in each instance a return registry receipt, and which is now on file in this office, a copy of which letter is as follows, viz:

Des Moines, Iowa, July 17, 1914.

Gentlemen:

Herewith I am enclosing for publication in your paper a copy of House Joint Resolution No. 5, passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

I desire this copy to appear in your paper once each successive week during the next three months, the first publication to be next week and the last publication to be during the week ending October 31, 1914.

Publication should be made on the same day of the week during each week of said period.

Please be certain to send me copy of your paper containing the first publication, enclosing the same in a wrapper endorsed with the words "Marked Copy," and also with the word "Personal," to make sure that it reaches my desk for examination.

If for any reason you cannot publish, as requested, kindly wire or telephone at our expense the Secretary of State, immediately upon receipt of this letter and enclosure.

Very truly yours,

W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

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Enclosure.

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Secretary of State.

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Referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

In accordance with the provisions of section fifty-five (55) of the supplement to the code, 1913, I would respectfully report to your honorable bodies that I have caused to be published during the year 1914, in two newspapers of general circulation in each congressional district of the state, House Joint Resolution No. 6, as it appears on page 636 of the House Journal and on page 709 of the Senate Journal of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, and proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, as passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and referred to the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

That as shown by the proofs of publication made by the affidavits of the publishers thereof, on file in this department, said joint resolution was published in the newspapers at the times, and in the congressional districts of the state, respectively, as follows, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Fairfield Ledger, Fairfield, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 28, 1914.

Washington County Press, Washington, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914. to October 29, 1914.

SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Muscatine Journal, Muscatine, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

Marengo Republican, Marengo, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 21, 1914.

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Daily Times-Journal, Dubuque, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

Eagle Grove Eagle, Eagle Grove, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 29, 1914.

FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Argo-Gazette, West Union, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 28, 1914.

Charles City Intelligencer, Charles City, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 28, 1914.

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Times-Republican, Marshalltown, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 28, 1914.

The Evening Times, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Albia Republican, Albia, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

What Cheer Patriot, What Cheer, Iowa, 15 successive weeks, last publication October 29, 1914.

SEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Register and Leader, Des Moines, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914, to October 26, 1914.

Des Moines Capital, Des Moines, Iowa, each week from July 21, 1914, to October 27, 1914.

EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Osceola Sentinel, Osceola, Iowa, each week from July 9, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

Chariton Herald-Patriot, Chariton, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

NINTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Stuart Herald, Stuart, Iowa, each week from July 24, 1914, to October 30, 1914.

The Glenwood Opinion, Glenwood, Iowa, each week from July 20, 1914 to October 26, 1914. . .

TENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Boone Daily News-Republican, Boone, Iowa, 14 successive weeks, last publication October 20, 1914.

The Britt Tribune, Britt, Iowa, each week from July 23, 1914, to October 29, 1914.

ELEVENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Sheldon Mail, Sheldon, Iowa, 14 successive weeks, first publication July 22, 1914.

Spencer Reporter, Spencer, Iowa, each week from July 22, 1914, to October 28, 1914.

That to guard against mistakes and to insure publication of this joint resolution as required by law, so far as I was able to do so, I prepared and sent, by registered mail, before commencing its publication, to each newspaper in which publication was made, a letter of instruction for which there was received in each instance a return registry receipt, and which is now on file in this office, a copy of which letter is as follows, viz:

Des Moines, Iowa, July 17, 1914.

Gentlemen:

Herewith I am enclosing for publication in your paper a copy of House Joint Resolution No. 6, passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

I desire this copy to appear in your paper once each successive week during the next three months, the first publication to be next week and the last publication to be during the week ending October 31, 1914.

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Please be certain to send me copy of your paper containing the first publication, enclosing the same in a wrapper endorsed with the words "Marked Copy," and also with the word "Personal," to make sure that it reaches my desk for examination.

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W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

[SEAL]

Referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 7.

JOINT RESOLUTION Agreeing to a Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa by Repealing Section One (1) of Article Two (2) of Said Constitution and the Enactment and Adoption of a Substitute Therefor, Relating to the Right of Suffrage.

WHEREAS, By House Joint Resolution Number Six (6) of the resolutions of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, which resolution was approved March 15, 1913, an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa was proposed, and,

WHEREAS, The said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the House of Representatives of the said Thirty-fifth General Assembly and entered upon its journal at page six hundred thirty-six (636) thereof, and was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate of said General Assembly and entered upon its journal at page seven hundred nine (709) thereof, and,

WHEREAS, The said resolution has been published as provided by law and has now been referred to this, the Thirty-sixth, General Assembly, now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa as contained in and proposed by said House Joint Resolution Number Six (6) of the Resolutions of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, which resolution including its title, was and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

"Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the following amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa is hereby proposed, to-wit:

'Repeal section one (1) of article two (2) of the constitution of the state of Iowa and in lieu thereof enact and adopt the following, to-wit:

"SECTION 1. Every citizen of the United States, of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a resident of this state six months next preceding the election, and of the county in which he or she claims his or her vote, sixty days, shall be entitled to vote at all elections which are now or hereafter may be authorized by law."'"
be and the same is hereby agreed to, enacted and adopted.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Carried.

The Senate went into executive session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

On motion and roll call, the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of J. H. Henderson of Warren county, Iowa, as commerce counsel for the full term ending July 1, 1919.

On motion and roll call, the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of Gardner Cowles, of Polk county, Iowa, as member of the state board of education to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Jas. Trewin, said appointment to be for the balance of such unexpired term, until July 1, 1915.

On motion and roll call, the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of Warren Garst of Carroll county as industrial commissioner, for the term ending July 1, 1920.

Senate arose from executive session.

Senate resumed regular session.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 29, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. A. L. Golden, Pastor of the Highland Park M. E. church, Des Moines, Iowa.

Journal of January 28th was taken up and corrected.

On request of Senator Hilsinger leave of absence was granted Senator Heald for today.

On request of Senator Arney leave of absence was granted Senator Darrah for today.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Perkins presented a petition of citizens of Delaware county for passage of a bill providing free textbooks.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Menlo favoring bounty on rodents.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of the Ottumwa Commercial Association, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of the Wapello County Live Stock Association and Farmers Institute of Wapello county, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of the Atlantic Commercial Club, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 151, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587) of the Code, relating to regulations for cemeteries.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 152, a bill for an act to amend section 590 of chapter 9 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of township trustees.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 153, a bill for an act to repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-fifty-two-a (1989-a-52-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 154, a bill for an act defining the number of employees necessary to constitute a full crew for railroads on freight and passenger trains, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 155, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-four hundred and ninety-nine (3499) of the code, relative to the places where suit may be brought against insurance companies, and providing for the revocation of the authority of any foreign insurance company to transact business in this state, that shall commence or remove any suit or proceeding brought by or against it in any state court to any federal court.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Jackson, Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to

meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 157, a bill for an act authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the southwest quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of section sixteen (16) township seventy-three (73), north of range eighteen (18), west of the Fifth P. M., Monroe county, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 158, a bill for an act to make an appropriation for Harry B. Moore on account of injury received by him at the Iowa Soldiers' Home at Marshalltown.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 159, a bill for an act to authorize, direct and enable W. S. Allen, secretary of state to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain lands.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 160, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-four hundred ninety-five-b (2495-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, providing for the employment and examination of shot examiners and shot firers and defining their duties.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on mines and mining.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 161, a bill for an act to repeal sections sixteen hundred eighty-three-k (1683-k) and sixteen hundred eighty-three-l (1683-l) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, and to amend section sixteen hundred eighty-three-b (1683-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to corporations for the improvement of agriculture, animal husbandry and horticulture.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 43, a bill for an act to repeal section five (5) of chapter sixty-two (62) of the acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly, as amended by chapter fifty-one (51) of the acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be returned to the Senate with the recommendation that same be referred to committee upon cities and towns.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted and bill referred to committee on cities and towns.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 16, a bill for an act additional to and amendatory of the law as it appears in title III, chapter 5B, of the supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter 13, Acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly of Iowa, and to provide for medical and surgical treatment and hospital care of children who are afflicted with any malady or deformity which can possibly be remedied, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

That the title to said act be amended by substituting for the figures "1907" the figures "1913" and by striking out in the third and fourth lines of said title the clause "as amended by chapter 13 of the acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly of Iowa."

That section 1 be amended by inserting after the words "probation officer" in the fourth line thereof the words "school teacher or officer."

That section 7 be amended by inserting after the word "where" in the twelfth line thereof and before the word "the" the following: "the person appointed by the court is a parent or relative or where" and by substituting for the words "shall receive" the word "receives" in line 13, and by substituting for the word "case" the word "cases" in line 14, and by striking out the word "additional" before the word "compensation" in line 14, and by adding after the word "investigation" in the 16th line the words "or trip."

That section 8 be amended by inserting after the word "employed" in the 6th line thereof the following: "Unless said attendant be a parent or other relative or be an officer or employe receiving other compensation."

That section 10 be amended by inserting before the words "board of control" in the 14th line the words "state board of education for any such patient from the college for the blind," and by inserting after the words "board of control" the words "for any such patient from any institution under its control."

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 57, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the time within which appeals may be taken to the Supreme Court, as the same appears in section forty-one hundred ten (4110) of the code and section fifty-four hundred forty-eight (5448) of the code as amended by chapter two hundred twenty-eight (228) of the acts of the Thirty-third (33d) General Assembly, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 57.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend Section Forty-one Hundred and Ten (4110) of the Code and the Law As It Appears in Section Fifty-four Hundred Forty-eight (5448) of the Supplement to the Code 1913 Relating to the Time Within Which Appeals May Be Taken to the Supreme Court.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section forty-one hundred ten (4110) of the code, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from line two (2) thereof the words "six months" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "three months."

SECTION 2. That the law as it appears in section fifty-four hundred forty-eight (5448) of the supplement to the code 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from the fourth (4th) line of said section the words "six months" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "three months."

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Read first and second time.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Sutter and James H. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the northeast one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 87, a bill for an act making void all claims for real estate commissions unless evidenced by contract in writing, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file by request of Senator Whitmore.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred and seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Senate File No. 34 is hereby amended by substituting for section one thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The law as it appears in section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking from the last line of said section the word "six" and substituting therefor the word "ten."

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 86, a bill for an act to legalize certain bonds of and certain acts and proceedings by the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By inserting in the second line of section two (2) after the word "litigation" the words "now pending."

That the third line of section three (3) be amended by striking out the word "daily" and substituting therefor the words "The Des Moines."

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 58, a bill for an act to amend section 2415 of the code of Iowa, relative to the payment of costs in search warrant cases,

beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute: A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend Section Two Thousand Four Hundred Fifteen (2415) of the Code, Relative to the Payment of Costs in Search Warrant Cases.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That section two thousand four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code, be amended by adding thereto the following: "Provided, however, that in no event shall the county be liable for fees in search warrant cases, unless the search warrant has been issued under the direction and by the order of the county attorney."

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 86, a bill for an act to legalize certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the independent school district of Cherokee, Iowa, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Gillette moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By inserting in the second line of section two (2) after the word "litigation", the words "now pending".

That the third line of section three (3) be amended by striking out the word "daily" and substituting therefor the words "The Des Moines".

Adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye,

Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Darrah, Enger, Heald, Parker, Schrup—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Boe, Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, a joint resolution providing for the preparation and printing of a classified index of legislative bills, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

The joint resolution was read for information.

Further consideration of the joint resolution was postponed.

SPECIAL INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Crist from the special investigating committee submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—

Your committee, appointed for the purpose of investigating the facts underlying certain charges of graft made in connection with the organization of this body, herewith submits the following preliminary report:

Your committee addressed a communication to the Hon. George W. Clarke, Governor of Iowa, relative to the matters it was charged to investigate, and this morning received from the Governor a reply thereto.

Inasmuch as the Governor requests in his said reply that the communication to him, together with its answer, be printed in the Journal of the Senate, your committee have deemed it courteous to comply with the request at once.

The committee has not had time or opportunity to consider the reply of the Governor or the statements therein contained, but will at once proceed to consider the same, discharge the duties assigned to it, and make full report to the Senate at the earliest possible moment.

The committee herewith submits to you its said communication to the Governor and his reply thereto, and recommend that his request be granted and that both be printed in the journal of the proceedings of the Senate of even date herewith.

Senator Darrah being absent from the city, was not present at the meeting of the committee formulating this preliminary report.

L. E. CRIST,
T. J. B. ROBINSON,
ROBERT QUIGLEY,
G. M. GILLETTE.

January 29, 1915.

Report adopted.

*To the Hon. George W. Clarke,
Governor of the State of Iowa:*

Pursuant to the action of the Senate in the adoption of the following resolution—

“Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Iowa, That, in view of the fact that the Governor of the State of Iowa has, in his message to the joint Assembly, imputed graft to this body, that the President of the Senate appoint a committee consisting of five members of the Senate, three to be Republicans and two to be Democrats, for the purpose of investigating what foundation, if any, exists for the said charge.

“That the said committee be empowered to require the attendance of such witnesses as they deem necessary to determine the said matters, and report their findings or recommendations to the Senate, at the earliest possible moment.”

The President of the Senate appointed Crist, Robinson, Darrah, Gillette and Quigley as a committee to carry out the purpose of such resolution.

That the committee may proceed advisedly in the discharge of its duty, we would be pleased to receive from you such information, facts or suggestions, as you see fit to place before us that may assist us in determining the real situation that we are called upon to investigate.
Senate Chamber, Jan. 23, 1915.

L. E. CRIST,
T. J. B. ROBINSON,
JOHN H. DARBAH,
ROBERT QUIGLEY,
G. M. GILLETTE.

*To the Honorable Senators Crist, Robinson, Darrah, Quigley and Gillette,
Members of Committee:*

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of your communication setting out in full a resolution adopted by the Senate in which it is said “In view of the fact that the Governor has, in his message to the Joint-Assembly, imputed graft to this body” that a committee be appointed “for the purpose of investigating what foundation, if any, exists for the said charge” and asking me for facts and suggestions that may assist you in the investigation.

I beg the privilege of saying first of all, that it seems to me that senators had not even read with any care what I said.

What I said, as I stated, I first said six years ago at the opening of the 33rd General Assembly when I was President of the Senate and it was printed in the Journal. The Senator who introduced the resolution above referred to was then a member of the Senate as were others who now criticise. They offered no criticism of it then, so far as I know, nor did any one except a very few who thought not enough was involved to be of consequence. I venture to say that not a Senator at that time thought of such a thing as is now assumed although it was spoken in the Senate, to the Senate upon its organization.

In the present case the message was prepared, including this paragraph, several days before the opening of the legislature, and therefore, was entirely impersonal and had no reference at all to anything the Senate of the 36th had done, because it had not then done anything. I was simply laying down some very sound principles of administration for consideration.

Have senators really considered what was said? It is quite apparent they have not. Referring to an expenditure of \$500.00 per day for extra help, clerks, doorkeepers, etc., I said "some of this is absolutely essential, of course, but much of it is pure, unadulterated graft." What do senators call the excess, the non-essential that the State pays for? What excuse, what justification can they make for it? They should say, there may be a difference of opinion as to the non-essential, but as only the excess was referred to there can be no criticism. I am not to be understood as even suggesting that any Senator would justify going beyond needs. I am only suggesting that in his haste, from whatever motive, he has failed to consider what was actually said, when the address was prepared, and that it only had reference to a common, indefensible practice and closed by saying the 36th "ought to organize along different lines."

Again, I said: "Public money is taken from the people for a public purpose only and it is intolerable that it should be used for petty graft, or turned over even in small sums to persons who have rendered no equivalent of service in return." Can Senators, can anybody, find any just objection to that statement? "Graft" there is referred to as equivalent to turning over money where there has been no equivalent of service rendered for it. Does anybody have such an idea of the use of public funds as to criticise that statement? It may be called "graft" or it may be called by some other name, but the sense in which the word was used in the paragraph is plain and it was a perfectly proper use. If these positions and expenditures in excess of need had been referred to as sinecures no one, perhaps, would have thought of criticism and yet a sinecure is "an office that has a revenue without employment."

Permit me to most respectfully suggest that Senators stick on a word, drag it out of its relation, both as to time and place and utterly fail to consider the whole that was said, and that it was said with reference to a system or an everywhere indefensible practice. Can any sentence of what was said be denied as to facts or results?

I suggest the foregoing because I think that in the very beginning of your investigation you should determine whether there was any ground

whatever for the grave charge made against the Executive in the resolution and I suggest them because you ask me for "such information, facts or suggestions as * * * may assist in determining the real situation."

Much seems to have been said in debate and in another resolution about the old soldier. Why, I am sure, nobody can tell, unless to create prejudice. It does serve, however, to throw light on the motive of it all. Nobody had said a word about the soldier. Might just as well have assumed a great sympathy and expended oratory in behalf of the five times more numerous young lady clerks. But that would have been ridiculous; no more so, however, than as it was. If door-keepers and clerks are mentioned at the same time and in the very same way and in the same connection why should convulsions be caused in one case and not in the other? Everybody knew then and everybody knows now that reference was had to a principle, to a system and what was said was exactly applicable to the evil, without reference to the class employed.

But since the soldier question has been brought in (not by me) I suggest that you investigate and report as to whether or not it is a fact that not only now but many times heretofore soldiers have been given places as doorkeepers who were owners of farms and well and comfortably fixed in life, worth many thousands of dollars, to the exclusion of needy comrades whose service to their country had been equal to theirs and kindly report if this was not for political reasons. And, if so, who was unkind to the needy old veteran and comrade?

I may ask you to investigate and report why there should be more doorkeepers than doors? Is there any reason why doorkeepers should be posted at the four doors in the galleries, it being well known that they are not used by the public except on special occasions—very many days of a session going by when not a half dozen persons appear in the galleries, and are not these for admission to the public? Can any reason be given why a doorkeeper should be stationed at the doors on each side of the President's and Speaker's desk? Those doors are used only by members and employees. What do all these doorkeepers do? Can the committee report that they are needed for any proper purpose and are not the doors used exactly as they would be if they were not there?

Can any justification be given for placing four or five men in the cloak room of each house to hang up the coats and hats of members as they come in?

The mail is brought from the city to the Capitol. The State had a stalwart man regularly employed to distribute it among the departments. He could easily have carried the package for the members upstairs to the legislative post-office, and expected to do it. Can any just reason be given for employing another man to take that particular package up the elevator to the post office?

Can any justifiable reason be given why two bill clerks should be employed simply to hand a senator a bill from a shelf or pigeon-hole when upon occasion he calls for one? And this is not frequent as all House and Senate bills are placed in binding upon every Senator's desk. Now and then he wants an extra bill, perhaps, to send to a constituent.

Are two men necessary to get it for him, or are two necessary to receive these bills in the bill room from the printer and put them in place by number?

The Senate has, I believe, seven pages and two telephone messengers. The telephone is in the cloak room just by the Senate. Here are nine—one to every six Senators. Are they really needed?

Is it not a fact that the law provides only for committee clerks? Is there any provision in the law for a clerk to each Senator? Has not the Senate provided each Senator with a clerk? This is simply an oversight of the law, which any one may make, and the following of a custom. There are forty-six committees and is it not a fact that at least twenty of them will not have occasion to meet, on an average, five times during the session? Is it not a fact that the large number of committees were originally created to give place for as many clerks as possible? If the clerks employed were restricted to committee clerks and to committee work, as the law provides, would not twenty-five in place of fifty be all that could possibly be given work? If there were a clerk to each of the forty-six committees, to do committee work, is it not apparent that at least twenty or more of them would be idle three-fourths of the time or more? Is it not a fact that many more than half of the clerks have no employment more than half the time even when the senate is not in session? Is it not the experience of senators that many of the clerks are often absent from the Capitol because they are not needed? On investigation you may not be able to answer these and other questions directly, but do you not find that they state substantially the facts? Are not doorkeepers, clerks, janitors and even pages given places for political reasons?

After your investigation will you kindly report whether you would organize your own business on any such lines or if the Senate were a business corporation would you stand for an organization along such lines?

In view of your investigation can you now say in view of the time of the preparation and delivery of the message that I said anything on this subject that was not in accord with the truth? If these things are true does it not tend to bring all the departments of government into disrespect in the minds of the people and ought not the legislative—the greatest of them all and the one having authority over all—to adopt such a course as will place it above criticism and give Iowa the distinction of being perhaps the first American state to do so.

Senators, it is very unpleasant, indeed, for me to have to submit the foregoing. The Senate resolved that I should do so and you come in obedience to its command. I have only complied with the Senate's request. I beg to assure you of my high regard for every Senator and to assure you also that I greatly desire to cooperate with the General Assembly in placing every department of the government beyond all just criticism. I beg to ask that your communication and this compliance with its request be printed in the Senate journal.

Very respectfully yours,

G. W. CLARKE,
Governor.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 87, a bill for an act making void all claims for real estate commissions unless evidenced by contract in writing, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Parker moved that 400 additional copies of Senate File No. 85 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, JANUARY 30, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. C. White, Pastor of St. Joseph's church, Winterset, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition from the Ottumwa School Board urging the enactment of a teacher's annuity law.

Referred to Committee on Public Schools.

Senator Kimball presented a petition signed by the policemen of Ottumwa urging the passage of Policemen's Pension law.

Referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition signed by the Scott County Farm Improvement League favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition signed by the Davenport Commercial Club of Davenport, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Senator Greene presented a petition signed by the Clinton County Farm Improvement Association of Clinton, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

Senator Greene presented a petition signed by the DeWitt Commercial Club of DeWitt, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred and thirty-seven (937), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Journal of January 29th was taken up, corrected and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 162, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred and three (1303) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes for general county fund.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 163, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to notice of canvass and to the time of trial of appeals from the finding of the board of supervisors as to the sufficiency of statements of general consent for the sale of intoxicating liquors under the mulct law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred fifty (2450) supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Suppression of Intemperance.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 164, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to statement of consent required in connection with the sale of intoxicating liquors under the mulct law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred forty-eight (2448) supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-four hundred fifty-two (2452) of the code of 1897.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Suppression of Intemperance.

By the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform, Senate Joint Resolution No. 8.

JOINT RESOLUTION Relating to the Selection of Additional Employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, Fixing Their Compensation and Defining Their Duties.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. The Custodian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint the following named persons, J. W. Coats; Wm. Pointer, A. Fisher, H. W. Riddle to be designated as assistants to the Custodian, whose duties shall be designated by him, and whose salary shall be Seventy (\$70.00) Dollars per month.

Read first and second time. Passed on file.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 165, a bill for an act requiring the quarterly publication of financial statements of counties, cities and school boards.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

By Senate Whitmore, Senate File No. 166, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section forty-six hundred twelve (4612), exempting witnesses from giving testimony where the matter sought to be elicited would tend to render them criminally liable.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee No. 1 on Judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 167, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2452 of the code of 1897, relating to the sufficiency of statements of general consent required in connection with the sale of intoxicating liquors under the mulct law.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Suppression of Intemperance.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 168, a bill for an act to provide for the compilation, publication and distribution of the laws of the thirty-sixth (36th) general assembly in supplement form together with annotations and index to code and supplements in one volume and making the provisions of chapter one (1) thirty-fifth (35th) general assembly applicable thereto and providing for report by the editor to the thirty-seventh (37th) general assembly.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee No. 2 on Judiciary.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 169, a bill for an act to provide for the maintenance and repair of country roads and to provide road patrolmen and prescribing their duties.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Highways.

Senator Whitmore offered the following concurrent resolution :

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the State Binder be and he is hereby instructed to bind 200 copies of the committee lists of the House and Senate with leather covers.

By unanimous consent taken up, considered and adopted.

The Secretary announced the following assignment of seats in the Press Gallery.

No. 62—Frank S. Jefferiers.

On request of Senator Foster leave of absence was granted Senator Thomas for the day.

On request of Senator Jones leave of absence was granted Senator Helmer for the day.

On request of Senator Kimball leave of absence was granted Senator Heald for the day.

On request of Senator Laffer leave of absence was granted Senator Caswell for the day.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred and thirty-seven (937) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of Alderman of Special Charter Cities.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Allen, from the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on retrenchment and reform, to whom was referred House concurrent resolution requiring the Secretary of State to furnish each Representative of the Press in the House and Senate with a copy of the Code and supplement thereto and subsequent Session Laws and Annotations, and House and Senate Journals of the Thirty-fifth and

Thirty-sixth General Assemblies, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Senator Allen moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

On motion the Senate concurred in House Concurrent Resolution.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, a Joint Resolution relating to the selection of the additional employes of the thirty-sixth general assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties, with report of committee recommending passage was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen moved that the rule by which no bill shall be read a second and third time on the same day be suspended.

Carried unanimously.

Senator Allen moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Adopted.

The Joint Resolution was read for information.

Senator Kimball moved that further consideration of the Joint Resolution be postponed until Monday, February first.

Senator Clarkson moved that the resolution be referred to the Governor. Held by the President not to be in order.

Senator Clarkson moved as a substitute that the resolution be referred to the Special Investigating Committee with instructions to take the matter up with the Governor.

On his motion a roll call was demanded.

Those favoring the motion were:

Balkema, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Greene, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindley, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Shean, Thompson, White of Benton, Witmore—20.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Enger, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Wilson—17.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Robinson, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa.—13.

The motion by Senator Clarkson prevailed.

On request of Senator Arney leave of absence was granted Senator Darrah indefinitely, on account of sickness in his family.

On request of Senator Sheean leave of absence was granted Senator Voorhees for the day.

President announced that the Senate would be at ease, subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate was at ease.

Senate resumed regular session at 11:45.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By unanimous consent Senator Clarkson introduced the following bill:

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 170, a bill for an act to amend the law, Chapter 8-A, supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to employers liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, securing the payment thereof, repealing certain sections of said Chapter and enacting a substitute therefor, establishing a board of commissioners, defining their duties, responsibilities and powers, abolishing the office of labor commissioner and industrial commissioner and transferring the duties and powers of such office to the board established by this act.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator White of Iowa, offered the following concurrent resolution.

WHEREAS, the recent outbreak of foot and mouth disease has occasioned to the citizens of this state loss aggregating many thousands of dollars, and,

WHEREAS, it is believed to have been transmitted to the live stock in this state through the Union Stock Yards in Chicago, Illinois, now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the Congress of the United States be and it is hereby memorialized and requested to institute an investigation of the Union Stock Yards of Chicago, Illinois, with the view of determining,

1st. The origin of the said disease known as foot and mouth disease;
2nd. The methods employed in disposing of stock found in said yards to be infected therewith;

3rd. As to whether or not there is segregation of the diseased animals and whether or not the same are separated from those not infected with such disease;

4th. As to the relative cost to the consumer of feed furnished or other services rendered to the patrons of said yards;

5th. That the said Congress take such action as may in its judgment be deemed necessary to prevent a recurrence of such outbreak of said disease.

SEC. 2. *Be It further resolved* that the Iowa Senators and Iowa members of Congress be requested to support measures looking toward such investigation and to favor legislation that may be designed to remedy such evil.

SEC. 3. *Be it further resolved* that copy of this resolution be transmitted to each Iowa Senator and each Iowa member of Congress and that a copy of the same be transmitted to His Excellency, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States.

Unanimous consent was given for the consideration of the resolution at this time.

Upon motion of Senator White the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

Senator White of Benton moved that two hundred and fifty additional copies of Senate File No. 135 be printed.

Carried.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Farr offered the following concurrent resolution:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That a committee of seven (7) be appointed, three (3) from the Senate and four (4) from the House, to investigate the situation and location of the offices and quarters of the different offices and departments of the State in and about the Capitol Building with a view of rearranging and providing more suitable quarters for some of the offices and departments, and reducing the cost of maintaining such offices and departments, and that the said committee report its findings within fifteen (15) days after the appointment thereof.

Laid over under the rules.

Senator Clarkson moved that one thousand extra copies of Senate File No. 170 be printed.

Carried.

On request of Senator Clarkson he was granted leave of absence until Wednesday.

Senator Gillette moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock Monday, February first.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 1, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Finis Idleman, Pastor of the Central Church of Christ, Des Moines, Iowa.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 55, a bill for an act to legalize decrees obtained prior to Jan. 15, 1915, in cases against unknown claimants, defendants, where the notice was entitled in the initial or initials of the plaintiff instead of his Christian or given name.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 171, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred seventy-two (1072) of the supplement of the code of Iowa, 1913, relative to the election of county officers and to provide for the election of county surveyor and prescribing their duties.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Enger, Senate Joint Resolution No. 9.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa and Providing for Annual Sessions of the General Assembly.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the following amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa be and the same is hereby proposed and referred to the thirty-seventh general assembly: To amend by striking out section two (2) of article three (3) of said constitution and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 2. The sessions of the general assembly shall be held annually commencing on the second Monday in January unless the governor of the state shall in the meantime convene the general assembly by proclamation."

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 172, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred and thirty (430) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to dependent soldiers' and sailors' tax—erection of monuments.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 55, a bill for an act to legalize decrees obtained prior to January first, nineteen hundred fifteen (1915), in cases against unknown claimants, defendants, where the notice was entitled in the initial or initials of the plaintiff instead of his Christian or given name.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Boe, Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, a joint resolution providing for the preparation and printing of a classified index of legislative bills, was taken up for further consideration.

The resolution was read for information.

Senator Boe moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Hagemann, Laffer, Quigley, Schrup, Thomas, White of Benton—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 16, a bill for an act additional to and amendatory of the laws as it appears in title III, chapter 5-B, of the supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter 13, acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly of Iowa, and to provide for medical and surgical treatment and hospital care of children who are afflicted with any malady or deformity which can probably be remedied, whose parents, or other persons chargeable with their support, are unable to provide such treatment and care, providing for payment of the expenses thereof, and conferring upon juvenile courts jurisdiction and certain powers in such cases, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved the adoption of the following amendments:

That the title to said act be amended by substituting for the figures "1907" the figures "1913" and by striking out in the third and fourth lines of said title the clause "as amended by chapter 13 of the acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly of Iowa."

That section 1 be amended by inserting after the words "probation officer" in the fourth line thereof the words "school teacher or officer."

That section 7 be amended by inserting after the word "where" in the twelfth line thereof and before the word "the" the following: "the person appointed by the court is a parent or relative or where" and by substituting for the words "shall receive" the word "receives" in line 13, and by substituting for the word "case" the word "cases" in line 14, and by striking out the word "additional" before the word "compensation" in line 14, and by adding after the word "investigation" in the 16th line the words "or trip."

That section 8 be amended by inserting after the word "employed" in the 6th line thereof the following: "Unless said attendant be a parent or other relative or be an officer or employe receiving other compensation."

That section 10 be amended by inserting before the words "board of control" in the 14th line the words "state board of education for any such patient from the college for the blind and," and by inserting after the

words "board of control" the words "for any such patient from any institution under its control."

Senator Perkins offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

"I move that Section 11, the publication clause, be stricken from the bill."

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption.

I move to amend section two (2) by adding thereto the following, "unless in the judgment of said court said child may receive proper medical and surgical treatment at some county institution".

Amendment lost.

Senator Gillette moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until tomorrow.

Motion lost.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—35.

The nays were:

Doran, Gillette, Quigley, Voorhees, Wilson—5.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Foster, Hagemann, Laffer, Schrup—10.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

While in hearty accord with the principle of the bill, I feel compelled to vote against the same because of the proposition that the District Court is deprived of any discretion in the matter of sending the child to Iowa City, regardless of whether the child might not receive proper surgical and medical attention in a county institution.

J. M. WILSON.

Senator Gillettee offered the following amendment to the title to Senate File No. 16 and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the title to Senate File No. 16 by striking out the period at the end thereof and substituting a comma therefor and by adding after the comma the words,—“and conferring additional powers upon the Board of Control of State Institutions and the State Board of Education relative to the commitment of inmates of Institutions under their control to the Medical College of the State University.

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

Journal of Jan. 30th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senate Farr called up for consideration the concurrent resolution offered by him on Jan. 30th, relating to the situation and location of the offices and quarters of the different officers and departments of state, and moved the adoption of the resolution.

The resolution was adopted.

Senator Thompson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Adopted.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 2, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. P. H. Hawk of Farmington, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Greene, presented a petition of railroad employes, urging passage of a law for semi-monthly payment of railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of railroad employes, urging passage of a law for semi-monthly payment of railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of railroad employes, urging passage of a law for semi-monthly payment of railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of railroad employes, urging passage of a law for semi-monthly payment of railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Heald presented a petition signed by the railroad employes of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, urging the passage of a law providing for the semi-monthly payment for railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Thomas presented a petition signed by the citizens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, urging the passage of a law providing for semi-monthly payment for railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Greene presented a petition signed by the railroad employes of Clinton, Iowa, urging the passage of a law providing for semi-monthly payment for railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Farr presented a petition signed by the railroad employes of Sioux City urging the passage of a law providing for semi-monthly payment for railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of railroad employes, favoring passage of a law for semi-monthly payment of railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of railroad employes, urging passage of a law for semi-monthly payment of railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Francis presented a petition of railroad employes, urging passage of a law for semi-monthly payment of railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshall county, favoring an appropriation for Iowa exhibit at the half century anniversary of negro freedom in Chicago.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Kimball presented a petition signed by the railroad employes of Council Bluffs urging the passage of a law providing for semi-monthly payment for railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Jackson presented a petition signed by railroad employes of Iowa urging the passage of a law providing for the semi-monthly payment for railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Heald, who was appointed as a member of the Finley-Lindly contest committee, requested that the President of the Senate excuse him from that duty.

The President asked unanimous consent of the Senate to comply with the request of Senator Heald, which request was granted.

The President appointed Senator Kimball to fill the vacancy on the above contest committee.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 13, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and sixty-one (1061) of the code providing for proclamation of general election by the Governor of the state.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 75, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to the east thirty (30) acres of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three (23) in township seventy-seven (77), north of range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth P. M. of Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 63, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor County, Iowa, two hundred to two hundred and twenty-two, inclusive, said ordinances having been adopted by the town council of said town of Clearfield, Iowa, on July 17th, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT.—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relative to binding committee lists in leather.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Journal of February 1st was taken up, corrected and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 173, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand three hundred thirty-eight (4338) of the code of 1897, providing that fines and forfeitures in a liquor case shall go to the general fund instead of the school fund.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 174, a bill for an act to annul the collateral inheritance tax assessed upon certain property descending to C. P. Whitney of Keosauqua, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 175, a bill for an act providing for an absolute and incontestable title to real estate, specifying the exceptions thereto, and fixing a method for preserving rights claimed in real estate by notice.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 176, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand ninety-four (3094) of the code, 1897, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the filing of mechanic's liens by sub-contractors after thirty days.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 177, a bill for an act making appropriations for the Iowa school for the deaf at Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 178, a bill for an act repealing sections fifteen hundred fifty-two (1552) and fifteen hundred fifty-five (1555) of the code, and the law as it appears in sections fifteen hundred fifty (1550) and fifteen hundred fifty-one (1551) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to labor by able bodied citizens upon public roads of the state and collection of poll taxes and enacting a substitute therefor providing for payment of a road tax by all male citizens between certain ages and giving authority for and prescribing method of collection thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 179, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of bridges and culverts in order to

enable adjoining land owners to secure access to their premises, and to provide for the cost and procedure therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 180, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-three (2727-a3), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the secretary of the board of control.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 181, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "bootlegger" to include those who solicit, take or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

Senator Whitmore moved that 300 extra copies of Senate File No. 8 be printed.

Carried.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 63, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor county, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 75, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to the east thirty (30) acres of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three (23) in township seventy-seven (77), north of range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth P. M. of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 13, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and sixty-one (1061) of the code providing for proclamation of general election by the governor of the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator L. E. Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 147, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the Firemen's pension fund, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 148, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-six-a (256-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and terms of judges of the superior court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 146, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 144, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of

the supreme court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 15, a bill for an act to amend chapter 280 of the Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relative to the share of surviving spouse where intestate leaves no issue, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 72, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor County, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

We recommend that the title to the act be stricken out and the following substituted therefor: "For an Act to Legalize Ordinances Numbers Two Hundred (200) to Two Hundred Twenty-two (222) Both Inclusive, of the Incorporated Town of Clearfield, Taylor County, Iowa." Also strike out of the first line of Section 1 thereof, the words "ordinances legalized—pending litigation".

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend section 937 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 50, a bill for an act to amend section 937 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to vacancies in office of alderman of special charter cities, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed, House File No. 45 having been substituted therefor.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 57, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the time within which appeals may be taken to the supreme court, as the same appears in section forty-one hundred ten (4110) of the code and section fifty-four hundred forty-eight (5448) of the code as amended by chapter two hundred twenty-eight (228) of the acts of the Thirty-third (33d) General Assembly, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator White of Iowa moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Carried.

The bill was read for information.

Senator White of Iowa moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Perkins, Savage, Thompson—6.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Jones, Quigley, Schrup—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Henigbaum, House File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend section 937 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Henigbaum moved that the rules be suspended and the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boc, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindley, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Kimball, Schrup—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 182, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of rules, regulations and standards in the construction of electrical work, to grant to the board of rail-

way commissioners power to establish and fix such rules, regulations and standards, to provide for the inspection, condemnation and removal of wires, fixtures and appliances installed or maintained in violation of such standards, to provide for penalties for the violation of such standards and orders of said board, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors for such electrical work.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Whitmore moved that three hundred extra copies of Senate File No. 11 and three hundred extra copies of Senate File No. 12 be printed.

Carried.

A committee from the House appeared and notified the Senate that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint convention.

The Senate proceeded to the House under the direction of the sergeant-at-arms.

SECRETARY JAMES WILSON BEFORE THE IOWA LEGISLATURE.

A foreign invasion has attacked our meat bearing animals. They are more valuable than those of any other state.

Foot and mouth disease is established in all countries except ours, Sweden, and the British Isles. No treatment is effective but stamping it out. The continent of Europe has tried treatment, and failed to get rid of it. South America has this disease everywhere. It was stamped out twice during my time in the Agricultural Department. Prompt action is a prime necessity.

The present outbreak has spread farther than any previous one, and we are in great danger of having it extend beyond control. We arranged in previous outbreaks to have the federal government and the states pay equally toward eradication, and required the state executives to appoint federal agents as state agents, to avoid questions being raised of federal interference in state affairs. Should litigation cause delay, there is little hope of avoiding general contamination of all the meat producing animals of all the states. The consequences of this would reach beyond all computation.

The outbreak previous to the present one extended to four states, and by prompt action was stamped out at an expense to federal and state governments of less than a million dollars. We asked congress to authorize a million dollars to be held against future outbreaks, which was done for several years; but continued exemption from attack brought feelings of security, that resulted in failure to continue putting this feature in the annual appropriation bill.

I observe that stock owners are restive in some states regarding the execution of the killing process by federal and state executives, doubting the good faith of reimbursement promises. There never has been any hesitation in the past about such payments by state or federal lawmakers.

I think it would be wise for both federal and state lawmakers to set apart ample amounts to be used by the executives, should this disease come during recess of the lawmakers.

Foot and mouth disease is one of the most contagious of all the maladies that affect domestic animals. When the outbreak occurred in Portland, Maine, an importation of affected animals was driven to the quarantine station; a yoke of oxen crossed the path where the affected animals had been driven the day previous, and got foot and mouth disease.

Mature reflection leads me to conclude that in the future the federal government should handle the whole matter and pay the bills. It is a foreign invasion that should be suppressed by the general government of all the people, which has power to raise money by taxing the people.

A litigious spirit encouraged by a local court makes delay, and delay endangers all the states.

The federal government has in its service the ablest scientists in the land along lines of animal diseases. The Department of Agriculture has control of all the telegraphic dispatches for an hour every morning. It can learn of any outbreaks sooner than any state can, and act more promptly.

During the uncertainty brought about by the fever tick some years ago, states quarantined against states, and local courts upheld local jurisdictions, and also charged fees from cattle owners crossing state lines, which was exceedingly annoying. Some states at this time are behaving queerly regarding foot and mouth disease, and we may have repetitions of what was done some years ago on account of cattle fever ticks.

INQUIRY INTO CONDITIONS OF LANDLORD AND TENANT IN GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

The Thirty-fifth General Assembly authorized the Governor to appoint Doctor Wallace and myself to look over the relations between landlord and tenant in the British Isles. We made the trip, looked carefully into the conditions existing there on this subject, and made our report to the Governor, without expense to the state. I presume his excellency has laid the report before you, and I respectfully ask you to look it over.

There are 40 per cent of the farms of Iowa under lease. The Iowa landlord may be divided into several classes, and the conditions to be found in our state are quite different from conditions on the other side of the Atlantic. I do not think enough is known regarding affairs in Iowa to justify an attempt at legislation at the present time; but it would seem wise to authorize your committees on agriculture of both house and senate during a recess of the legislature to get the facts regarding landlord and tenant as they exist in our state, and have a report made to the next General Assembly.

EDUCATIONAL AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS IN IOWA.

The state of Iowa is admirably equipped with educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions. The credit for their development belongs to the successive legislatures that have met in the state. Their work has been well done. I was at one time, while a member of the Iowa legislature, elected a regent of the State University. I took pride in the development of that institution. There is no reason why the Iowa student after getting his primary degrees should not conduct post-graduate work within the state; and there is no reason why a state of such prominence and wealth as the state of Iowa should not have a State University such as Michigan and other western states have. Progress is being made toward that end. The legislature has been generous in providing means, conveniences and stronger faculties.

THE STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

For many years there was doubt in the minds of many Iowa people, including members of the legislature, whether education at Ames was valuable to the Iowa farmer. There was a prominent opinion lodged in the minds of many, that the graduates of the agricultural course did not go back to the farm. I think there is ground for change in that opinion. Two years ago I called upon Dean Curtiss for information with regard to getting more of the four-year graduates in agriculture into the Federal Department of Agriculture at Washington. I asked him what the prospect was for getting members from the graduating class of that year. He replied that the class would number 41, that 39 of them were going back to the farm; but he did not know what prospect there might be for getting the other two. Since that time they have graduated two classes in the four-year course, one of 80, another of 125, besides many more in courses relating to agriculture—dairying, farm engineering, etc.

A new problem presents itself for your consideration with regard to that institution: The freshman classes in agriculture have numbered one thousand and over in 1913 and 1914. You have provided a splendid equipment, that was supposed to take care of all the young farmers and farmers' daughters who might want to come to Ames for education. The buildings are beautiful, a credit to the state; but they are all overcrowded. It is for you to determine what is wise to do. I cannot bring myself to think that when a farmer's boy comes to Ames to study agriculture, you will have him sent home for want of room; and if the farmer's girl wants to come and study domestic science, I hardly think you will conclude to have her go back because the state of Iowa has not provided for her training.

Your normal school at Cedar Falls has greatly strengthened the teaching force of the state, and its work is very creditable.

The Senate returned to the Senate chamber and resumed its sitting.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Robinson from the committee to examine as to the qualifications of committee clerks submitted the following report:

We, your committee appointed to examine the applicants for committee clerks as to their qualifications for the positions according to the resolution passed by the Senate, beg leave to report we have made such examination of the following named person and find her qualified for the position:

Mabel Beers Senator Heald
to succeed Mr. Stookey, resigned.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
G. M. GILLETTE,
L. E. FRANCIS.

Adopted.

The following committee clerk appeared before the bar of the Senate and was duly sworn.

Miss Mabel Beers Senator Heald

Senator Larrabee, moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Carried.

Senate went into executive session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

On motion and roll call, the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of Emory H. English as Insurance Commissioner for the full term of four years ending Feb. 1, 1919.

On motion the Senate arose from executive session.

Senator Hilsinger moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 3, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Elmer Ellsworth Higley, Pastor Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Des Moines, Iowa.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Concurrent Resolution memorializing Congress to investigate the origin of foot and mouth disease.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition signed by the board of education of Ottumwa favoring the passage of a bill permitting the election of a city superintendent for a period not exceeding three years.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pioneer, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for a "Child Welfare Station," at the state university of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition signed by the ladies of the Harlan Literary club favoring an appropriation for a "Child Welfare Station," at the state university of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Jackson presented a petition signed by the directors of the Charles City Commercial club favoring an appropriation for a "Child Welfare Station," at the state university of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Charles City, favoring an appropriation for a "Child Welfare Station," at the state university of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a2 (254-a2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the reimbursement of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters for their actual transportation and expenses while in the discharge of their official duties away from their places of residence.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 184, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-17 (1527-s 17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of obstructions in public highways.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 185, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities of the second class and towns, a levy for road purposes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 186, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred thirty (1530) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-eight (1527-s8) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to county road fund arising from property within municipalities.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Fleck, Senate File No. 187, a bill for an act making an appropriation to Mrs. Etta Jopling on account of the death of her husband, Robert Jopling, caused by assault upon him by inmates of the State Hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 188, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m32 (1571-m32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the apportionment of fees collected from the owners of motor vehicles.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-a (2477-a) and twenty-four hundred and seventy seven-b (2477-b) and twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-c (2477-c) and twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-d (2477-d) of the supplement to the code, 1907, and to add section twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-m (2477-m) to the said supplement to code, 1907, all relating to child labor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

Senator Arney was called to the chair at 10:25 a. m.

Journal of February second was taken up, corrected and approved.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:40 a. m.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on mines and mining, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on mines and mining, to whom was referred Senate File No. 6, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred and seventy-eight, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 6.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Repeal Section One (1) of Chapter One Hundred Six (106) of the Acts of the Thirty-fourth (34th) General Assembly of the State of Iowa, and to Repeal the Law as Same Appears in Section Twenty-four Hundred Seventy-eight (2478) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, and to Enact a Substitute Therefor, Relating to the Appointment of Mine Inspectors.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1: That the law as it appears in section One (1) of Chapter One Hundred Six (106) of the Acts of the Thirty-fourth (34th) General Assembly of the State of Iowa, and the law as same appears in Section Twenty-four Hundred Seventy-eight (2478) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The Governor shall appoint three mine inspectors from those receiving certificates of competency from the board of examiners as by law provided, who shall hold their office for a term of four years and until their successors shall be appointed and qualified, subject to removal by him for cause, their term to commence on the Fourth day of July, Nineteen Hundred Fifteen (1915) and at four year periods thereafter. The present incumbents shall continue in office until their successors are appointed and qualified. Any vacancies occurring shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments and the appointee to hold for the unexpired term only. Each inspector shall in no way be financially interested in or connected with any mining property, directly or indirectly act as an agent, officer or representative of any person, firm or corporation, and shall devote his entire time and attention to the duties incumbent upon him as an inspector of mines in the state of Iowa and shall before entering upon the discharge of his duties give bond in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars and take an oath to be endorsed upon his bond, with sureties to be approved by the Secretary of State, conditioned in accordance with the tenor of the oath. The bond shall be conditioned to faithfully and impartially without fear or favor perform the duties incumbent upon him, which shall be filed with the oath and commission and recorded in the office of the Secretary of State.

SECTION 2. All acts or parts of acts in so far as they conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

JOHN T. CLARKSON,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator White of Iowa moved that Senate File No. 57 be recalled from the House.

Carried.

Senator Kimball filed the following motion:

I move to reconsider Senate File 57, passed by the Senate Tuesday, Feb. 2, 1915.

C. F. KIMBALL.

THIRD READING OF BILLS. .

On motion of Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township

eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth p. m., Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Sheean moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Farr, Frailey, Laffer, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On request of Senator Wilson leave of absence was granted Senator Clarkson today and tomorrow.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings, with report of committee recommending passage was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Frailey, Laffer, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 148, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-six-a (256-a) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and terms of judges of the superior court with report of committee recommending passage was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Frailey, Laffer, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 146, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a12) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes, with report of committee recommending passage was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Frailey, Hagemann, Laffer, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 147, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c) supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the investment of the Firemen's pension fund, with report of committee recommending passage was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Frailey, Laffer, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 144, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of the supreme court, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Laffer, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Greene introduced the following concurrent resolution.

Be It Resolved by the Senate and House of the Iowa Legislature, That we do hereby request the Federal Board of Animal Health to so amend their quarantine regulations in cases of foot and mouth disease that the closed area may be reduced from five (5) to three (3) miles, and that they are further requested to maintain a strict quarantine over the aforesaid three (3) mile area with armed guards.

Passed on file.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Ex-Senator John Hammill of Britt, Iowa, was invited to address the Senate.

Senator Hammill briefly addressed the Senate.

President Harding announced receipt of a communication requiring an executive session.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Carried.

Senate went into executive session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

On motion and roll call, the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of J. H. McConologue, as member of the board of control, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of John F. Wade, said appointment to be both for balance of the unexpired term of the said John F. Wade, deceased, and for the full term ending July 1st, 1921.

Senate arose from executive session.

Senate resumed regular session.

Senator Henigbaum moved that Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 4, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. L. K. Billingsley, Pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Creston, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of the Citizens' League of Ida Grove, favoring passage of temperance bills.

Referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

Senator Boe presented a petition of teachers of Fort Dodge, urging passage of a law for a comprehensive retirement system for the public school teachers of Iowa.

Referred to committee on public schools.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House.

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 41, a bill for an act relating to equitable proceedings auxiliary to execution.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House in compliance with your request is returning Senate File No. 57.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred and thirty-seven (937) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the Code and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 191, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections four hundred ten (410), four hundred eleven (411), and four hundred sixteen (416) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and in sections four hundred seventeen (417) and four hundred eighteen (418) of the Code; and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the elections, duties and terms of office of county supervisors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 192, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred ninety (490) of the supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and their duties.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

RESOLUTION BY SENATOR KIMBALL.

Senator Kimball offered the following resolution:

Be it Resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of Iowa:

WHEREAS, A committee of the Senate has been appointed to investigate certain charges of graft and extravagances of the Senate of this General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, certain evidence has been produced before such committee with respect to similar expenditures for administrative offices in the state house which should bear the same investigation,

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the said committee be and is hereby authorized and instructed to investigate expenditures for and the work and service of employes, messengers and other persons connected with the administration offices in the state house and report with reference thereto at the time it shall report in regard to the other matters referred to.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 41, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four thousand eighty-seven (4087) of the code relating to equitable proceedings auxiliary to execution.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Heald, from the committee on penitentiaries and pardons submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on penitentiaries and pardons, to whom was referred Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of the reformatory at Anamosa, and the penitentiary at Fort Madison, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

That Section No. 1 be amended by striking from the thirteenth line of said section, the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "may."

FRANCIS A. HEALD,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out all of the preamble down to the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

WHEREAS, Pursuant to an Act of Congress, the Panama-Pacific International Exposition will be held in San Francisco, California, in the year 1915, celebrating the completion of the Panama Canal, and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the resources and advantages of the State of Iowa should be represented and advertised at such exposition, and

WHEREAS, Certain public spirited citizens of the State have contributed to a fund for this purpose and have erected a building at said exposition and have a Commission now in charge of its affairs and of said building, and

WHEREAS, It seems wise and expedient to aid, from the public treasury, this commendable enterprise, Therefore,

And further amending by striking out all of Sections One (1), Two (2) and Three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That the Iowa Commission appointed by the Governor in April, 1914, consisting of eleven members, is hereby given full power to conduct an exhibit for the State of Iowa at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition subject to the conditions in Sections Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4).

SECTION 2. That the sum of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) is hereby appropriated to be paid by the Treasurer of State out of any state funds not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of aiding the said Iowa Commission in conducting this exhibit. That such funds as may be needed by said Commission shall be drawn from the state treasury upon approval of the State Executive Council and that said Executive Council shall audit and make an accounting and report of all such funds so drawn and expended.

SECTION 3. That the amount of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) thus appropriated is designed to be used for each of the following purposes and no other in aid of such exhibit and not to exceed the following amounts:

Furnishings of Building.....	\$ 3,000.00
Historical Exhibit.....	2,000.00
Administration which includes salaries of employes, insurance, stationery and postage, light, fuel, house supplies, etc.	15,000.00
Entertainment and Dedication	1,700.00
Moving pictures for advertising purposes.....	7,300.00
Freight expense in transporting live stock.....	16,000.00
Horticultural exhibit	4,000.00
Publicity	5,000.00
Contingent Fund	5,000.00
Agricultural, Dairy, Educational and other exhibits....	16,000.00
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Total	\$75,000.00

SECTION 4. At the close of said exposition, and when the business connected with this exhibit is concluded, the furniture used in said Iowa building at San Francisco shall be returnable to Iowa, subject to order of the Executive Council.

SECTION 5. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication in the Des Moines News and Cedar Rapids Republican, published at Des Moines and Cedar Rapids, Iowa, respectively.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Greene called up the resolution offered by him on February 3rd, relative to the quarantine for foot and mouth disease and moved the adoption of the resolution.

The resolution was read for information.

Senator Allen moved that the resolution be referred to the committee on agriculture.

Carried.

The Journal of February 3rd was taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 94, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the Code, 1913, by granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise or bequest, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Humboldt, urging passage of a law establishing a child welfare station, at the university of Iowa.

Senator Francis presented a petition of citizens of his district urging passage of a law establishing a child welfare station, at the university of Iowa.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 193, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of a sewer system and the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa State Fair and Exposition grounds, and to make appropriations therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 194, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand three hundred thirty-six (3336) of the code, removing exemption of executors from filing bond where there are minor heirs to the estate in the direct line of descent.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

HOUSE FILE SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House File No. 45.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 6, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred and seventy-eight, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the bill be amended by striking out the words "of the" in the fourth line of the title and in the fourth and fifth lines of section one.

Adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Frailey, Laffer, Schrup—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 5, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Albert A. Walburn, Pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Hamburg, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Bremer county, urging passage of a law abolishing the offices of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of teachers of Fort Dodge and of Webster county, urging passage of a law for a comprehensive retirement fund for the public school teachers of Iowa.

Referred to committee on schools.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of the carpenters' union of Des Moines, urging repeal of the mulct law.

Referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

Senator Allen presented petitions of various organizations recommending the establishment of a child welfare research station at the university of Iowa.

Referred to committee on Appropriations.

Senator Boe presented a petition signed by the Ladies Progressive Club of Garner, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for a "Child Welfare Station", at the state university of Iowa.

Referred to committee on Appropriations.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent resolution concerning passage of Senate File No. 6857 in the United States Senate, relating to retirement of officers now on active list in the army and who served in the Civil War.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent resolution relating to quarantine resolutions in cases of the foot and mouth disease.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent resolution relating to printing pocket edition of the rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Greene, Senate File No. 195, a bill for an act amending chapter one hundred thirty-two (132) of the laws of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, providing for rules and regulations for operation of motor vehicles upon the public highways.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 196, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a twenty-six (1056-a26) and section ten hundred fifty-six-a thirty-two (1056-a32) (d) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the placing of chiefs of police in cities operating under the commission plan of government under civil service.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Committee on Agriculture, Senate File No. 197, a bill for an act to make an appropriation for the payment to owners thereof of one-half of the appraised value of stock which has been, or may hereafter be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "Foot and Mouth" disease, and to pay one-half the expense of the cost of burial of said stock and the cleaning and disinfecting the premises.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 198, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand seven hundred twenty-eight (4728) of the code, limiting the punishment to be inflicted for the crime of murder in the first degree, to imprisonment for life at hard labor in the penitentiary, and taking the right of determination thereof from the jury.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 199, a bill for an act to repeal sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), and one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the destruction of noxious weeds and other weeds and brush upon lands, highways and other places; assessing the costs and expenses of the destruction of the same to the lands and owners thereof; and providing funds with which to destroy the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 200, a bill for an act to provide an appropriation for the making of topographic surveys

within the state of Iowa in co-operation with the United States government.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

RESOLUTION BY FRANCIS.

Senator Francis offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Joint Resolution Number 6 relating to the submission to the people of the state of Iowa, of an amendment prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors within the state, was duly referred to the committee on Constitutional Amendments, and

WHEREAS, said Joint Resolution Number 6 was by said committee duly and legally referred to a sub-committee, which sub-committee filed a legal and formal report thereon returning same to the full committee at the meeting held February 4th 1915, and

WHEREAS, the report of said Sub-committee by a majority vote recommended that said Joint Resolution Number 6 be reported to the senate with the recommendation that same do pass, and

WHEREAS, upon said motion being submitted to said committee that said resolution be reported for passage, said motion was voted down by a vote of seven to five, and

WHEREAS, thereupon a motion that said resolution be reported without recommendation was by the committee voted down seven to five, and

WHEREAS, a motion being then made that said resolution be reported for indefinite postponement, said motion was voted down by a vote of seven to five, and

WHEREAS, the seven members of said committee who voted against reporting said resolution out with the recommendation that same pass and who voted against reporting said resolution out without recommendation, were the same members of said committee, who voted against recommending said resolution out for indefinite postponement, and

WHEREAS, it is apparent from the above proceedings that it is the purpose and intention of the majority of said committee to bottle said resolution up and prevent its consideration by the Senate;

Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate that the Committee upon Constitutional Amendments be and it is hereby instructed and directed to return said Joint Resolution Number 6 to the Senate during the Legislative session next following the adoption of this resolution.

Senator Wilson moved that consideration of the resolution be made a special order for 10.30 on Tuesday, February 9th.

Carried.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION BY TAYLOR.

Senator Taylor offered the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The frequent floods of the Mississippi River, caused by waters from thirty-one states, embracing more than 41 per cent of the total area of the United States, result in great loss of human lives in portions of the States of Illinois, Tennessee, Kentucky, Mississippi, Missouri, Arkansas and Louisiana, and large money losses, not only in such afflicted territory but in other portions of the nation, and

WHEREAS, It has been declared by every member of the Engineer Corps of the United States Army who has dealt with such floods, by the Mississippi River Commission and by other commissions appointed by Congress that such floods can be prevented at a reasonable cost, and

WHEREAS, The work of such flood prevention has been going on for many years in the least economical way and over two-thirds of its cost has been borne by the damaged sections who can no longer cope with this giant problem without effective aid from the National Government, and

WHEREAS, All political parties have declared in their campaign platforms that flood control of the Mississippi river is a national duty, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Iowa, the House concurring, that the Congress of the United States be and is hereby requested to fulfill this national duty at its next session and to enact such legislation, without delay, as shall provide a separate and comprehensive plan for the prevention of such floods.

Be It Further Resolved, that copies of this resolution be sent to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and to the President of the Senate of the Congress of the United States.

Passed on file.

Senator Parker stated that the Hon. John A. Fox of Memphis, Tenn., was present and moved that he be invited to address the Senate in relation to proposed protection against flood damage from the Mississippi river.

Carried.

The Hon. John A. Fox briefly addressed the Senate.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House Concurrent Resolution, relating to printing pocket edition of the rules of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

Passed on file.

House Concurrent Resolution, relating to quarantine regulations in cases of the foot and mouth disease.

Read and referred to committee on agriculture.

House Concurrent Resolution, concerning passage of Senate File No. 6857 in the United States Senate, relating to retirement of officers now on active list in the army and who served in the Civil War.

Passed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 129, a bill for an act to amend section 198 of the code and requiring all causes to be decided by the supreme court within six months after submission, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Wilson moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

Those favoring the motion were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Arney, Doran, Francis, Kimball, Ream, Whitmore—6.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Frailey, Grout, Henigbaum, Laffer, Thomas—10.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Boe from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 47, a bill for an act to amend the law in Section 2778, supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for employment of school superintendents, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows, and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend section one (1) by changing the period following the word "state" at the end of the section to a semicolon (;) and add the words: "Provided that no such contract be made until a superintendent has served one year in the position to which it is proposed to elect him for the longer period."

Amend section two (2) by striking out the words "Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa," and inserting in lieu thereof the words; "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Muscatine News-Tribune, a newspaper published in the city of Muscatine, Iowa."

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 48, a bill for an act to amend section 2773 of the Code of Iowa, relating to legal holidays in common schools, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting before the word "Thanksgiving" in the second line, the words "Decoration Day" followed by a comma (,).

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 66, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two (932) of the Code of 1897, relating to the transfer of public squares or other plats of ground deeded or dedicated to the public for school purposes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out the word and figures "OF 1897" of the title, and also in the fourth line of the bill, and in the fifth line by striking out the words "independent district" and inserting the words "school corporation"; and in line ten (10) of the bill, by striking out the figures "1907" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1913"; and in Section Two (2), the publication clause, by striking out the words "Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des

Moines, Iowa," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words; "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Marshalltown Times Republican, a newspaper published in the city of Marshalltown, Iowa."

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred Senate concurrent resolution relating to quarantine for foot and mouth disease, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION BY GREENE.

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring:

That we do hereby request the Federal Board of Animal Health to so amend their quarantine regulations in cases of foot and mouth disease that the closed area may be reduced from five (5) to three (3) miles, and that they are further requested to maintain a strict quarantine over the particular premises or farm upon which the infection is found, and that they are further requested to permit live stock in closed area, except on farm infected, to be taken out for shipment to market, under the supervision of the Federal authorities, for immediate slaughter.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred the Governor's message on the foot and mouth disease, beg leave to report a committee bill, making an appropriation for the payment to owners thereof of one-half of the appraised value of stock which has been, or may hereafter be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease, and to pay one-half of the expense of the cost of burial of said stock and the cleaning and disinfecting the premises.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Thomas moved that three hundred extra copies of Senate File No. 111 be printed.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Heald, Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment to the amendments offered by the committee on appropriations and moved its adoption:

"I move to amend the amendment to Senate File No. 42 by striking out in line one (1) section two (2) the words and figures "seventy-five (75)" and substituting therefor the words and figures "one hundred and seven (107)," and by striking out in line one (1) section three (3) the words and figures "seventy-five (75)" and substituting therefor the words and figures "one hundred and seven (107)," and by inserting in section three (3) after the word "amounts" the following:

"For the purchase of a suitable building for Iowa, \$32,000.00."

Amendment lost.

Senator Heald moved that the following amendment offered by the committee on appropriations be adopted.

Amend by striking out all of the preamble down to the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

WHEREAS, Pursuant to an Act of Congress, the Panama-Pacific International Exposition will be held in San Francisco, California, in the year 1915, celebrating the completion of the Panama Canal, and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the resources and advantages of the State of Iowa should be represented and advertised at such exposition, and

WHEREAS, Certain public spirited citizens of the State have contributed to a fund for this purpose and have erected a building at said exposition and have a Commission now in charge of its affairs and of said building, and

WHEREAS, It seems wise and expedient to aid, from the public treasury, this commendable enterprise, Therefore,

And further amending by striking out all of Sections One (1), Two (2) and Three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That the Iowa Commission appointed by the Governor in April, 1914, consisting of eleven members, is hereby given full power to conduct an exhibit for the State of Iowa at the Panama-Pacific Interna-

tional Exposition subject to the conditions in Sections Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4).

SECTION 2. That the sum of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) is hereby appropriated to be paid by the Treasurer of State out of any state funds not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of aiding the said Iowa Commission in conducting this exhibit. That such funds as may be needed by said Commission shall be drawn from the state treasury upon approval of the State Executive Council and that said Executive Council shall audit and make an accounting and report of all such funds as drawn and expended.

SECTION 3. That the amount of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) thus appropriated is designed to be used for each of the following purposes and no other in aid of such exhibit and not to exceed the following amounts:

Furnishings of Building.....	\$ 3,000.00
Historical Exhibit.....	2,000.00
Administration which includes salaries of employes, insurance, stationery and postage, light, fuel, house supplies, etc.	15,000.00
Entertainment and Dedication.....	1,700.00
Moving pictures for advertising purposes.....	7,300.00
Freight expense in transporting live stock.....	16,000.00
Horticultural exhibit	4,000.00
Publicity	5,000.00
Contingent Fund.....	5,000.00
Agricultural, Dairy, Educational and other exhibits....	16,000.00
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Total	\$75,000.00

SECTION 4. At the close of said exposition, and when the business connected with this exhibit is concluded, the furniture used in said Iowa building at San Francisco shall be returnable to Iowa, subject to order of the Executive Council.

SECTION 5. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication in the Des Moines News and Cedar Rapids Republican, published at Des Moines and Cedar Rapids, Iowa, respectively.

Adopted.

Senator Larrabee offered the following motion and moved its adoption.

I move to defer action on the bill until the bills asking for appropriations to reimburse stockraisers in Iowa, and other persons who have been damaged by reason of having stock killed by order of the State Veterinarian or officers of the Federal Government, for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the Foot and Mouth Disease, and other bills, except committee bills, calling for appropriations are in the hands of the Appropriations Committee for consideration.

Senator Hagemann made a point of order against the motion to postpone on the ground that it did not postpone until a day certain and was for that reason out of order.

President held the point of order not well taken.

The motion to defer action was lost.

Senator Gillette offered the following motion and moved its adoption.

I move to amend Senate File No. 42 as amended, by adding to Section 1 thereof the following: The said Commission shall make full, detailed and itemized report of all expenditures made by it pursuant to the provisions of this act, to the State Executive Council.

Adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—34.

The nays were:

Arney, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Fellows, Foster, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Wilson—12.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Darrah, Frailey, Laffer—4.

Roll call verified.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Heald moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 42 passed the Senate be reconsidered and that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Carried.

On his own request, Senator White of Benton was granted leave of absence until Monday.

On request of Senator Gillette leave of absence was granted Senator Laffer until Monday.

Journal of February 4th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Allen moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 6, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Charles O'Connor of the Visitation Church, Des Moines.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Grout presented petition of members of the Carpenters' Union of Des Moines, urging repeal of the mullet law.

Referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of his district, favoring establishment of a Child Welfare Station at the University of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Heald presented a petition of the police of Cedar Rapids, urging passage of the bill for change in the policemen's pension law.

Referred to committee on Cities and Towns.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Page county, favoring change in the present system of road and bridge supervision and dispensing with the office of county engineer.

Referred to committee on county and township affairs.

Senator Schrup presented a petition signed by 105 ladies of Dubuque opposing woman suffrage.

Referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of the Carpenters' Union of Des Moines, urging repeal of the mullet law.

Referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 86, a bill for an act legalizing certain bonds and acts and proceedings of Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relating to compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 53, a bill for an act making appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 81, a bill for an act granting additional powers to the Board of Railway Commissioners in the matter of short line competition.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred seventy-one-M-five (1571-m5) relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on pharmacy.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 202, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in section eight hundred forty-g (840-g) supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 203.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Acts and Proceedings of the County Treasurer, County Auditor and Board of Supervisors of Page County, Iowa, Relating to the Overdrafts upon the Bridge Fund and County Fund, and the Acts and Proceedings of the said County Officers in relation to a Certain Proposed Issue of County Bonds for the Purpose of Enabling the County to Pay Claims for Such Overdrafts.

WHEREAS, beginning in the year 1908 and continuing to August 14, 1914, unusual amounts of money were expended by Page County, Iowa, necessitated in part from the removal of bridges from channels of old river beds and installing same over new drainage ditch channels, and in part for the construction of concrete bridges and culverts, and in part from circumstances giving rise to other legitimate expenditures from the County Bridge Fund, such expenditures exceeding the revenue arising for the said Bridge Fund for each year from 1907 to August 14, 1914; and

WHEREAS, the then treasurer of Page County, D. M. Creal, acting under the advice and personal direction of the members of the Board of Supervisors, did not, at such times as warrants drawn on the County Bridge Fund were presented to him for payment and when said funds contained no money with which to pay them, endorse the said warrants, "Not paid for want of funds," as the law provides, but did pay said bridge warrants from money in his hands belonging to the credit balances of one or more of the other county funds and from certain trust funds, in his hands as County Treasurer; and

WHEREAS, the entire amount so used from said funds and paid out by D. M. Creal, the then treasurer of Page County, in taking up said Bridge Warrants as presented to him, in excess of the regular revenue arising from the annual bridge fund levies from January 1, 1908, to and including August 13, 1914, was in the aggregate sum of forty-

three thousand seven hundred and ninety-one and 6-100 dollars (\$43,791.06); and

WHEREAS, the whole of said amount although diverted from the other funds in the irregular and illegal manner herein set forth, had, nevertheless, been expended entirely in the payment of warrants issued in the satisfaction of claims duly audited and allowed by the Board of Supervisors of Page County for the purchase of bridge and culvert material, labor in bridge and culvert work and for other regular channels of bridge and culvert construction and repairs, all for the use and benefit of Page County, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, on or about August 12, 1914, the said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, acting in conjunction with the Board of Supervisors of Page County, attempted to and, in good faith, supposed they had made legal arrangements through an agreement with various banks in Page County by which the said D. M. Creal attempted to restore to each of the several funds, as aforesaid, all of the said amounts so irregularly and illegally paid therefrom by him for Bridge Fund Warrants; and by which agreement checking credit was extended by said banks to the said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, for the warrants so paid and to be so paid by him; and by which Page County became under an equitable as well as a moral obligation to said banks in said amounts and which obligation was wholly unsatisfied and outstanding on September 1, 1914, and is now outstanding and unsatisfied; and

WHEREAS, even in the absence or failure of said agreement with said banks, Page County was on September 1, 1914, under an equitable as well as a moral obligation to the said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, in the said sum of forty-three thousand seven hundred ninety-one and 6-100 dollars (\$43,791.06) to enable him to restore to each of the several funds, as aforesaid, amounts so irregularly and illegally paid therefrom by him; and

WHEREAS, the then treasurer of Page County, D. M. Creal, did, on or about August 28, 1914, file with the Board of Supervisors thereof, a claim against Page County for the said sum of forty-three thousand seven hundred ninety-one and 6-100 dollars (\$43,791.06) dollars, the same being the amount so expended by him in the payment of Bridge Fund Warrants, as above set forth, and the said sum being the amount necessary to reimburse him and said banks for restoring or to enable him to restore to the several funds, respectively, the amounts so diverted therefrom; and

WHEREAS, by the official proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of Page County at Page 7 of Book "H" thereof, it appears that at a regular meeting thereof, held on August 28, 1914, said Board did allow the said claim of D. M. Creal, Treasurer, in said sum of forty-three thousand seven hundred ninety-one and 6-100 dollars (\$43,691.06), and ordered the County Auditor to draw warrants on the Bridge Fund for said amount; and

WHEREAS, the said obligation of the County being, at the time, wholly unsatisfied, the County Auditor did, on the 12th day of September,

1914, draw, in favor of and deliver to said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, warrants on the Bridge Fund numbered and in amounts as follows:

Warrants No. 3577 to No. 3581, inclusive, in the sum of four thousand four hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,450.00) each; Warrant No. 3582 for three thousand one hundred and fifty dollars (\$3,150.00); Warrants No. 3583 and 3584 for two thousand four hundred forty-five and 53-100 dollars (\$2,445.53) each; Warrants No. 3585 to 3588, inclusive, for one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) each; Warrants No. 3590 to 3594, inclusive, for one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) each; all in the aggregate sum of forty-three thousand seven hundred ninety-one and 6-100 dollars (\$43,791.06); and

WHEREAS, during the same period and for like definite reasons a like practice was followed in the payment of warrants drawn on the County Fund, from moneys in the hands of the said County Treasurer, D. M. Creal, belonging to the credit balances of one or more of the other county funds and including certain trust funds in his hands as County Treasurer until the aggregate amount diverted from the several funds and used for the payment of County Fund Warrants, was, on August 14, 1914, the sum of seven thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars (\$7,929.96); and

WHEREAS, the said money although diverted from other funds in the regular and illegal manner set forth, had, nevertheless, been expended entirely in the payment of warrants issued for the satisfaction of claims duly audited and allowed by the Board of Supervisors, all for the use and benefit of Page County, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, on or about August 12, 1914, the said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, acting in conjunction with the Board of Supervisors of Page County, attempted to and, in good faith, supposed they had made legal arrangements through an agreement with various banks in Page County by which the said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, attempted to restore to each of the several funds, as aforesaid, all of the amounts so irregularly and illegally paid therefrom by him for County Fund Warrants; and by which agreement checking credit was extended by said banks to said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, for the warrants so paid and to be so paid by him; and by which Page County became under an equitable as well as moral obligation to said banks in said amounts and which obligation was wholly unsatisfied and outstanding on September 1, 1914; and

WHEREAS, even in the absence or failure of said bank agreement Page County was, on September 1, 1914, under an equitable as well as a moral obligation to the said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, in the said sum of seven thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars (\$7,929.96) to enable him to restore to each of the several funds, as aforesaid, the said amounts so irregularly and illegally paid therefrom by him; and

WHEREAS, the said Treasurer of Page County, D. M. Creal, did, on or about August 28, 1914, file with the Board of Supervisors thereof, a

claim against Page County for the said sum of seven thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars (\$7,929.96), the same being the amount expended by him in the payment of the County Fund Warrants, as above set forth, and the said sum being the amount necessary to reimburse him and the said banks for restoring or to enable him to restore to the several funds, respectively, the amounts so diverted therefrom; and

WHEREAS, by the official proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of Page County, on Page 7, of Book "H" thereof, it appears that at a regular meeting thereof, held on August 28, 1914, said Board did allow the said claim of D. M. Creal Treasurer, in the said sum of seven thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars (\$7,929.96), and ordered the County Auditor to draw warrants on the County Fund for the said amount; and

WHEREAS, said obligation being, at the time, wholly unsatisfied, the County Auditor did, on September 12, 1914, draw, in favor of and deliver to said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, warrants on the County Fund, numbered and in amounts, respectively, as follows: Warrants No. 4535 to 4539, inclusive, each for eight hundred dollars (\$800.00); Warrant No. 4540 for six hundred dollars (\$600.00); Warrants No. 4541 and 4542 for four hundred and fifty dollars (\$450.00) each; warrants No. 4543 to 4550, inclusive, for two hundred seventy-five dollars (\$275.00) each; and Warrant No. 4551 for two hundred twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars (\$229.96); all in the aggregate of seven thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars (\$7,929.96); and

WHEREAS, all of said Bridge Fund Warrants and County Fund Warrants of Page County, dated September 12, 1914, and drawn in favor of D. M. Creal, Treasurer, were afterward duly indorsed and assigned by him to various banks of Page County and are now held by said banks as collateral security for the payment of checking credit according to said agreement with D. M. Creal, Treasurer, and the Board of Supervisors of Page County, Iowa, under date of August 12, 1914; and

WHEREAS, on the 6th day of October, 1914, the Board of Supervisors, of Page County, by resolution called for payment the above described Bridge Fund and County Fund Warrants and certain other warrants for obligations of the county outstanding on September 1, 1914; and

WHEREAS, on the 6th day of October, 1914, the Board of Supervisors of Page County passed and adopted a resolution for a county bond issue in the sum of fifty nine thousand dollars (\$59,000.00) in order to take up and pay off all outstanding indebtedness of the said County existing on September 1, 1914, and which outstanding indebtedness was stated therein to be over fifty-nine thousand dollars (\$59,000.00); but included in which amount is the obligation of Page County to D. M. Creal, Treasurer, for said forty-three thousand seven hundred ninety-one and 6-100 dollars (\$43,791.06) attempted to be restored by him to other funds for Bridge Fund Warrants irregularly paid therefrom and said seven thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars

(\$7,929.96) attempted to be restored by him to other funds for County Fund Warrants illegally paid therefrom, and which added to the other unpaid obligations of the County outstanding on the 1st of September, 1914, in the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00), made a grand actual aggregate of outstanding obligations of the County on September 1st, 1914, in the sum of over fifty-seven thousand dollars (\$57,000.00); which resolution is shown in the official minutes of the proceedings of the said Board of Supervisors on Page 18, of Book "H"; and

WHEREAS, on the 6th day of October, 1914, the Board of Supervisors of Page County levied a bond tax of two-tenths (2-10) of a mill and a bond interest tax of three fourths (3-4) of a mill upon all of the property of Page County subject to taxation for the year 1914, and which levies have been spread upon the tax records of the County and which tax is now being collected, all pursuant to the acts of the Board of Supervisors relating to the said bond issue, and

WHEREAS, although said bonds have been prepared and printed, they have not been signed by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, nor attested by the County Auditor, nor have they been delivered to the County Treasurer; and there having since said October 6, 1914, been a change in the persons holding offices of Chairman of Board of Supervisors and County Treasurer of said County, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of the acts of D. M. Creal, Treasurer of Page County, in paying said bridge and county fund warrants out of the moneys belonging to other funds in his hands, and as to the legality of his claim of forty-three thousand seven hundred ninety-one and 6-100 dollars (\$43,791.06) for Bridge Fund Warrants so paid, and his claim for seven thousand nine hundred twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars (\$7,929.96) for County Fund Warrants so paid, as to whether such amounts so paid by the said D. M. Creal, County Treasurer, were valid outstanding indebtedness of Page County on September 1, 1914, and as to whether D. M. Creal, treasurer, had valid claims therefor against Page County on August 28, 1914, and as to whether such claims were filed with and allowed by the said Board of Supervisors prior to September 1, 1914, and as to whether the warrants issued by the County Auditor on such claims were valid and legal obligations of Page County; and as to whether valid bonds of the said County can be issued by the present officers of the said County, based upon such warrants or upon the claims of D. M. Creal, Treasurer, or upon the obligation of Page County to the said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, to reimburse him for moneys expended or to be expended in restoring and in attempting to restore to the several funds, respectively, the amounts so diverted therefrom, and as to the resolutions and acts of the Board of Supervisors leading up to such proposed bond issue and to the tax levied pursuant thereto for the payment of the said bonds and interest accruing thereon; now, therefore,
Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa

SECTION 1. That the act of D. M. Creal, Treasurer of Page County, in restoring or in attempting to restore to the several other funds, re-

spectively, the amounts so illegally diverted, and the proceedings and acts of the said Board of Supervisors in auditing and allowing said claims of D. M. Creal, Treasurer, in order to reimburse him therefor or to enable him to so make restoration, and in ordering warrants drawn therefor on the Bridge Fund and the County Fund for the said sums, and the act of the County Auditor in drawing in favor of and delivering to said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, the said warrants on the Bridge Fund and County Fund of Page County, be and the same are hereby legalized, the same as though the law had in all respects been complied with.

SECTION 2. That the claim of D. M. Creal, Treasurer, for said sums expended by him, in restoring to the several funds, respectively, the amounts so diverted therefrom, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be valid, legal and outstanding obligations of Page County as of September 1, 1914, the same as though the law had in all respects been complied with by the said D. M. Creal, Treasurer, and said Board of Supervisors; and the aforesaid Bridge Fund Warrants and County Fund Warrants of Page County in the said sums issued and payable to D. M. Creal, Treasurer, for the purpose of reimbursing him for the restoration, or to enable him to restore to the several funds, respectively, the amounts by him so diverted therefrom, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and legal, the same as though the law had in all respects been complied with.

SECTION 3. That the acts and proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, on October 6th, 1914, in passing and adopting the said resolution for a County Bond issue, in order to take up and and pay off outstanding indebtedness of the said county, to the extent of fifty seven thousand dollars (\$57,000.00) as actually existing on September 1, 1914, and included in which amount is the obligation of Page County to D. M. Creal, Treasurer, or his assigns, for moneys expended by him, or credit extended by them, in restoring or attempting to restore to the other funds the sum of forty-three thousand seven hundred ninety-one and 6-100 dollars (\$43,791.06) for Bridge Warrants, illegally paid by him therefrom, and the said sum of seven thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and 96-100 dollars (\$7,929.96) for County Fund Warrants, illegally paid by him therefrom, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and legal, the same as though the law in all respects had been complied with.

SECTION 4. That W. C. Jeffrey, as present Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Page County, is hereby authorized to sign said County Bonds in said amount of fifty-seven thousand dollars (\$57,000.00); and C. W. Duke, as the present County Auditor of Page County, is hereby authorized to attest the same; and the issuance and delivery of said bonds to and the negotiation of the same by D. D. Stitt, as the present County Treasurer of Page County, are hereby authorized; all of which bonds, when so signed and attested, issued and negotiated, are hereby legalized, and declared to be valid and legal, the same as though the law in all respects had been complied with.

SECTION 5. That nothing in this act shall affect any pending litigation.

SECTION 6. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Clarinda Journal, Clarinda Herald and Shenandoah Sentinel-Post, the official newspapers of Page County, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

House File No. 81, a bill for an act granting additional powers to the Board of Railway Commissioners, in the matter of short line competition, and the movement of freight and passengers by railroads having two or more lines between the same station.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Wilson called up the House concurrent resolution adopted by the House, relative to Senate File No. 6857, now in the United States senate, relating to retirement of officers now on active list in the army and who served in the Civil War, and moved that the Senate concur in the House concurrent resolution.

Carried.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Taylor called up the concurrent resolution offered by him on February 5th, relative to Mississippi river flood protection, and moved its adoption.

Adopted.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS.

President Harding announced that he had received a communication from Senator Darrah stating that on account of sickness in his family he would not be able to return to the Senate for some

days and asking that a temporary chairman for the committee on elections be appointed until his return.

The president appointed Senator Kimball as temporary chairman of committee on elections.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Doran from the committee on agriculture called up for consideration the substitute concurrent resolution offered by the committee on agriculture as a substitute for the concurrent resolution offered by Senator Greene on February 4th and moved its adoption.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Arney, Senate File No. 66, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two (932) of the code of 1897, relating to the transfer of public squares or other plats of ground deeded or dedicated to the public, to be used for school purposes, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the word and figures "OF 1897" of the title, and also in the second line of the bill, and in the eighth line by striking out the words "independent district" and inserting the words "school corporation"; and in line fourteen (14) of the bill, by striking out the figures "1907" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1913"; and in Section Two (2), the publication clause, by striking out the words "Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words; "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Marshalltown Times Republican, a newspaper published in the city of Marshalltown, Iowa."

Adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Arney moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Nye, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Benton—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Journal of February 5th was taken up, corrected and approved.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913.

House amendment to title:

Amend by striking out the period following the figures "1913" and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) and adding thereto the following "and index."

House amendments:

1. That the entire quotation beginning with the word "the" the last word of the fourth line of Section 1 of said Bill be stricken out and the following quotation substituted therefor:

"That of the nine thousand copies of the Code Supplement which shall be bound for immediate use as provided in Section 11 of Chapter 1 of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly, the index to four thousand five hundred volumes shall be in a separate volume in the same style and grade of binding as that of the Supplement, but the index to the other four thousand five hundred shall be bound in the same volume with the Supplement, and if the remaining three thousand are subsequently bound, upon the order of the Executive Council, one-half of same shall have the index bound in a separate volume and one-half in the same volume with the Code Supplement."

2. That Section 3 of said bill be amended by inserting the words "when bound in a separate volume" after the word "index" and before the word "shall" in the fourth line of said Section 3, and by striking the

word "four" in the last line of said section ten and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five."

3. That the entire quotation beginning with the word "a" in the fourth line of section 4 of said bill be stricken out and the following quotation inserted in lieu thereof:

"All of the provisions of this Section respecting binding, folding, gathering and storing shall apply to such volumes of the index as are bound separate from the Code Supplement."

Senator Crist offered the following amendment to House amendments and moved its adoption:

"I move to amend the House amendments to Senate File No. 14 by striking out all that part of paragraph two of said amendment following the semicolon (;) in line three of said paragraph and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"and by striking out the period at the end of said section 10 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: 'when bound without the index and for five dollars per volume when bound with the index.'"

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved the Senate concur in the House amendments as amended.

On the question "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, *Doran*, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Chase, Darrah, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Nye, Ream, Voorhees, White of Benton—10.

So the House amendments, having received a constitutional majority, were declared concurred in.

Senator Clarkson offered the following resolution: .

WHEREAS, of date January 19, 1915, Senate File No. 7 was referred to the Committee on Suppression of Intemperance, and

WHEREAS, the Committee has failed and omitted to return to the Senate the said bill with recommendation with reference thereto,

Therefore, be it resolved, That the Committee on the Suppression of Intemperance be and they are hereby discharged from the duty of further consideration of said bill and are hereby requested to return the same to the Senate for consideration thereof.

Passed on file.

On request of Senator Larrabee leave of absence was granted Senator Hilsinger until Tuesday.

On request of Senator Heald leave of absence was granted Senator Kimball for the day.

On request of Senator Fellows leave of absence was granted Senator Nye for the day.

On request of Senator Sheean leave of absence was granted Senator Voorhees for the day.

Senator Wilson moved that 300 extra copies of Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 be printed.

Carried.

REQUEST FOR CALL OF THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT—We, the undersigned members of the Senate, constituting more than one-fourth of the membership thereof, join in a request for a call of the Senate as provided for in rule five of the Senate Rules, returnable at 10:30 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, February 9, 1915.

J. M. WILSON
L. E. FRANCIS
J. H. ALLEN
JOHN T. CLARKSON
F. F. JONES
L. W. BOE
ADDISON M. PARKER
H. I. FOSKETT
H. W. GROUT
J. H. TAYLOR
G. M. GILLETTE
F. A. HEALD
CHESTER W. WHITMORE

W. H. ARNEY
L. M. ENGER
FREDERIC LARRABEE
D. S. FLECK
N. BALKEMA
A. M. FELLOWS
JNO. W. FOSTER
L. E. CRIST
C. H. THOMAS
JUSTIN R. DOBAN
C. C. HELMER
T. J. B. ROBINSON
C. C. LAFFER

Passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 204, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s eight (1527-s8) supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the manner of payment for bridges and culverts having a span of less than four (4) feet, where said bridges and culverts are located on the township road system.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock, Monday, February 8th.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 8, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., president of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. T. H. Aszman, Chariton, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Audubon, Iowa, urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for Chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Fayette county, urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for Chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of the members of the Western Iowa Poultry Association of Le Mars, urging passage of the law creating a Poultry Bureau in the State Department of Agriculture.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House.

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 6, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to qualifications of county superintendent of schools.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law by granting to townships the right of taxation for improvement and maintenance of public parks.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

Senate File No. 32, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the incorporated town of Adel, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 33, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Adel, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

The Journal of February 6th was taken up, corrected and approved.

The Journal of January 28th was approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Fellows, Senate File No. 205, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the erection of soldiers' monuments and memorial halls as the same appears in section four hundred thirty (430) supplement to the code, 1913, and section four hundred thirty-five (435) of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 206, a bill for an act providing for the relocation of railroad tracks upon streets of certain cities so as to permit of the construction and operation of interurban railways on said streets, and for the use by interurban railways of

said railroad tracks on said streets if the same are not relocated and the making of alterations in railroad tracks and the construction and maintenance of the connecting tracks, overhead trolley or other equipment of said interurban railways and for the payment of compensation for such relocation, use and other privileges, and giving to the board of railroad commissioners power to determine such alterations, relocation, use and other privileges and the terms and conditions thereof, and the amount to be paid therefor, and providing for appeals from the orders of said board of railroad commissioners.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on judiciary No. 1.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 207, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a fifty (2727-a50), supplement to the code 1913, relating to purchase of supplies by board of control.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 208, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgage prior to January 1, 1900.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 209, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgages executed by attorney in fact.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 210, a bill for an act making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being injured by the falling of a building on the Fair Grounds at Des Moines, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 211, a bill for an act to provide for municipal courts for certain cities and the adoption thereof by general state or municipal election or by special election; providing for jurisdiction thereof, mode and manner of procedure therein; providing for the election of the judges of such municipal courts and defining their powers and duties; providing for the man-

ner of preparing and who shall constitute the jury list, manner of drawing jury panels and jurors; also defining certain duties of other officials and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 6, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the qualifications of county superintendents of schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b (2734-b) supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

House File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the code, 1913, by granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise or bequest.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

Senate File No. 32, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the incorporated town of Adel, and the town council of said incorporated town, in the county of Dallas and state of Iowa, in relation to the extending, maintenance and operation of a system of water works, and the issuance of bonds and warrants of said town and payment thereof, and authorizing the town council of said town to issue bonds for the purpose of taking up its floating indebtedness represented by such warrants.

Senator Foster moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments to Senate File No. 32:

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by striking out of the third section of the preamble the figures "\$9,000.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$10,000.00"; also by striking out of the sixth line of section two the words and figures "nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words and figures: "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00)."

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were :

Quigley—1.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Chase, Darrah, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Taylor, Voorhees—8.

So the amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared concurred in.

Senator Crist was called to the chair at 10:25 a. m.

President resumed the chair at 10:30 a. m.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 155, a bill for an act to amend section 3499 of the code, relative to the places where suits may be brought against insurance companies, and providing for the revocation of the authority of any foreign insurance company to transact business in this state, that shall commence or remove any suit or proceeding brought by or against it in any state court to any federal court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 174, a bill for an act to annul the collateral inheritance tax assessed upon certain property descending to C. P. Whitney of

Keosauqua, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 17, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, and the acts of the town council had and done in pursuance of such incorporation, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 17.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Incorporation of the Town of Melcher, Marion County, Iowa, and the Acts of the Town Council Had and Done in Pursuance of Such Incorporation.

WHEREAS, heretofore the legal and qualified electors residing upon the territory proposed to be included within the boundary lines of the incorporated town in Marion County, Iowa, incorporated under the name of "Melcher" upon complying with the statutes with reference to the incorporation of such town, voted upon the proposition of incorporating; and,

WHEREAS, at such election the qualified electors, by a large majority thereof, voted to incorporate, and thereafter elected certain officers to do and perform the duties of Mayor and Councilmen, as by the statute in such case made and provided; and,

WHEREAS, the statute provides among other things, that the notice for the election to vote upon the proposed incorporation and for the election of officers, requires that such notice be posted in a paper published at such place; and,

WHEREAS, it appearing that at the time the question of voting upon the proposed proposition to incorporate, there was no paper published within the limits of the territory proposed to be incorporated; and,

WHEREAS, by reason of the fact that there was no paper published within such limits at that time, and therefore notice of such proposed election was not given or printed and published in the paper as required by strict interpretation of the statute; and,

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legality of the acts of the town council and mayor based upon the defect herein stated. Now, Therefore,
Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion County, Iowa, be and the same is hereby legalized and the acts and doings

of the qualified electors of such proposed incorporation, or the town incorporated, be and the same are hereby legalized, and such incorporated town so established by the electors, shall have the same force and legal effect as if the statute had been strictly complied with in every respect with reference to the publication of notice required by statute; and the acts and doings of the mayor and town council, based upon the acts of the incorporation, be and the same are hereby legalized and shall have the same force and effect as if the statute had been strictly complied with, with reference to the publication of notice and other things required by statute for the incorporation of such towns.

SECTION 2. This act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in the Des Moines Capital, a newspaper published in the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Melcher Union, a newspaper published in Melcher, Iowa, without expense to the State.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Ordered passed on file.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Clarkson called up the resolution offered by him on February 6th, relative to Senate File No. 7, and moved the adoption of the resolution.

Senator Crist moved to defer further consideration of the pending resolution until Friday, February 12th, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Senator Whitmore asked consent to offer an amendment to the original resolution at this time.

Declared out of order, as the question was on the motion to defer.

During the discussion of the motion to postpone consideration of the resolution, Senator Wilson raised the point of order that Senator Allen was discussing the original resolution, and not the motion to defer.

The president sustained the point of order.

Senator Gillette moved the previous question.

Carried.

Senator Gillette raised the point of order that the previous question called for a vote on the original resolution and not on the motion to defer.

The point of order was not sustained.

On the motion to defer, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—35.

The nays were:

Allen, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Gillette, Larrabee, Nye, Robinson, Savage, Voorhees, Wilson—11.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Chase, Darrah, Hilsinger—4.

So the motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 47, a bill for an act to amend the law in section 2778, supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for employment of school superintendents with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Section One (1) by changing the period following the word "state" at the end of the section to a semicolon (;) and add the words: "Provided that no such contract be made until a superintendent has served one year in the position to which it is proposed to elect him for the longer period."

Amend Section Two (2) by striking out the words "Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa," and inserting in lieu thereof the words; "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Muscatine News Tribune, a newspaper published in the city of Muscatine, Iowa."

Adopted.

Further consideration of the bill was postponed.

Senator Doran moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tommorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 9, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. C. Curry of Grundy Center, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Panora, favoring the constitutional prohibitory amendment.

Referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Hawkeye, Lake Park and Ames, endorsing proposed amendments to the Iowa child labor laws.

Referred to committee on labor.

Senator Allen presented petition of citizens of his district favoring the establishment of a child welfare station at the University of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Harlan, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a child welfare station at the University of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Fleck presented a petition of citizens of Jasper county urging the enactment of a law pertaining to the regulation of telegraphs and telephones.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Calhoun and Webster counties urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Clarkson presented a petition of citizens of Monroe county urging the passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Wilson presented a remonstrance of citizens of Moravia, Iowa, against the bill for reduction of bounty on wolves.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Ottumwa, Iowa, favoring the bill for regulation of telegraphs and telephones.

Referred to committee on telegraphs and telephones.

On request of Senator Whitmore leave of absence was granted Senator Ream until Thursday.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 27, a bill for an act to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 94, a bill for an act relating to the compensation of trustees of cemetery funds and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 49, a bill for an act relating to the laying of water mains in public highways.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 161, a bill for an act relating to building or repair of county buildings.

Chief Clerk.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 48, a bill for an act to permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to subscribe for stock of federal reserve bank and invest funds therein and incur liability therefor and become members thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 122, a bill for an act relating to the compensation of appraisers.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent resolution concerning an invitation to Hon. James A. MacDonald to address the Joint Assembly at a date subject to his convenience.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 212, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2125, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to definition of switching service.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 213, a bill for an act to prevent manifest technical defects and clouds of titles from becoming incorporated in the public title records.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 214, a bill for an act to repeal section seven hundred thirty-seven-a (737-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, requiring all cities and incorporated towns, including cities of the first class, cities acting under the commission plan of government, and special charter cities, to regulate the business of plumbing; to make rules and regulations for the installation of same; to create a board of examiners; in cities having a population of ten thousand or over; to issue licenses to persons, firms or corporations desiring to engage in the business of plumbing who are properly qualified; to provide for the removal of plumbing installed in violation of the manner prescribed and providing for the punishment for a violation of the terms of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 215, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for any person under the influence of intoxicating liquor to drive a motor vehicle upon any street or alley within any city, town or village within the state, and also upon any public highway within the state, and providing punishment therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 216, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to intoxicating liquors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 217, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred sixty-nine (469), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of county supervisors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 218, an act to encourage the dairy industry and beef cattle growing industries of the state of Iowa and to aid in providing instruction in practical and scientific methods and making an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

SENATE RESOLUTION.

Senator Jones offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Honorable Joseph M. Junkin, a former member of this Senate, has passed away since the adjournment of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly; therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee of three (3) be appointed by the President of the Senate to prepare and submit resolutions to commemorate his life, character and services to the state.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

President appointed as such committee: Senators Jones, Perkins and Clarkson.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, It has been customary in times past for the Joint Assembly to invite prominent men to address it on different subjects,

WHEREAS, The Hon. James A. MacDonald, a distinguished statesman and publicist of Toronto, Canada, will visit the city of Des Moines on Friday, Feb. 12th, 1915,

Resolved, That the House, the Senate concurring, invite Hon. James A. MacDonald, of Toronto, Canada, to address the Joint Assembly at a date subject to his convenience.

Upon motion of Senator Thomas, the resolution was taken up, considered and concurred in.

House File No. 27, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-eight (2778), supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

House File No. 94, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred fifty-four-a-nine (254-a-9) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the compensation of trustees of cemetery funds, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 49, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-b (1527-b) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 161, a bill for an act to amend paragraph five (5) of section four hundred twenty-two (422) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the building or repair of county buildings, to require advertisements, bids, written contracts, bonds, and plans and specifications in certain cases, and to fix the requirements thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 48, a bill for an act to permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to subscribe for stock of federal reserve bank and to invest funds therein and incur liability therefor and become members thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

House File No. 122, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand two hundred ninety-a (1290-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Helmer, from the committee on printing, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on printing, to whom was referred Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the senate journal and the house journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

Substitute for Senate File No. 112.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Provide for the the General Distribution of the Senate Journal and the House Journal and Fixing the Subscription Charge to Be Made Therefor, and Providing for the Printing Thereof and Fixing the Compensation to Be Paid to the State Printer and Binder Therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the secretary of state shall cause to be printed for public distribution the senate journal and the house journal during each session of the General Assembly in sufficient numbers to supply public demand, and shall cause to be forwarded, by mail, as soon as practicable after the same are printed, such journals upon payment of the subscription price of one (\$1.00) dollar for either the senate or the house journal, or one and 50-100 (\$1.50) dollars for both sent to one address, for each Legislative Session, or that portion thereof after the subscription is received; and the proceeds received by the secretary of state shall be by him covered into the treasury of the State of Iowa.

SECTION 2. That all extra copies of said journals ordered by the secretary of state for the purposes herein specified shall be charged for by the state printer and state binder at the rates allowed by law for printing and binding the copies thereof furnished to the members of the General Assembly.

SECTION 3. The front page of the journal of each house of the General Assembly shall have printed thereon these words in form substantially as follows:

SENATE	IOWA STATE	JOURNAL
(or House)		

Blank day and date.

Printed daily by the State of Iowa, during the sessions of the General Assembly.

Subscription price per session for the journal of either house, \$1.00. Both journals to one address \$1.50.

Secretary of State, Des Moines, Iowa.

The Secretary of State is directed to make application to the post-office department for the admission of these journals to the United States mail as second class matter.

CHAS. C. HELMER,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Heald, from the committee on penitentiaries and pardons, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on penitentiaries and pardons, to whom was referred Senate File No. 96, a bill for an act amending section five thousand seven hundred eighteen-a-eighteen (5718-a-18),

supplement to the code, 1913, bringing prisoners committed to the penitentiaries, serving life sentences for murder, under the jurisdiction and operation of the parole law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

FRANCIS A. HEALD,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 17, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the substitute be adopted for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the bill be amended by striking out the word "Capital" in the publication clause and substituting therefor the word "News."

Adopted.

Further consideration of the bill was postponed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The time having arrived for special order, the Senate took up for consideration the resolution offered by Senator Francis on February 5th relative to the return to the Senate of Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 by the committee on constitutional amendments.

Senator Thomas moved that the call of the Senate be raised.

Carried.

Senator Wilson offered the following resolution as a substitute for the resolution under consideration:

WHEREAS, Joint Resolution Number 6 relating to the submission to the people of the state of Iowa, of an amendment prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors within the state, was duly referred to the committee on Constitutional Amendments, and

WHEREAS, said Joint Resolution Number 6 was by said committee duly and legally referred to a sub-committee, which said sub-committee filed a legal and formal report thereon returning same to the full committee at the meeting held February 4th, 1915, and

WHEREAS, the report of said Sub-committee by a majority vote recommended that said Joint Resolution Number 6 be reported to the Senate with the recommendation that the same do pass, and

WHEREAS, upon said motion being submitted to said committee that said resolution be reported for passage, said motion was voted down by a vote of seven to five, and

WHEREAS, thereupon a motion that said resolution be reported without recommendation was by the committee voted down seven to five, and

WHEREAS, a motion being then made that said resolution be reported for indefinite postponement, said motion was voted down by a vote of seven to three,

Now therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate that the Committee upon Constitutional Amendments be and it is hereby instructed and directed to return said Joint Resolution Number 6 to the Senate during the Legislative session next following its regular meeting on Thursday, February 11th, 1915, with or without recommendation.

Senator Caswell moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the adoption of the substitute for the original resolution, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were :

Arney, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Larrabee, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—20.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Ream—2.

The substitute resolution was adopted.

On the adoption of the resolution as substituted a roll call was demanded.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The ayes were :

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—18.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Ream—2.

The resolution as substituted was adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 17, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town, was taken up for further consideration.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—47.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Frailey, Ream—3.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The journal of February 8th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 10, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. F. F. Travis, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Sibley, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Doran presented a petition from the Junior Monday club of Boone, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for the Iowa Child Welfare Research station.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Doran presented a petition from the Linn County Farm Improvement Association favoring passage of a bill relating to corporation for improvement of agriculture, animal husbandry and horticulture.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshall county urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Black Hawk and Grundy counties urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Fleck presented a petition of citizens of Jasper county favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Laffer presented a petition of citizens of Poweshiek county, urging passage of certain road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Sioux county favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 42, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of bonds for the purpose of purchasing, erecting, maintaining and operating water works by cities.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 8, a bill for an act relating to duties of the Civil Service commissioners in certain cities.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 224, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the County Treasurer, County Auditor and Board of Supervisors of Page county, Iowa, Relating to the Overdrafts upon the bridge fund and county fund, and the acts and proceedings of the said county officers in relation to a certain proposed issue of county bonds for the purpose of enabling the county to pay claims for such overdrafts.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following joint resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate joint resolution providing for the printing of a classified index of legislative bills.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House concurrent resolution relative to adjournment from Thursday, February 25, to March 4, 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Voorhees, Senate File No. 219, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

By Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 220, a bill for an act to repeal sections five hundred ten-a (510-a) and five hundred ten-b (510-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend paragraph twelve (12) of section five hundred eleven (511), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation and mileage charged by sheriffs.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 221, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the number of supervisors and supervisor districts and to the election of such supervisors, as the same appears in sections four hundred ten (410), four hundred eleven (411), and four hundred sixteen (416), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 222, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred ten (810) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to publication of preliminary notice of street improvements.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 223, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bids for street improvements.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 224, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section 254-a-46 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the enticing away of children, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 225, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-a (1661-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 226, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred fourteen-f (1614-f) and section one thousand six hundred fourteen-g (1614-g) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to annual reports by corporations, by striking out certain words therein and substituting other words in lieu thereof, and, by adding to said section.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on corporations.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 227, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred thirty-seven (1637) of the supplement to the code, 1913, by striking out certain words contained therein which relate to qualification of foreign corporations to transact business in this state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on corporations.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 228, a bill for an act to repeal section one thousand six hundred twenty-eight (1628) of the code, relating to non-user of franchise by corporations.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on corporations.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 229, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-nine hundred five (2905), twenty-nine hundred six (2906), twenty-nine hundred seven (2907), twenty-nine

hundred eight (2908), and twenty-nine hundred ten (2910), of the code, relating to the transfer of personal property.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 230, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ninety-eight (498) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the county recorder, and providing for filing of chattel mortgages.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 231, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, qualification, and compensation of deputy treasurers and other assistants in the office of the county treasurer, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 232, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the county treasurer and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 233, a bill for an act to encourage the draft horse industry of the state of Iowa and to aid in promoting methods for the production of draft horses and making an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 234, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section two thousand five hundred and seventy-five-a-52 (2575-a52) supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, making annual appropriation for carrying on the work of the state entomologist.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on horticulture.

By Senator Schrup, Senate File No. 235, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 224, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the county treasurer, county auditor and board of supervisors of Page county, Iowa, relating to the overdrafts upon the bridge fund and county fund, and the acts and proceedings of the said county officers in relation to a certain proposed issue of county bonds for the purpose of enabling the county to pay claims for such overdrafts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 8, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a-thirty-two (1056-a-32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, powers and duties of the civil service commissioners in certain cities.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 42, a bill for an act authorizing the issue of bonds for the purpose of purchasing, erecting or maintaining and operating waterworks, by cities of the first class and cities acting under the commission plan of government.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House concurrent resolution.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That this assembly adjourn Thursday, February 25, 1915, to reconvene Thursday, March 4, 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Ordered passed on file.

The Journal of February 9th, was taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 83, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to the widow and heirs of Greenberry Stephens, for a tract of land in Muscatine county, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend Senate File No. 83 by adding thereto the following:

SECTION 3. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation, if any, affecting the title to said property.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 166, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section forty-six hundred twelve (4612), exempting witnesses from giving testimony where the matter sought to be elicited would tend to render them criminally liable, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 19, a bill for an act relating to the granting of new trials, setting aside of verdicts and reversal of causes upon appeal to the Supreme Court and defining procedure, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Thomas moved that five hundred extra copies of Senate File No. 190 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Hilsinger moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 11, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President pro tem L. E. Crist presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. David V. Richardson, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Garrison, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county favoring the bill for increased aid to county and district fairs.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White of Benton presented a petition of citizens of Benton county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Francis presented a petition of citizens of Dickinson county, urging the establishment of a child welfare station at the University of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of teachers of the Manilla public schools endorsing the Teachers Annuity bill.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Foster presented a petition of the Ladies Club of Wauke, Iowa, endorsing the Teachers Annuity bill.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Sioux county urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Laffer presented a petition of citizens of Poweshiek and Keokuk counties urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for the chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Boe presented a remonstrance of citizens of Neola, Iowa, protesting against Senate File No. 89.

Referred to committee on public schools.

The Journal of February 10th was taken up, corrected and approved.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 7, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the election of county superintendent of schools.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 236, a bill for an act to foster and approve in the standard colleges of Iowa departments of education, agriculture, household arts, manual training, and commerce, under the supervision of the state, through the board of educational examiners, and appropriating out of any funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum sufficient for the support of such departments for the next biennium.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on educational institutions.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 237, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the appointment of assistant state veterinary surgeons as it appears in section twenty-five hundred thirty-three (2533), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 238, a bill for an act to repeal the taxation of moneys and credits, bank stocks, and banking capital law as the same appears in chapter sixty-three Laws of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Henigbaum, Senate File No. 239, a bill for an act to grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) or over, and organized under title five (5), chapter fourteen (14), of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission in such cities the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines and inside the curb lines and upon the public streets, to determine the location of permanent sidewalks and to assume charge, custody and control of all trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass and the planting and maintenance thereof on the public streets; and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof. Additional to chapter fourteen (14), title five (5) of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 240, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred and six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the admission of soldiers' wives and widows to the soldiers' home.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs. . .

By Senator Savage, Senate File No. 241, a bill for an act providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement, and equipment of buildings for The State University of Iowa, The Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic arts, and The Iowa State Teachers College.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Savage, Senate File No. 242, a bill for an act making appropriations for The State University of Iowa, The Iowa

State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, The Iowa State Teachers College, and The College for the Blind.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 7, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the election of county superintendent of schools as the same appears in section one thousand seventy-two (1072) supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 194, a bill for an act to amend section 3336 of the code, removing exemption of executors from filing bond where there are minor heirs to the estate in the direct line of descent, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold County, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

FIRST: By striking out the title and substituting therefor: "FOR AN ACT TO LEGALIZE ORDINANCES NUMBERS TWO HUNDRED (200) TO TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-ONE (221) OF THE INCORPORATED TOWN OF DIAGONAL, RINGGOLD COUNTY, IOWA."

SECOND: By striking out of Section 1 thereof the following: "Ordinances legalized—pending litigation".

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 159, a bill for an act to authorize direct and enable W. S. Allen, Secretary of State to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain lands, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 243, a bill for an act regulating the sale of live stock remedies and stock foods; defining the same; providing for the labeling, registration and inspection of the same; providing for affixing of labels and a means of identification of registration license and inspection; providing for an inspection fee and its collection; prohibiting the sale of fraudulent, injurious, deleterious and adulterated remedies and stock foods; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and repealing laws in conflict therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 244, a bill for an act regulating the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs, defining the same, providing for their labeling, the collection of an inspection fee, fixing penalties for the violation of its provisions and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 245, a bill for an act to regulate the sale of agricultural seeds, defining same, providing for their inspection, fixing fees and providing penalties for violation of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 86, a bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee and State of Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 33, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Adel, County of Dallas and State of Iowa and Warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of Bonds.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 86, a bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee and State of Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 33, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the Board of

Directors of the Independent School District of Adel, County of Dallas and State of Iowa and Warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of Bonds.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senator Thomas called up for consideration House Concurrent Resolution relative to adjournment of the General Assembly from Thursday, February 25, 1915, to Thursday, March 4, 1915.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the words and figures, "Thursday, February 25, 1915", and inserting in lieu thereof, "Friday, February 26, 1915".

Senator Clarkson moved to amend the amendment by changing the words and figures, "Thursday, March 4," to "Wednesday, March 3."

Motion lost.

President Harding took the chair at 10:45 a. m.

Senator Hagemann offered the following substitute amendment as a substitute for the resolution and all pending motions:

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that this assembly adjourn Saturday, February 27th, 1915, to reconvene Monday, March 8th, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Substitute lost.

The amendment by Senator Thomas was adopted.

The House Concurrent Resolution as amended was concurred in.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 150, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Provide for the Levy of a Tax for the Improvement of Certain Parks and Directing the Expenditure Thereof.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That where any city has, prior to January 1st, 1880, received a grant of the title of the United States to a meandered lake within its corporate limits, to be held and used for public uses, recreation and park purposes, and where such city has for more than twenty years devoted the same to the public use, recreation and park purposes, its Board of Park Commissioners, is authorized in the discretion of said Board to certify to the county auditor and cause to be collected an additional tax of not exceeding one-half mill each year for the years 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920, to be used for the sole and only purpose of improving such lake by dredging or otherwise deepening the same, constructing dikes and levees for the protection of the same and for changing the form and size thereof and for the regulation, control and improvement of the water supply and for the improvement and beautifying of such lake, the park land surrounding the same and for the furnishing of suitable equipment thereof for public use and pleasure.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 51, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 687-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

That said bill be amended by striking out the last line of Section 1 and all of Section 2.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

SENATE BILLS SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 33 and 86.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 95, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174), and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a), of chapter eight (8), title two (II), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the census, beg leave to report they have had the

same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out the word "city" in the fourth line of section 2 and by striking out all of section 2 following the word "file" in the twenty-seventh line of said section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"and information, under oath, against such person before any magistrate in the county, who shall thereupon issue a warrant for the arrest of the accused. If the person complained against upon hearing shall answer the questions required by law to be propounded by the assessor, the action shall be dismissed by the magistrate at the costs of the accused. If the accused be found guilty as charged, he shall be fined not less than Five (\$5.00) Dollars and not more than One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, and in default of payment of such fine shall be imprisoned in the County Jail for not to exceed thirty (30) days. Every such refusal to answer shall be deemed a separate offense."

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate Journal and the House Journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

The substitute bill was read for information.

Senator Francis moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on printing.

Motion withdrawn.

Further consideration of the bill was postponed.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 47, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-eight (2778), supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up for further consideration.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the word "served" in line two the words "not less than."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on public schools.

Motion lost.

Senator Eversmeyer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend by striking out in line six (6) of Section One (1) the words "and of each" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or."

Adopted.

By unanimous consent the enacting clause was amended by inserting the words "the State of."

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

Doran, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley—7.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Chase, Foster, Schrup—4.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 58, a bill for an act to amend section 2415 of the code of Iowa, relative to the payment of costs in search warrant cases, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

I move to amend by inserting the words "Section One (1)" at the beginning of the proposed amendment.

I move to amend the proposed bill by inserting after the word "Section One (1)" in the first line thereof the words "twenty-four hundred and fifteen" and inclosing the figures 2415 in parenthesis.

Amendments withdrawn.

Senator Crist moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on judiciary for further consideration.

Senator Perkins moved the previous question.

Carried.

The motion of Senator Crist prevailed.

Senator Perkins moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 12, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Chas. Medbury, pastor of the University Place Church of Christ, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Centerville, Iowa, urging enactment of a law regulating the occupation of barbering and the proper sanitation of barber shops.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Waterloo, Iowa, urging enactment of a law regulating the occupation of barbering and the proper sanitation of barber shops.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Carroll and Greene counties, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Correctionville, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Havelock, Iowa, urging passage of the prohibitory amendment.

Referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

Senator Allen, in behalf of Senator Chase, presented a petition of citizens of Webster City, Iowa, urging passage of the prohibitory amendment.

Referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

Senator Laffer presented a petition of citizens of Poweshiek county urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Chariton, Iowa, urging passage of a law establishing a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Woodbury county, favoring additional appropriation for county, district and interstate fairs.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Brookfield township, Worth county, urging passage of a law raising the compensation per diem of township trustees and township clerk.

Referred to committee on county and township affairs.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshalltown, Iowa, favoring the enactment of a law regulating the occupation of barbering and the proper sanitation of barber shops.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Albert City, Iowa, relative to an investigation of the cost of state printing.

Referred to committee on printing.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for an exhibit of resources of Iowa at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held at San Francisco in 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relating to quarantine regulations in cases of foot and mouth disease.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 246, a bill for an act to repeal section six hundred seventy-four (674) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the compensation of city and town assessors and their deputies and clerks and to fix the salaries of such assessors, deputies and clerks and to provide for the appointment of deputy assessors and clerks.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 247, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter (13-b) title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 248, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred and seven (1407) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of a delinquent tax collector and providing a method of payment thereof, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 249, a bill for an act granting to cities and towns power to license and regulate electricians and electrical contractors and power to regulate the installation of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparatus, and appliances on and in all buildings, tents and other structures in the state of Iowa excepting such central stations, sub-station, and power houses belonging to and operated by public utility companies operating under state or city charters and franchises for the prevention of damage to life and property caused by fire due to defective wiring, to determine the qualifications and provide for the examination thereof; to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted under this act, and to provide for a state electric inspector to be under the jurisdiction of the office of the state fire marshall, and prescribe his duties and jurisdiction under the authority granted in this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 250, a bill for an act to punish the fraudulent giving of checks or drafts upon any bank or banking association and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 251, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-two hundred sixty-one (2261) of the code, relating to the board of county commissioners of insanity, and enact a substitute therefor, making the county auditor and county attorney members of said board; and to amend section twenty-two hundred sixty-two (2262) of the code, relating to the clerk of said board.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 252, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred seven (1407), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of de-

linquent tax collector, and to repeal section fourteen hundred seven-one-a (1407-1a) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of said collector.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 253, a bill for an act to amend sections fourteen hundred fifty-eight (1458) and fourteen hundred sixty-one (1461), of the code, relating to the settlement with the county treasurer.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 254, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409) of the code, relating to the certification of taxes to another county, and enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 255, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred fifteen (1415) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the apportionment of taxes and interest, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 256, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sanitation in food producing establishments as the same is found in section 2527-a to 2527-o, supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

By Senator Savage, Senate File No. 257, a bill for an act making appropriation for The Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts in lieu of the provisions of the special appropriations specified in section fourteen hundred-s1 (1400-s1), chapter one-a (1-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 258, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred and ninety-five (695) of the code, relating to the rights, powers, privileges and jurisdiction of cities and towns, including cities under commission government and cities under special charter.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 32, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the incorporated town of Adel and town council of said incorporated town in the County of Dallas and State of Iowa, in relation to the extending, maintenance and operation of a system of water works and the issuance of bonds and warrants of said town and payment thereof, and authorizing the town council of said town to issue bonds for the purpose of taking up its floating indebtedness represented by such warrants.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Joint Resolution No. 5, providing for the preparation and printing of a classified index of legislative bills.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 32, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the incorporated town of Adel, and town council of said incorporated town, in the County of Dallas and State of Iowa, in the relation to the extending, maintenance and operation of a system of water works and the issuance of bonds and warrants of said town and payment thereof, and authorizing the town

council of said town to issue bonds for the purpose of taking up its floating indebtedness represented by such warrants.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, providing for the preparation and printing of a classified index of legislative bills.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 33, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Adel, County of Dallas and State of Iowa and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 86, a bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee and State of Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915.

Passed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 55, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand three hundred forty-eight (2348) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to

bounty on wolves, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Senator Doran moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Enger, from the committee on constitutional amendments, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—In obedience to the commands of the Senate, your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, a joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state, beg leave to return said resolution herewith, and said resolution is returned without recommendation.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, a joint resolution for an act agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 165, a bill for an act requiring the quarterly publication of financial statements of counties, cities and school boards, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, a joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitu-

tion of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, within this state, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend Joint Resolution No. 6 as follows: Insert before the word "the" in the first line of Section 27, the following: "After January 1st, 1920."

The hour for the special order having arrived, further consideration of the resolution was postponed.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The time having arrived for Special Order, the resolution introduced by Senator Clarkson on February 6th and made a special order for this time, asking that the committee on suppression of intemperance be discharged from the duty of further consideration of Senate File No. 7 and that said committee return the bill to the Senate, was taken up and considered.

The resolution was lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, a joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state, was taken up for further consideration.

The amendment by Senator Farr was lost.

Senator Wilson moved that the rules be suspended, the resolution be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed and Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, in words and figures as follows to-wit, was read a third time:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing to Amend Article One (1) of the Constitution of Iowa by Adding Thereto a Provision Prohibiting the Manufacture, Sale, or Keeping for Sale, of Intoxicating Liquors, as a Beverage, Within This State.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the following amendment to article one (1) of the constitution of the state of Iowa be and the same is hereby proposed: To add thereto following section twenty-six (26) thereof and as section twenty-seven (27) of article one (1) of said constitution the following, to-wit:

"SEC. 27. The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, as a beverage, of intoxicating liquors, including ale, wine and beer, shall be forever prohibited within this state. The General Assembly shall by law prescribe regulations for the enforcement of the prohibition herein contained, and shall provide suitable penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof."

Resolved Further, That the foregoing proposed amendment be and the same is hereby referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election for members of the next General Assembly, and that the secretary of state cause the same to be published for three months previous to the day of said election, as provided by law.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa—10.

Absent or not voting:

Chase—1.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Heald, Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915, was taken up and considered.

Senator Heald moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

House amendment to Senate amendment to Section 1.

Amend Senate amendment to Section 1 by adding thereto the following: "said commission to serve without salaries or compensation of any kind."

House amendment to Section 5.

Amend by striking out of the first line of Section 5 the figure "5" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "6", and by inserting Section 5, reading as follows:

"SECTION 5. All unexpended balances to be returned to the state treasury of Iowa and placed in general revenue fund."

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—41.

The nays were:

Doran, Foster, Laffer, Thompson, Wilson—5.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Chase, Ream, Voorhees—4.

So the amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared concurred in.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 7, a bill for an act to repeal sections twenty-four thirty-two (2432) to twenty-four sixty-one (2461) inclusive of the code 1897 and acts amendatory thereof, except certain sections or acts, relating to mulct tax, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER.

Chairman.

Senator Eversmeyer moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

A committee from the House appeared and stated that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint session.

Further consideration of the report of the committee on Senate File No. 7 was postponed.

Senator Francis moved that when the Senate returns from the House an adjournment be taken until 2:30 p. m. today.

Senator White of Iowa moved to amend the motion fixing the time of adjournment until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Amendment lost.

The motion of Senator Francis prevailed.

Senate proceeded to the House under the direction of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

JOINT SESSION.

In accordance with law and concurrent resolution duly adopted, the joint session was called to order, Hon. W. L. Harding, President of the Senate, presiding.

The roll was called and the following members responded :

Allen, Anderson of Davis, Anderson of Greene, Anderson of Montgomery, Anderson of Winnebago, Atkinson, Bailey, Balkema, Ball, Barry, Bauman, Becker, Boe, Brady, Brammer, Bruce, Caswell, Clark, Clarkson, Coakley, Coast, Cochrane, Crist, Darrah of Lucas, Doran, Doze, Durant, Eggleston, Elwood, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Freeman, Garton, Gillette, Gilmore, Grason, Gray, Greene of Grundy, Griffin, Grout, Hadley, Hagemann, Hale, Hall, Heald, Helmer, Helming, Henigbaum, Herman, Holbert, Horchem, Ingwersen, Jamison, Jessen, Johnston of Humboldt, Jones of Cerro Gordo, Jones of Dickinson, Jones of Montgomery, Kane, Kelso, Kepple, Kimball, Klinker, Kopp, Lee, Lenoeker, Lindly, McDermid, McFarlane, Mackie, Miller, Moore, Munro, Murray, Neff, Nicholson, Nordyke, Nye, Oldenburg, Parker, Perkins, Petersen, Pitt, Purdy, Quigley, Rees, Reese, Richards, Ring, Roberts, Robinson, Rogers, Rone, Rowles, Savage, Sawyer, Schmedika, Schrup, Shaeffer, Shortess, Slaughter, Smith, Spotts, Steelsmith, Stokes, Swain, Swenson, Taylor of Buchanan, Taylor of Van Buren, Thomas, Thompson of Decatur, Thompson of Des Moines, Tucker, Turner, Voorhees, Wayman, Wenstrand, Whitmore, Wilson of Cherokee, Wilson of Louisa, Wilson of Mahaska, Wilson of Mitchell, Witthauer, White of Benton, White of Iowa—129.

Those absent were :

Arney, Bingham, Bronson, Buxton, Chase, Craven, Crozier, Dardah of Franklin, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Francis, Gilbert, Greene of Clinton, Hilsinger, Jackson, Johnston of Lucas, Kimberly, Laffer, Larrabee, Lueders, McFerren, Michael, Rayburn, Ream, Sheean, Stone, Sullivan, Wigdahl, Wilson of Appanoose—31.

Ring of Linn moved that a committee of two be appointed to escort Mr. MacDonald to the speaker's station.

Motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed as such committee Ring of Linn and Jones of Montgomery.

President Harding presented Honorable Jas. A. MacDonald to the joint assembly, who then addressed the joint assembly as per previous invitation.

Ball of Jefferson moved that the joint assembly give to Mr. MacDonald a rising vote of thanks for the magnificent speech he had delivered.

Motion prevailed by the unanimous rising vote of the joint assembly.

Brady of Dallas moved that the remarks of Mr. MacDonald be printed in the Senate and House Journals.

Motion prevailed and the remarks were ordered printed in the Journals of the Senate and House.

JAMES A. MacDONALD.

Mr. Speaker, Members of the Senate and House of Representatives of Iowa:

I count it an honor to be invited to meet you this morning. I have not the privilege in my own country of sitting in the legislature or in the parliament, although it falls to me, as it falls to every man of the press, to exercise functions in connection with the molding of public opinion, which are sometimes thought to be superior to either the parliament or the legislature. I do not express any such views in this connection. You are the elected representatives of the state. You are supreme in so far as your functions go, and it is to you that the people of the state must look for expressing the public opinion which is made throughout the state by the schools and by the press and by all the other advocates and organs of the opinion of the people. On our side of the line, as on your side of the line, we are in a democracy. We are not all of us absolutely sure that democracy has achieved, that it has made good, that it has wholly fulfilled all the promises made by Washington and by Jefferson and by Franklin and by Adams and all the spokesmen for democracy with which you are familiar, but good or bad, it is our form of government. We believe that the power of government should be with the people and we must make good. We must justify that faith, and on your side, as on our side, the responsibility for justifying that faith of those who struck for self-government rests with us. Democracy in itself, self-government in itself, will not fulfill the promises or discharge the duties of government. The forms of government are what we choose to make them. Therefore, sirs, in my judgment a state legislature that comes so close to the every-day interests of the people not only holds a position of high honor in the republic, but has upon it the responsibilities, quite as real, and perhaps in some respects as great as rests upon the Congress at Washington. Therefore, I say to you, I say to all the members of the legislature, speaking for the crowd, as the press always speaks for the crowd, that

we look to you to interpret aright,—not the shallow, not the superficial, not the evanescent opinion, but the real judgment of the people to organize that into law and to see that those laws are enforced with justice to all, with privileges to none, and in the interests of all the people of the state and of the nation.

I speak to you today as a native-born Canadian,—native-born myself, my father before me and his father before him native-born Canadians, and two generations before that having had the distinction of living in North Carolina and having some part in the historic movements with which the name of this republic is identified in the history of the continent. But whatever may have been involved in the struggle for self-government by the colonies, this is true, and every intelligent Canadian, every intelligent subject of the empire knows this—that the thing that was done by the patriots in their day, the supreme thing, was not the separation from the motherland of Britain. It was not, I say, the separation from the motherland of Britain. That was incidental; that was not the important achievement of the men of that day. What was important? What was inevitable? What was absolutely essential was the struggle,—not for independence, for independence may be only the noisy clamor of the lawbreaker,—the supreme struggle was for the right of self-government. That was their inherent right because many of them had in their veins Anglo-Saxon blood. I have no Anglo-Saxon blood in my veins and I often thank God for that fact. I have no Anglo-Saxon traditions for an heritage of any kind that would connect me with the Englishman or with any of the Celts. There is Anglo-Saxon blood here; there is Celtic blood here; blood from all the countries of Europe; British blood; French blood; German blood; all the bloods of Europe that are now struggling in war are mingled in this state of Iowa. My Celtic blood fought for Charles Edward Stuart on the battlefields of Britain and thirty years after the man who carried the same broad sympathy for King George all the way from the Fear river in North Carolina to the East river in Nova Scotia, but if any loyalists object to my internationalism I say to them, What did they do when there was any trouble? They cut for Canada. Mine stayed and fought it all the way through, and while they may have been wrong in my personal judgment, they were wrong when they fought for the Stuarts on the battlefield of Colodon and were not right when they fought for King George in North Carolina, the great thing that all struggled for, those Celts, was a democracy. I do not mean politics,—I am not sure where the line should now be drawn. I listened to Mr. Taft two nights ago in Toronto and whether he is a Republican or a Democrat, the only thing I am quite sure of is, that he is a progressive, but he does not call himself a progressive. But the real interest of all parties in that struggle was the right of a free people to govern themselves, and that is the greatest achievement that the colonies won in their day. I am accustomed to say sometimes that on our side of the line we are the inheritors of that achievement. When in the next century the Canadians came to face their responsibilities they must have the right of self-government just as truly as

the men of like blood must have had the right of self-government in the century before. The only distinction is this, and this is our greatest achievement, that whereas your people achieved their right to self-government by separation, by sacrificing the thousand years of historic background of the nation, on our side of the line we won the right to govern ourselves, to make our own laws, to administer our own laws, we won that right, not by separation, but by maintaining for Canadians the right of self-government without sacrificing the background of the nation. That is one of the most remarkable events in all history, that for the first time in the world's history any colony of any nation or any empire won the right to self-government. That first colony was the colony in Canada. Absolutely that is true. That for the first time in history any people achieved the right of self-government without sacrificing the historic background and perspective of the people was the achievement in the nineteenth century by the provinces of Canada, and what happened? After Canada achieved her right to self-government, Australia followed with her right to govern herself, then New Zealand, then South Africa in her own day, and not only did they achieve the right of self-government for themselves, but they changed the whole spirit, the whole constitution of the empire of Britain, so that there no longer was an empire, so that it is no longer the old Roman empire with a central government, that it is rather an alliance of free nations, each one controlling its own affairs, all of them bound together, not by bonds of compulsion, but by sentiment, by free will, making up the world alliance of the empire of Great Britain.

I can see the day coming when all civilization will find a place for every nationalism, but a place, not of strife and not of war, a place in which each nation will regard every other nation within the scope of civilization, not as an enemy, not as an antagonist, but as you said, sister nations, sister countries, sister communities, and that no nation can live without the cooperation, the sympathy and support of all the other nations in the world's circle of freedom. That is the thing that North America has done for the world. It is not our achievements in science, industry or art,—it is our achievements, these two nations of a common speech, North Americans have illustrated, and in this day, in the light of a world war, illustrated the great achievement of civilization, two nations, both of them proud, both of them with the Celtic and the Saxon blood and all the other bloods that go to make up our peoples here, we have done the thing that has never been done on any other continent in the whole world. Two nations living side by side through one hundred years and their international boundary line of four thousand miles without a fort, without a gun, without a battleship, without a sentry on guard. That is the greatest achievement of North America, an achievement of international civilization, an achievement of which both politics and religion have a right to be proud before the world, and my hope is that this achievement of our two nations in our two countries, this achievement of international civilization, will be a sample for Europe, for Asia, for Africa, that every continent will see

that what has been done by the sons from Britain, the sons from France, the sons from Germany, from Austria, from the Balkan states, and from Scandinavia, the children of those races not at war in Europe, what has been done by their children in North America can be done by them on the North sea and on the channel, and all those lines or boundaries that today are bristling with bayonets and most of them soaked with blood. It is our business, every American, to justify the hopes that the problem of living together, of nations living together, each nation, large and small, having its right reserved to it, its right to a "place in the sun," Belgium as well as Germany, China as surely as Britain, every nation, every people, having reserved to them their right to their "place in the sun," their opportunities to live their own life, to achieve their own destiny, the great responsibility resting upon these two nations that through one hundred years have done the thing that never was done in God's world before. And you and those associated with you in administering the affairs of state, you are the men more responsible than any others for helping on and making good that great aspiration of the American people. You have to do with the administration of law. The great need of the world today is not more wealth as much as more intelligence, more clear thinking and more of a sense of what is morally right or wrong. The great responsibility of your state is the education of the coming generation in your state universities, of which I know something, and all of your universities in your state, and your high schools and public schools. Not simply to make money, but to make life, not simply to understand the situation around about them on their farm, in their factory, store or shop, but to understand that much more essential relationship of man with man, community with community, state with state, nation with nation. There can be no borders for the intelligent mind, there is no limit to the intellect, to thought, to power of thinking through your problems, and just as you make your educational institutions strong and efficient, so will you make your citizenship in this state of Iowa a power in the republic and make your republic the power it ought to be more and more in the world. And more than that, that your responsibility for administering law and justice and fairness as between man and man, as between interest and interest has its part and its place in the great international problem. Men say to me again and again in the press, in parliament, in the public platforms that force is the power behind law. I deny it absolutely and unswervingly. Force in a civilized nation is not the power behind law. The policeman in his uniform represents something more than brute force; he represents the community's respect for law, and respect for law is the real power in a democracy; respect for law is the power behind law. Your policeman is valueless, your army and navy are useless unless in the common mind of a common people of this state and of all the states there is that respect for law which is symbolized by your policemen and by your army and navy. Therefore, you in your legislating and in your enforcement of law, you really are making your contribution to international civilization that is to be.

Sirs, I thank you for permitting me to look in on you this morning. I beg of you to believe that we in Canada are interested in every progressive movement, everything you do, everything you undertake to do to make the common life of the average man more satisfying in the best things. Every achievement of yours in civilization, in government, in the broad democracy, everything you do along these lines you do for us as well as for yourselves, for the one irresistible thing, the one omnipotent thing in all the world is a vital idea. Against brute force you can mass brute force, but there is no power that in the end can gain the mastery over a vital idea. A man went out once, started out empty handed with nothing but an idea. His idea was of a social organization in which there should be no arrogant rich and no suffering poor, in which every man should be a brother to every other man and every nation a sister to every other nation, with nothing but his idea, an idea that he conceived as bringing into the common ways of earth the kingdom of heaven. He started out with nothing but his idea and he released it and set it free. Once that idea was grasped by another mind, once after three years of experience, he found one man had seen the vision, he said, "On that idea, as on an eternal rock, I will build my new society, establish my new kingdom, and against it the gates of hell shall swing forever in vain." To do with the organizing and releasing and setting free of ideas, that supreme opportunity of dealing, not with things merely, but with ideas, we men with minds and consciences, it is our business, as you have done so nicely in this state, to realize those ideas of social justice, industrial reform, those things that will make for the purity and progress of the people of this state; it is our great business to fulfill in our republic, in our continent, and in our world that ideal of a brotherhood for all humanity, for in this day, with all the progress that has been made by science and the turning of science to the destruction of man in this day with every nation rubbing shoulders with every other nation, there must come the brotherhood of all in the neighborhood of the world or our civilization and our progress will mean hell for all the world.

Thomas of Union moved that the joint convention be now dissolved.

Motion prevailed and the joint convention was dissolved.

Senate returned to the Senate Chamber and resumed its sitting.

Senator Arney moved the Senate adjourn.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 2:30 p. m. President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FURTHER CONSIDERED.

The report of the committee on suppression of intemperance, recommending that Senate File No. 7 be indefinitely postponed, was taken up for further consideration.

On the motion to adopt the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—22.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore—27.

Absent or not voting:

Chase—1.

The motion to adopt the report of the committee was lost.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

To the Senate of the Thirty Sixth General Assembly:

The Senator from Linn hereby desires to explain that the reason he votes "no" on the question of the adoption of the report of the Senate committee on Senate File No. 7 is that he intends to offer an amendment to said Senate File, and that if the said amendment is carried that he proposes to vote for the bill as amended.

F. A. HEALD.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 7, a bill for an act to repeal sections twenty-four thirty-two (2432) to twenty-four sixty-one (2461) inclusive, of the code, 1897, and acts amendatory thereof, except certain actions or acts relating to mullet tax, was taken up and considered.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the pending bill by striking out all that part of the bill following the enacting clause and substituting therefor the following:

SECTION 1. That the law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred forty-eight (2448) supplement to the code 1913, section twenty-four hundred forty-nine (2449) of the code 1897, sections twenty-four hundred fifty (2450), and twenty-four hundred fifty-one (2451), supplement to the code 1913; sections twenty-four hundred fifty-two (2452), twenty-four hundred fifty-three (2453), twenty-four hundred fifty-four (2454), twenty-four hundred fifty-five (2455), twenty-four hundred fifty-six (2456), twenty-four hundred fifty-seven (2457), twenty-four hundred fifty-eight (2458), twenty-four hundred fifty-nine (2459), twenty-four hundred sixty (2460), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one (2461) of the code 1897, sections twenty-four hundred sixty-one c (2461-c), twenty-four hundred sixty-one d (2461-d), twenty-four hundred sixty-one e (2461-e), twenty-four hundred sixty-one h (2461-h), twenty-four hundred sixty-one i (2461-i), twenty-four hundred sixty-one j (2461-j), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one K (2461-K) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the amendment by adding thereto the following as section 2:

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect from and after January 1, 1916.

On the adoption of the amendment to the amendment a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa—19.

Absent or not voting:

Chase—1.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the amendment by inserting a comma following the word "Code" in lines 2, 3, 5, 11 and 16.

Adopted.

The original amendment as amended was then adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

The nays were:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—22.

Absent or not voting:

Chase—1.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 7 and moved its adoption.

I move to amend the title of the bill by striking out all of the title and substituting the following:

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Repeal the Law as the Same Appears in Section Twenty-four Hundred Forty-eight (2448) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Section Twenty-four Hundred Forty-nine (2449), of the Code, 1897, Sections Twenty-four Hundred Fifty (2450), and Twenty-Four Hundred Fifty-one (2451), of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Sections Twenty-four Hundred Fifty-two (2452), Twenty-four Hundred Fifty-three (2453), Twenty-four Hundred Fifty-four (2454), Twenty-four Hundred Fifty-five (2455), Twenty-four Hundred Fifty-six (2456), Twenty-four Hundred Fifty-seven (2457), Twenty-four Hundred Fifty-eight (2458), Twenty-four Hundred Fifty-nine (2459), Twenty-four Hundred Sixty (2460), and Twenty-four Hundred Sixty-one (2461), of the Code, 1897, Sections Twenty-four Hundred Sixty-one c (2461-c), Twenty-four Hundred Sixty-one d (2461-d), Twenty-four Hundred Sixty-one e (2461-e), Twenty-four Hundred Sixty-one h (2461-h), Twenty-four Hundred Sixty-one i (2461-i), Twenty-four Hundred Sixty-one j (2461-j), and Twenty-four Hundred Sixty-one k (2461-k), of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to Mulet Tax.

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

Senator Clarkson moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 7 passed the Senate and to lay the motion to reconsider upon the table.

Carried.

SENATE BILLS SIGNED.

President Harding announced that as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate File No. 32 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 5.

Journal of February 11th was taken up, corrected and approved.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, a joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Joint Resolution No. 7 in words and figures as follows, was read for the information of the Senate:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

JOINT RESOLUTION Agreeing to a Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa by Repealing Section One (1) of Article Two (2) of Said Constitution and the Enactment and Adoption of a Substitute Therefor, Relating to the Right of Suffrage.

WHEREAS, by House Joint Resolution Number Six (6) of the resolutions of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, which resolution was approved March 15, 1913, an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa was proposed, and,

WHEREAS, the said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the House of Representatives of the said Thirty-fifth General Assembly and entered upon its journal at page six hundred thirty-six (636) thereof, and was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate of said General Assembly and entered upon its journal at page seven hundred nine (709) thereof, and,

WHEREAS, the said resolution has been published as provided by law and has now been referred to this, the thirty-sixth, General Assembly, now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa as contained in and proposed by said House Joint Resolution Number Six (6) of the resolutions of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, which resolution including its title, was and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

“Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the following amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa is hereby proposed, to-wit:

‘Repeal section one (1) of article two (2) of the constitution of the state of Iowa and in lieu thereof enact and adopt the following, to-wit:

“SECTION 1. Every citizen of the United States, of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a resident of this state six months next preceding the election, and of the county in which he or she claims his or her vote, sixty days, shall be entitled to vote at all elections which are now or hereafter may be authorized by law.””

be and the same is hereby agreed to, enacted and adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, “Shall the joint resolution pass?”

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

Caswell, Doran, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Iowa—11.

Absent or not voting:

Chase—1.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had today approved Senate File No. 86.

Senator Helmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 13, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. R. C. F. Chambers, Pastor of the Methodist Church, Grand Junction, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Black Hawk county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Seymour, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Chariton, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law regulating the occupation of barbering and the proper sanitation of barber shops.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Madrid, Iowa, favoring passage of the Rayburn bill, No. 47, subjecting all institutions, including Catholic and Protestant, to inspection.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Jones presented a petition of citizens of Montgomery county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Mason City, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law regulating the occupation of barbering.

Referred to committee on public health.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 259.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize All the Elections of the Town of Blakesburg, in the County of Wapello and State of Iowa, and All Acts Performed and Proceedings Held or Undertaken, and All Ordinances and Resolutions, or Amendments Thereto, Passed by the Town Council of said Town, and all the Official Acts of the Town Officers of said Town, Since the Passage of an Act Relating to the Organization of Cities and Towns and Known as Chapter Twenty-six (26) of the Acts of the Thirty-Second General Assembly; and Defining the Terms of Office of the Councilmen and Officers of said Town, and Providing for Future Elections therein.

WHEREAS, in the election of the members of the town council and other town officers in and for the town of Blakesburg in the County of Wapello, State of Iowa, held since the passage and going into effect of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as Chapter Twenty-six (26) of the Acts of the Thirty-second General Assembly of the State of Iowa, no notice has been taken of said act, but said elections inadvertently have been held and members of the town council and other town officers nominated and elected without reference thereto, but in accordance with the statutes previously existing in relation to such elections, and as if the said statutes were still in full force and effect and unrepealed and unamended; and

WHEREAS, at a town election so held on the last Monday in March, A. D. 1913, Benjamin Abegg was duly elected as mayor, John H. Belles was duly elected as Treasurer, Earl Roberts was duly elected as assessor and S. C. Snow was duly elected as councilman, and at a town election to held on the last Monday in March A. D. 1914, Everett Rowe, William Thompson, Martin Huber and Calvin Smith were duly elected as councilmen; and

WHEREAS, the said persons have duly qualified and have filled the offices to which they were respectively elected and performed divers official acts; and

WHEREAS, said town council duly organized and elected John W. Torrence as clerk and he duly qualified; and

WHEREAS, the town council of said town has acted and proceeded in all matters as if the said persons so elected as councilmen had been legally elected and were legally entitled to membership therein, and said town council so composed in whole or in part of said persons has un-

dertaken to pass various ordinances and resolutions and to perform other official acts; and

WHEREAS, doubt has arisen as to the legality of all the ordinances, resolutions, and amendments to ordinances and resolutions, passed by the said council of the said town of Blakesburg, and as to the legality of all of its acts and proceedings and those of the said town officers elected as aforesaid; now therefore

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That all of the elections of the town of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello, State of Iowa, held since the passage of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as Chapter Twenty-six (26) of the Acts of the Thirty-second General Assembly of the State of Iowa, and all of the acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all of the ordinances, or amendments thereto, passed by the said town council of said town of Blakesburg, and all the official acts of the town officers of said town acting as such officers performed or undertaken since the passage of said act, and not in contravention of the laws of the State, are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and binding the same as if the said act had not been passed and the law had been in all respects strictly complied with in the elections of said town officers and members of said town council.

SECTION 2. That all of the persons before named elected as aforesaid as officers and councilmen of the said town are hereby declared to have been duly and legally elected and to be now legally acting as such, and the terms of office of said officers and councilmen, and each of them, shall continue as hereinafter provided.

SECTION 3. That on the last Monday in March, A. D. 1916, there shall be held an election in said town of Blakesburg at which there shall be elected a mayor, treasurer, assessor, and five councilmen at large as provided in Chapter Twenty-six (26) of the Acts of the Thirty-second General Assembly, and the councilmen so elected shall compose the town council and be the successors of the councilmen now in office and shall at their first meeting appoint a clerk as provided in Section Seven (7) of said Chapter Twenty-six (26). That the present town officers and councilmen of the said town shall continue to hold offices as such, but only until their successors are elected, or appointed, and qualified in the year 1916, as herein provided. That hereafter all of the town officers and councilmen of the said town of Blakesburg shall be elected or appointed biennially as now provided by law.

SECTION 4. Nothing in this act shall affect any pending litigation.

SECTION 5. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and The Excelsior, a newspaper published at Blakesburg, Iowa; said publication to be without expense to the State.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 260, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty two-a (1822-a), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title nine (9), of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator White of Benton, by request, Senate File No. 261, a bill for an act to provide for the organization of an Iowa State League of County Poultry Associations and to provide aid to the poultry industry by making an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Robinson, Senate File No. 262, a bill for an act to safeguard water supplies to prevent the discharge of sewage or the deposit of garbage into lakes, ponds, natural or artificial depressions or reservoirs, rivers or other water courses or upon land subject to overflow; to provide a plan for enabling cities and towns to provide sewage treatment for existing sewer systems, and to provide for the supervision, direction and care of sanitary installations.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 263, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter twelve-A (12-A), title twenty-five (XXV), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to prosecutions on information filed by the county attorney.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Hilsinger, Senate File No. 264, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight-S of the supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine by the commission of animal health, and prescribing the method of quarantine.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter thirteen (13) title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the Dairy and Food Commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the Senate amendment to House amendment to the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 184, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-a (2963-a) of the supplement to the code, nineteen hundred thirteen (1913), and to enact a substitute therefor legalizing instruments affecting real estate titles recorded prior to January first (1st), nineteen hundred five (1905), the acknowledgments of which are defective or which may not have been acknowledged.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 12, a bill for an act to provide for municipal courts for certain cities and the adoption thereof by general state or municipal election or by special election; providing for jurisdiction thereof, mode and manner of procedure therein; providing for the election of the judges of such municipal courts and defining their powers and duties; providing for the abolition of the office of justice of the peace, constable and police judge; the manner of preparing and who shall constitute the jury list, manner of drawing jury panels and jurors; also defining certain duties of other officials and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 192, a bill for an act relating to the descent and occupancy of the homestead.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 61, a bill for an act relating to the reserve fund of savings banks.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 165, a bill for an act empowering and directing the Governor and Secretary of State to execute and deliver a quitclaim deed, conveying to Addie C. Johnson all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in the west one-fourth of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty, township seventy-nine north, range twenty-three west of the fifth principal meridian.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendment to House concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relating to adjournment on Feb. 26, 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to request your honorable body to return to the House, Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

On request of Senator White of Benton leave of absence was granted Senator Fleck for the day.

On request of Senator Crist leave of absence was granted Senator Thomas for today and Monday.

On request of Senator Balkema leave of absence was granted Senator Fellows for today and Monday.

On request of Senator Wilson leave of absence was granted Senator Kimball for the day.

On request of Senator White of Benton leave of absence was granted Senator Jackson for the day.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915.

Senator Heald moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in House amendments to Senate File No. 42.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—15.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

Senator Heald moved that the Senate comply with the request of the House and return Senate File No. 42.

Carried.

Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Passed on file.

House File No. 192, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eighty-five (2985) of the code, relating to the descent and occupancy of the homestead.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 61, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 1860 of the code of 1897, relating to the reserve fund of savings banks.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

House File No. 165, a bill for an act empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute and deliver a quit claim deed, conveying to Addie C. Johnson all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in the west one-fourth of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty, township seventy-nine north, range twenty-three west of the 5th principal meridian.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 184, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-a (2963-a) of the supplement to the code, nineteen hundred thirteen (1913), and to enact a substitute therefor legalizing instruments and the record thereof affecting real estate titles recorded or spread upon the records of the recorder in the county in which the real estate described is located, prior to January first (1st), nineteen hundred five (1905), the acknowledgments of which are defective or which may not have been acknowledged.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 12, a bill for an act to provide for municipal courts for certain cities and the adoption thereof by general state or municipal election or by special election; providing for jurisdiction thereof, mode and manner of procedure therein; providing for the election of the judges of such municipal courts and defining their powers and duties; providing for the abolition of the office of justice of the peace, constable and police judge; the manner of preparing and who shall constitute the jury list, manner of drawing jury panels and jurors; also defining certain duties of other officials and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, providing for the printing of a classified index of legislative bills.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 32, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the incorporated town of Adel, and town council of said incorporated town, in the County of Dallas and State of Iowa, in relation to the extending, maintenance and operation of a system of water works and the issuance of bonds and warrants of said town and payment thereof and authorizing the town council of said town to issue bonds for the purpose of taking up its floating indebtedness represented by such warrants.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 194, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand three hundred thirty-six (3336) of the code, removing exemption of executors from filing bond where there are minor heirs to the estate in the direct line of descent, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Whitmore moved that the motion by which the bill went to its third reading be reconsidered.

Carried.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

"That after the word "executor" in the 5th line there be added a comma and the words "or trustee, or guardian."

Amendment lost.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by adding after the period after "bond" in the last line the following:

"Provided said bond shall in no event be greater than the actual value of the share or shares of the estate going to said minors."

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by inserting after the word deceased the following: "beneficiaries in such will and"

Adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Clarkson, Farr, Foskett, Frailey, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Robinson, Taylor, Whitmore, Wilson—13.

The nays were :

Arney, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton, White of Iowa—20.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Grout, Jackson, Kimball, Perkins, Ream, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees—17.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared lost.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 194 failed to pass the Senate.

G. M. GILLETTE.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 83, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to the widow and heirs of Greenberry Stephens, for a tract of land in Muscatine county, Iowa, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 83 by adding thereto the following:

"SECTION 3. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation, if any, affecting the title to said property."

Adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 159, a bill for an act to authorize, direct and enable W. S. Allen, Secretary of State to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain lands, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

In the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 266, a bill for an act to provide for the issuance of county bonds for highway improvement.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 267, a bill for an act to amend chapter seventy-five (75), acts of the thirty-fifth (35th) general assembly, relating to streets and public grounds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 268, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in title VII, chapter four (4), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment and collection of a tax on collateral inheritance of estates, annuities, legacies, bequests, gifts and transfers; repealing certain parts thereof and providing substitutes therefor; and making provision for better and more uniform enforcement thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

Senator Boe moved that three hundred extra copies of Senate File No. 101 be printed.

Carried.

On request of Senator Allen leave of absence was granted Senator Francis for the day.

Senator Gillette moved that the Secretary of State be instructed to furnish four copies of the supplement to the code, 1913, to replace copies which had been taken from the desks of Senator Arney and the Secretary of the Senate and from the press gallery.

Senator Taylor moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, February 15th.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 15, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. B. Guest, Pastor of the M. E. Church, Ankeny, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Kimball presented a petition of citizens of Council Bluffs, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Crawford county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshall county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented petition of citizens of Pocahontas county, urging passage of a law providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas, Iowa, favoring bill now pending for the development of the poultry farming industry in Iowa.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Laurens, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for a Child's Welfare Station at the University of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Floyd county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Arney presented a petition of teachers of the Marshalltown public schools urging passage of the teachers' retirement fund bill.

Referred to committee on public schools.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 85, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174), and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a) of chapter eight (8), title two (II), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the census.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 116, a bill for an act to amend section 1783-b of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to medical examination for life insurance.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 118, a bill for an act to require pawnbrokers, junk dealers or dealers in second hand goods to report to the police the purchase or receipt of certain classes of goods by such broker or dealers, and providing that certain classes of goods shall not be sold for a specified time and shall be kept where same can be seen or inspected, and providing a

penalty for the violation of the provisions herein contained and providing that under certain conditions the person buying or receiving such goods shall be liable to the owner thereof for their full value.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 38, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. N. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Enger, Senate File No. 269, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2575-a9, chapter 16-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to annual appropriation for bacteriological laboratory.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Enger, Senate File No. 270, a bill for an act to provide for the immediate registration of all births and deaths throughout the state of Iowa by means of certificates of births and deaths, and burial or removal permits; to require prompt returns to the bureau of vital statistics at the capital of the state, as required to be established by the state registrar of vital statistics; to insure the thorough organization and efficiency of the registration of vital statistics throughout the state; to provide certain penalties; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, and to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 271, a bill for an act to provide for the assessment and taxation of osage, willow and other hedge fences adjacent to public highways.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 272, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa library commission.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public libraries.

By Senator Robinson, Senate File No. 273, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Hospital for Inebriates, Penitentiary and Reformatory.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 274, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the board of railroad commissioners.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 275, a bill for an act to authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, delinquents or defectives.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Heald, by request, Senate File No. 276, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in sections forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one (4999-a31), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one-c (4999-a31-c), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one-e (4999-a31-e) and forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one-f (4999-a31-f) supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 277, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a twenty-one (1989-a21) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the jurisdiction of boards of supervisors over drains, and to provide for the termination of the jurisdiction of boards of supervisors over drains, and to provide for the method of terminating such jurisdiction.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 278, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to culvert and bridge construction and other highway construction.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Jackson, Senate File No. 279, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2,575.00) to indemnify Wm. H. Niemann for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa National Guard.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

By Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 280, a bill for an act making appropriation for the payment of loss by hog cholera during quarantine for the hoof and mouth disease.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 281, a bill for an act providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state, and for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, and for appurtenances and connections thereto, as shall be determined upon by the board of control of state institutions for the Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, State Colony for Epileptics, Iowa In-

dustrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and additional custodial farms when same shall have been authorized by law, and for the purchase of land, live stock and equipment, and to develop and maintain industries, and repealing acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act. (Additional to section one hundred seventy-b (170-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the state tax levy.)

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g) supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-three (1527-s3) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the employment of county engineers, and fixing their terms of office and bonds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 284, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-nineteen (1527-s-19) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to final designation of county roads.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 285, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-seventeen (1527-s17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to removal of obstructions from highways and notice thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 286, a bill for an act to encourage corn and small grain growing in the state of Iowa and to aid in conducting an exposition and convention of the grain growers of the state and to make an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 287, a bill for an act to amend section twelve hundred ninety-a (1290-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers appointed to appraise property for the assessment of collateral inheritance tax.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Grout, Senate Joint Resolution No. 10.

JOINT RESOLUTION Memorializing Congress to Call a Convention for the Purpose of Amending the Constitution of the United States.

WHEREAS, It appears from investigation recently made by the Senate of the United States, and otherwise, that polygamy still exists in certain places in the United States notwithstanding prohibitory statutes enacted by the several states thereof, and

WHEREAS, The practice of polygamy is generally condemned by the people of the United States, and there is a demand for the more effectual prohibition thereof by placing the subject under Federal jurisdiction and control, at the same time reserving to each state the right to make and enforce its own laws relating to marriage and divorce; Now, Therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That application be and is hereby made by the legislature of the State of Iowa to Congress under the provisions of Article V of the Constitution of the United States for the calling of a convention to propose an amendment to the Constitution of the United States whereby polygamy and polygamous cohabitation shall be prohibited, and such other amendments as may be found desirable.

Be It Further Resolved:

That the legislatures of all other states of the United States, now in session or when next convened, be and they are hereby respectfully requested to join in this application by the adoption of this or an equivalent resolution.

Be It Further Resolved:

That the secretary of state be and he is hereby directed to transmit copies of this application to the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States, and to the several members of said bodies representing this state therein; also to transmit copies hereof to the legislatures of all other states of the United States.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on federal relations.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Taylor offered the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that Hon. Frank G. Cannon be invited to address a joint assembly of both houses in the House Chamber at 11 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, February 16th, 1915.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

On request of Senator Eversmeyer leave of absence was granted Senator Hagemann for the day.

On request of Senator Eversmeyer leave of absence was granted Senator Henigbaum until Wednesday.

On request of Senator Allen leave of absence was granted Senator Francis until Wednesday.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 118, a bill for an act to require pawnbrokers, junk dealers or dealers in second hand goods to report to the police the purchase or receipt of certain classes of goods by such broker or dealers, and providing that certain classes of goods shall not be sold for a specified time and shall be kept where same can be seen or inspected, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions herein contained and providing that under certain conditions the person buying or receiving such goods shall be liable to the owner thereof for their full value.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 116, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred eighty-three-b (1783-b) of the supplement to the code of 1907, relating to medical examination for life insurance.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

Senate File No. 38, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. N. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title.

Passed on file.

President Harding announced the receipt of a communication from the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., in relation to the adoption by the Iowa Legislature of a concurrent resolution regarding an investigation into conditions at the Union Stock Yards, Chicago, with reference to foot and mouth disease, and also the receipt of a copy of a memorial from the Legislature of Kansas, relative to Mississippi river flood protection.

Senator Robinson moved that 1000 additional copies of Senate File No. 262 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Voorhees moved that 500 additional copies of Senate File No. 219 be printed.

Carried.

The President announced that the Senate would be at ease, subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate was at ease.

Senate resumed regular session.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 85, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174), and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a) of chapter eight (8), title two (II), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the census.

Read first and second time.

Senator Farr moved that Rule 19 be suspended and that House File No. 85 be placed before the Senate for consideration.

Motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Farr, House File No. 85, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174), and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a) of chapter eight (8), title two (II), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the census, was taken up and considered.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

Amend by inserting after the word "by" and before the word "adding" in the third line of section 2, the words "striking out the words, 'at the time of assessing property' in the first and second lines thereof and by".

Insert before the words "in a satisfactory manner" in the last line of section 3, the words "by June 1st".

Amendments adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Strike out all of Section 6 of said bill and insert the following as Section 6:

SECTION 6. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published in the city of Sioux City, Iowa.

Amendment adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read the second and third time on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nyc, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to inviting Hon. Frank G. Cannon to address a joint assembly of both houses in the House Chamber at 11 o'clock Tuesday, Feb. 16, 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Senator Arney moved that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to prepare a daily calendar of bills for the Senate on their third reading.

Carried.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 288, a bill for an act making annual appropriations to the State University, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, and Iowa State Teachers College.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend sections three thousand nine-a to three thousand nine-r (3009-a to 3009-r) supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand twenty-nine-a (3029-a), three thousand twenty-nine-b (3029-b), three thousand twenty-nine-c (3029-c), three thousand twenty-nine-d (3029-d) and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

Journal of Saturday, February 13th, was taken up corrected and approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had today approved Senate File No. 32 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 5.

Senator Foster moved that the Senate request Governor Clark to return Senate File 33 to the Senate for further consideration.

Carried.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 16, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. M. J. Locke, Pastor of the Methodist Church, Independence, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Appanoose county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, urging passage of Senate File No. 182, providing for regulation of electrical construction.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Boone, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File No. 182, providing for regulation of electrical construction.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas county, favoring passage of a law for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Keokuk, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Lindly presented a petition of citizens of Kalona and Wellman, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county urging passage of Senate File 138, relative to live stock.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Quigley presented a petition of citizens of Elkader, Iowa, favoring an appropriation for increased state aid for county and district fairs.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Fort Dodge, Iowa, urging the enactment of a teachers' annuity law.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator White of Benton presented a petition of citizens of Benton county, protesting against the passage of bills imposing burdensome conditions on rural retailers of stock remedies.

Referred to committee on pharmacy.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 147, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the firemen's pension fund.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 146, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 72, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the destruction of weeds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 234, a bill for an act to repeal section thirteen hundred six-e (1306-e), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute in lieu thereof, relating to the issuance and payment of bonds by cities and towns.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 290, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twelve hundred fifty-eight-c (1258-c) and twelve hundred fifty-eight-h (1258-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of city, county and township officers, and the right of such officers to thereafter hold office within this state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 291, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 292, a bill for an act to authorize cities and towns to regulate, license and tax livery stables and garages.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 72, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the destruction of weeds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

House File No. 234, a bill for an act to repeal section thirteen hundred six-e (1306-e), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute in lieu thereof, relating to the issuance and payment of bonds by cities and towns.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senate File No. 146, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes.

Passed on file.

Senate File No. 147, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the firemen's pension fund.

Passed on file.

Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

Passed on file.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Crist, chairman of the special investigating committee, submitted the following report and moved that the same be printed in the Journal.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON "INVESTIGATION OF GRAFT."

We, your committee appointed to investigate the facts underlying certain charges of graft made in connection with the organization of this Senate, beg leave to submit the following report:

Your committee proceeded to organize and discharge its duties with all reasonable dispatch, and addressed a communication to the Hon. G. W. Clarke, Governor, asking for information, and received a reply thereto, which communication and reply were embodied in a preliminary report of this committee made to the Senate under date of January 29th, 1915, and are hereby referred to and made a part of this report by reference.

Your committee made it known through the medium of the public press that its sessions would be public, and that it was ready to give full hearing to anyone who had any matter they desired to present to the committee. Several persons presented themselves pursuant to this notice and all were given a full hearing, and your committee requested the appearance and took the testimony of more than thirty other witnesses relative to the matters it was charged to investigate, and the committee feels that the inquiry has been as full, fair, and far-reaching as could be conducted within the powers given it by the Senate, under the resolution that created it.

We do not find in the testimony heard, or in the investigations that we have conducted, any matter or thing that reflects in any way upon the honesty, honor, or integrity of this body or any of its members; nor do we find any evidence or fact from which a deduction could be made that any member of this Senate had personally profited, directly or indirectly, in the organization of the Senate, or in the conduct of its affairs.

We believe that the expression "pure, unadulterated graft," as used by Governor Clarke in his message to the joint assembly, was an unhappy choice of words to express the thought which the Governor's reply to your committee shows he had in his mind, and that it was unwarranted by the facts as they have been disclosed to this committee.

Your committee finds, however, that the condition to which the Governor was attempting to direct the attention of the Assembly with reference to the employment of the help of the Senate and the determination of the places and the number thereof, is not the work of any one General Assembly, but is the gradual development of a system probably reasonable in its inception, but continued through inadvertence or through lack of care and investigation, and is in need of correction as evidenced by the following statement of facts and suggestions disclosed to us by our investigation:

1. We find a policeman carried on the list of extra help of the Senate, with no regular duties, and believe his services to be needless.

2. We find one assistant filing and bill clerk who is earning the money paid him, but who is almost wholly employed, together with a similar employee of the House, in keeping up to date between fifty

and sixty journals and bill records in offices of the state outside the Senate and House chambers, without authority of statute or rule, and excepting in a very few instances merely to satisfy the requests of state employees outside the chambers aforesaid, and at a total cost to the state of approximately fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) per session, and we recommend that the practice be discontinued so far as it concerns the Senate employee, in which event his services will be unnecessary.

3. We find an extra man employed to carry the legislative mail from the basement of the Capitol to the Assembly post-office, and another man regularly employed by the state, ready, willing and able to perform these duties, and we recommend that the services of the said extra man be dispensed with.

4. We find three men employed in the Senate cloak-room in doing janitor work and caring for the wraps of Senators and visitors, and believe that all necessary and efficient service can be easily rendered by two men, and that the service of one of these janitors may well be dispensed with.

5. We find five janitors employed in the Senate chamber and committee rooms, and one who has been authorized but who has not reported, and believe that at least one of those now employed, as well as the one who has not reported, are unnecessary, and that four janitors could attend to all the work properly and well, and without undue burden.

6. We find three men at work in the office of the Secretary of State who, together with one who has been authorized but who has not reported, are charged to this Senate as extra help. These men are not now, nor will they be until after the session adjourns, doing work pertaining to this Senate. They are employed in work that may be necessary, but which should be taken care of under the supervision of the executive council, and should in no wise be performed by men alleged to be needed because of work incident to this General Assembly.

7. We find employed by the Senate a page as messenger in the State Law Library, and recommend that the services of such page be dispensed with as unnecessary.

8. We find employed by the Senate one chief door-keeper and ten assistants, and that all are old soldiers, veterans of the Civil War, who have been employed pursuant to chapter 14-B, section 1056-a15, of the supplement to the code of 1907, which provides: "That in every public department, and upon all the public works of the State of Iowa, and all of the counties, cities, and towns thereof, honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines, from the army and navy of the United States in the Civil War who are citizens and residents of this state, shall be entitled to preference in appointment, employment and promotion, over other persons of equal qualification." Under and by virtue of this law many of the employees of the Senate have been hired who are veterans of the Civil War, and range in age from sixty-nine to eighty years, and, while still able to perform work of the kind required of them, being somewhat weakened by age and infirmity, may

not always be able to be on duty at all times when required; and while your committee believes that the work of these door-keepers could probably be performed by a much smaller number if younger men were employed, we do not believe that the Senate, or the people of Iowa, are ready to abandon the provisions of the old soldiers' preference law.

We do believe, however, that the work required of these door-keepers can be well and efficiently done by one chief door-keeper and six assistants of the same class as now employed.

9. We find that there are employed by the Senate fifty committee clerks, and that one of these has been assigned to each Senator. That the present statute is so worded that in our opinion it does not contemplate the use of these employees in other work than that which pertains to the particular committee for which they are appointed. We find that almost without exception they are being used in part to assist the Senators in their private and business correspondence.

We believe that, under the present arrangement of committees as to their number, time of meeting, and the consequent demand upon each Senator's time, the number of committee clerks could not be materially reduced without impairing the work that the Senate has to do; but we believe that an arrangement can be devised whereby the work of the Senate could be well and expeditiously done, and the services of a very considerable number of these clerks be dispensed with. We do not believe that the working out of such a plan in detail comes within the purview of the duties of this committee and the purpose of its creation, but we submit the following outline of suggestion and recommend that the Senate use this or a similar outline to aid them in devising and adopting such a working arrangement, as a part of the rules of the Senate, such as will meet the situation and save unnecessary expenditure.

An examination of the organization of the Senate of a number of states has convinced us that our present organization of committees is burdensome, and the number thereof is unnecessary. We believe that all the standing committees now existing in this body may readily be grouped into seven general heads, which might be named: State Finance, Judiciary, Public Utilities, Industries, Public Welfare, Governmental Affairs, and Appropriations; and when so grouped, an arrangement becomes at once apparent whereby the entire committee work can be included within the reasonable scope of probably not to exceed twenty-one committees. We suggest that the membership of the Senate be so assigned to these committees that each member will not be included in the membership of more than from four to five of these committees, and we further recommend that, if some such plan as this is followed, the chairman of each committee organize his committee into permanent sub-committees for the different lines of work coming within the purposes of his particular division.

We believe that, if such a plan is worked out in detail and adopted by the Senate, that the work now done by committee clerks could be well and efficiently handled by a corps of stenographers under the direction of an expert and experienced person, familiar with bill draft-

ing and its requirements, and that it would probably be unnecessary to employ more than twenty-five such stenographers for the conduct of the work of their department with efficiency and dispatch.

Your committee desires to say in the matter of the foregoing items of help, which it reports to you as unnecessary, that it has in its investigation found no fault with the kind of service these employees were rendering to the Senate, and does not wish its report to be construed as a reflection upon them or their services. We found them, without exception, to be honest, ready and willing to perform all duties assigned to them; but their services are not needed to secure a thorough and efficient administration of the affairs of the Senate, and by dispensing with their services and the adoption of the recommendations of this committee, we believe that the State of Iowa can be saved a very considerable sum of money at each legislative session.

Your committee further reporting wishes to say that we have not found in our investigation, anything to indicate that any office or position has been created in the organization of the present Senate, or retained from a prior organization, for political reasons; but we find the fact to be that this Senate has fewer employees than were employed at the last session.

The members of this committee desire to express their appreciation of the fair treatment given them by the press representatives who attended the meetings of the committee, and the willing assistance given us by all the witnesses called before us, and we desire to commend the courtesy shown to us by all with whom we came in contact in discharging an unpleasant and difficult task.

Respectfully submitted,

L. E. CRIST

G. M. GILLETTE

ROBERT QUIGLEY

T. J. B. ROBINSON

Senator Darrah being absent from the Senate on account of sickness in his home, did not take part in the preparation of this report.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator L. E. Crist, from the committee on investigation, also submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on investigation, to whom was referred the resolution introduced by the Senator from Boone, on January 14, 1915, and found on page 75 of the Journal of the Senate, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. CRIST,
Chairman.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

On request of Senator Eversmeyer leave of absence was granted Senator Hagemann for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

On request of Senator Balkema leave of absence was granted Senator Fellows for today.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor returning to the Senate Senate File No. 33, as requested by the Senate on the 15th inst.

Senator Foster moved that Senate File No. 33 as recalled from the governor be recommitted to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Carried.

Journal of February 15th was taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 136, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section thirteen hundred and four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of property from taxation, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 69, a bill for an act to amend paragraph three (3) of section thirteen hundred four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of certain property from taxation, beg

leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Senator Allen moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific Exposition in San Francisco in 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 293, a bill for an act to amend section fifty hundred forty (5040) of the code with reference to breach of Sabbath by increasing the penalty provided for a breach thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Heald, Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific Exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up for further consideration. Senator Heald moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

House amendment to Senate amendment to section 1:

Amend Senate amendment to section 1 by adding thereto the following: "said commission to serve without salaries or compensation of any kind.

House amendment.

Amend by striking out of the first line of section 5 the figure "5" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "6" and by inserting section 5, reading as follows:

"SECTION 5. All unexpended balances to be returned to the state treasury of Iowa and placed in general revenue fund."

On the question "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—37.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Fellows, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Ream, Wilson—12.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared concurred in.

Senator Kimball moved that when the Senate adjourn it be until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

A committee from the House appeared and stated that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint session.

Senate proceeded to the House under the direction of the sergeant-at-arms.

JOINT CONVENTION.

In accordance with law and concurrent resolution duly adopted, the joint convention was called to order at 11 o'clock a. m., Hon. W. L. Harding, President of the Senate, presiding.

On roll call the following members responded:

Allen, Anderson of Davis, Anderson of Greene, Anderson of Montgomery, Anderson of Winnebago, Arney, Atkinson, Bailey, Balkema, Ball, Barry, Bauman, Becker, Bingham, Boe, Brady, Bronson, Bruce, Buxton, Clark, Coakley, Coast, Cochrane, Craven, Crozier, Darrah of Franklin, Darrah of Lucas, Doran, Doze, Durant, Eggleston, Elwood, Enger, Eversmeyer, Freeman, Garton, Gilbert, Gillette, Gilmore, Grason, Gray, Greene of Clinton, Greene of Grundy, Grout, Hadley, Hale, Hall, Heald, Helming, Herman, Holbert, Horchem, Ingwersen, Jamison, Jessen, Johnston of Lucas, Jones of Cerro Gordo, Kane, Kelso, Kepple, Kimball, Kimberly, Klinker, Kopp, Lee, Lenoeker, Lindly, Lueders, McDermid, McFarlane, Mackie, Michael, Miller, Moore, Munro, Neff, Nicholson, Nordyke, Nye, Oldenburg, Perkins, Petersen, Pitt, Purdy, Rayburn, Ream, Rees, Reese, Richards, Ring, Roberts, Rogers, Rone, Rowles, Schmedika, Schrup, Shaeffer, Shortess, Slaughter, Smith, Spotts, Steelsmith, Stokes, Swain, Swenson, Taylor of Buchanan, Thomas, Thompson of Decatur, Thompson of Des Moines, Tucker, Turner, Wayman, Whitmore, Wigdahl, Wilson of Cherokee, Wilson of Louisa, Wilson of Mahaska, Wilson of Mitchell, Witthauer, White of Iowa—120.

Those absent were:

Brammer, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Griffin, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Johnston of Humboldt, Jones of Dickinson, Jones of Montgomery, Laffer, Larrabee, McFerren, Murray, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sawyer, Sheean, Stone, Sullivan, Taylor of Van Buren, Voorhees, Wenstrand, Wilson of Appanoose, White of Benton—38.

The President then announced the joint convention duly organized, with a quorum of members present.

Taylor of Buchanan moved that a committee of two, one from the Senate and one from the House, be appointed to escort Ex-senator Cannon to the Speaker's desk.

Motion prevailed and the President appointed as such committee Taylor of Van Buren and Bronson of Black Hawk.

The committee escorted Ex-senator Cannon to the Speaker's desk.

President Harding presented Ex-senator Cannon to the joint convention, and he addressed the joint convention as per previous invitation.

Allen of Pocahontas moved that the remarks of Ex-senator Cannon be printed in the Journal.

Motion prevailed and the remarks were ordered printed in the Journal.

HONORABLE FRANK J. CANNON.

Mr. President, Senators and Representatives:

In expressing appreciation of this high opportunity, I am quite conscious that the courtesy is not to me personally, but to a great issue which has been brought to your attention by some of your own citizens. Permit me at the very outset to offer you my congratulations as a citizen of the United States upon the wonderful things which this legislature of Iowa is giving to the country. First of all, a mighty hope of a better day to come for all the states of the union. In crossing the land from east to west we have heard no subject more frequently discussed, we have heard nothing which has incited a finer spirit of congratulation than the daily reports from the Iowa legislature. Let me say to you that perhaps I shall confer a better service, if I am able to render any to you, if I extend to you the reciprocal opportunity to make any inquiries concerning the subject upon which I am to address you briefly.

If any phase of the Mormon issue demands from you any especial consideration and you feel that the ground has not been amply covered in my remarks, I shall be very glad indeed to be interrupted at any stage of the proceedings or any time after the address I shall be glad to answer, if possible, any inquiry which you may propound.

Up until 1890, for many years, the Mormon church and kingdom practiced polygamy. The Mormon prophet ruled over his people absolutely as a monarch in political affairs. The Mormon kingdom gathered unto itself millions of dollars of property which it expended in secret ways to the disparagement of public right. So grievous was the situation thus presented to the people of the United States that for more than sixty years the people of this country, acting through their state legislative bodies and acting through Congress, through the judiciary and executive authority of the United States, made war upon this system. Perhaps no state in the union had a stronger part in that national warfare than this state of Iowa, through the action of its representatives and its senators at Washington. It was due to a bill introduced into the House of Representatives in the year 1890 by Isaac S. Struble of this state of Iowa that the Mormon kingdom was immediately brought to its knees in contrition. I desire to present to this

intelligent assemblage this pointed inquiry: "Were the people of the United States right in their warfare against the Mormon kingdom up to 1890? Is there any man or woman within the sound of my voice who will contend that the people of this great Christian republic were wrong in that controversy?" I have read millions of words upon this issue and have heard hundreds of thousands, but I have never heard any citizen, I have never read the words of any patriot that admitted that the nation was wrong in that mighty contention. Very well then. The Mormon kingdom now practices polygamy; the Mormon prophet now rules the people within the states which comprise the Mormon kingdom as a monarch; it has gathered unto itself untold millions of money and property which it expends and directs through channels antagonistic to the public welfare. If we were right then, how dare we be silent now? The attention of the people of the United States should be turned to this, a greater peril. What right had the people of this country to make war upon the Mormon system when those people were a little handful in the desert; when they were making an historic battle against the savagery of man and beast; when they were making a struggle for existence; when they had no political power which could threaten the integrity of the republic; when they were almost friendless in the world, unless it was to redeem this nation from a threat of iniquity contained within the principles and practices of that system? We are wrong now if we permit the system to continue when it has wealth beyond any conception of the man who has not studied the institution, when the prophet has more than three hundred millions of capital, an income now that more than approaches all the possessions of the Mormon communities within the scope of their kingdom. The Mormon kingdom has invaded the very halls of legislation, wielded with political influence the balance of power in the United States Senate, when the threat of that day of long ago has now become an actual fact. Is there anyone here in this great assemblage with right of speech here on this floor who doubts for a moment that the Mormon teaches and practices polygamy? I ask the question in all good faith. Is there anyone here who has a doubt as to their continuing the practice as a nation? I may proceed, for I take your silence in the same good faith as my inquiry. The people of the United States for more than 45 years made a most determined battle against polygamy. This is a Christian nation; the people of this land, through their legislature and through their courts, through the power of the executive, expressed the doctrine that if anyone wanted to maintain a Mohammedan harem he must go outside of the United States in order to maintain such an institution. Polygamy is still practiced and over a larger area than when you made your statutes and laws against this crime. It is impossible to punish the one offending, because the power of the Mormon prophet within the states where his people reside and where it is practiced is such that no officer of the law so much as entertains the remotest intention to prosecute.

Representatives and Senators having in charge the public welfare, that which concerns you is anything which affects the life of this re-

public. The Mormon polygamy has spread already into eleven states of the union; it goes unpunished there. The prophet of the Mormon kingdom crossed your State of Iowa on the 3rd of November, 1913, with a part of his polygamous harem. No one here interfered with him in any way. So great is his political and commercial authority in the United States now that this man who, twenty years ago, fled from before the very name of the United States marshal, this man who could only see his wives by stealth, now transports his harem from ocean to ocean, across the Christian United States and no officer so much as remonstrated with him. The people of the United States passed upon this question in 1862 when by a statute procured by Abraham Lincoln polygamy was punished severely by the terms of the act. It was executed in only a few cases because polygamy was protected by the skill of the Mormon priest who practiced it, and by the perjury which was committed to shield it. In 1882 Congress of the United States passed what was known as the Edmonds act, which provided for more severe penalties, open venire for jurors, the right to serve on juries, and also creating what is known as unlawful cohabitation. Polygamous marriage could not be proved, but continuous polygamous living could be proved because that was a matter of general repute. Under the provisions for offenses created by the Edmonds act, two thousand Mormon priests went to prison. Later on Congress passed an additional act and under this act all the property of the Mormon church was escheated to the government of the United States. In 1890 Isaac S. Struble introduced into the House of Representatives a bill which disfranchised every Mormon, took away from him all the civil rights of the United States, because it had been found impossible for the government of the United States to bring the Mormon church to an abandonment of its claims and its polygamous practices and its material claims in the United States. It was when that act was pending under favorable recommendation in both houses, that the Mormon chiefs met in conference in Salt Lake City and humbly surrendered to the United States by a solemn covenant addressed to the government of this kingdom and in which they pledged themselves never more to teach or practice polygamy. Subsequently they pledged themselves to the government of the United States never more to claim the independent right to rule in the United States, a right superior to that of the government. Subsequently they pledged themselves never more to aspire to public office, and then the government bestowed upon them the most splendid series of benefactions this world ever saw. First, the president of the United States gave amnesty for all their past violations of law, forgiving all their rebellion, blotted it out from the book of remembrance. The government of the United States restored the citizenship of the once outlawed chiefs. The government gave back all the property taken from them, gave it back to the last dollar into the hands of the prophet in trust for his people. The government gave statehood to Utah and all the other Mormon territory. The Congress of the United States did the most gentle and generous thing—Congress legitimized every child born in polygamy in the Mormon church. You would not do it for

your own community. You people of this legislature would not pass a healing statute to legitimize the progeny of such a parent. Congress did it with the full assent of the United States, so that there might remain no wound unhealed. Just as soon as the Mormon kingdom realized its full possession of all the favors you conferred upon it, it immediately restored its tyranny and re-established its crimes and treason, and has done so for these sixty years. It did not at any time relinquish its intention to rule in the United States. It made that concession in words, but immediately after giving that promise made plans to violate that covenant. I stood at Grover Cleveland's side when he signed that document. I left the happiest man in Washington. I had visited every member of Congress, every Senator. These were my people. I loved them then; I love them now, even while fighting against them. I was so glad that I saw the end of that long fought war, and just six hours after Mr. Cleveland signed that bill of admission I received a telegram from the prophet of the Mormon church stating that he had received a revelation that one of his apostles was to be selected to the Congress of the United States. I assured him that we had just given our word of honor to this country that never more would he get any political revelations from Almighty God. This proved later not to be a revelation from Almighty God, as his chosen apostle was not elected to the Congress of the United States. The Mormon church never retreated. Just three years later when the prophet thought you people were asleep he reappointed one of his apostles to be a member of Congress from Utah. He discovered that you were not asleep, however. More than fifty thousand women of this state of Iowa presented a memorial to Congress demanding that B. H. Roberts be not allowed to sit in the House of Representatives, and in answer to that appeal, every representative in the lower house from this great State of Iowa voted to exclude B. H. Roberts, and he was sent back without being permitted to take the oath of office.

And now to digress for a moment. The change of opinion which has come into this country is not a change of morals but a lack of information concerning the facts and conditions.

The prophet waited just three years longer and then appointed and anointed one of his apostles to be a senator in the Congress of the United States. This was the third revelation for the appointment of an apostle as senator. Reed Smoot was sent under that appointment, and again the people of this country demonstrated that they were not asleep. More than a million people sent a memorial to Congress demanding that no hierarch of this kingdom be permitted to sit in either house at Washington. The committee on privileges and elections then conducted the most extensive investigation of this sort in all our history and laid bare the crimes and treasons of this polygamous kingdom. It reported that Reed Smoot did not come as a citizen of the United States but of a hostile country, that he had taken an oath of disloyalty and that he was disqualified to be a senator and recommended that he be excluded from the United States Senate owing to the fact that he had taken this oath of disloyalty and was an ambassa-

dor from a hostile kingdom. The Mormon church is said to have expended over seven millions of dollars to submerge the facts of this investigation from the people of the United States.

Unless you are better informed than most legislative bodies, many of you believe that the charge against Reed Smoot was that he practiced polygamy. We never made any such charge. That point had been settled in the Roberts case. We charged Reed Smoot with being a supporter of a polygamous system, the supporter of a treasonable monarchy, with having taken an oath of disloyalty to this republic.

At the end of four years the Mormon apostle was seated there, the representative of a polygamous kingdom. The principal issue is, whether we shall have a polygamous monarchy in the United States or whether we shall maintain this Christian republic. There is no room for a political church. If there is room for one, there is room for 360 political churches.

The W. C. T. U. have been making a determined assault upon the polygamous practice in this country. They have been asking in every state of the union the passage of a resolution favoring a constitutional amendment to prohibit polygamy. The reason for that is, as I stated to you in the beginning, that the laws within the states where polygamy is practiced are suspended by the power of the polygamous prophet and the constitutional inhibitions within the states are nullified. This case is closely akin to the issue of slavery. There is only one way to reach it, and that is by the federal power. The W. C. T. U., aided by the Mothers' Congress, the National Reform Association, and other like associations, have been as a unit working for this great moral reform. They are asking that this state of Iowa shall take its place as the thirty-second state to approve the resolution addressed to Congress asking for this amendment to the constitution of the United States. The only people in our country who are fighting against it, so far as I know, are those who themselves practice polygamy, those who are affiliated with the Mormon kingdom in politics and business and those who, because of a lack of the knowledge of the real situation, are misled into the supposition that the Mormon church has abandoned polygamy. For the first class of these three I have only so much of respect as goes with admiration for sincerity. For the second of these classes I have only that opinion which candid men should maintain concerning those who sell their convictions for place and power. For the third class I have only the desire that they inform themselves concerning the history and condition of their country. The supreme court of the United States, in a case carried to that high tribunal by the Mormon church itself, decided that no institution, no individual in this land could practice crime and cover it with the claim of religious immunity. We dispense with all the supposition that we are prosecuting any particular body by desiring the enactment and enforcement of laws to forbid polygamy.

I appreciate the honor which you have conferred upon me. Let me express my pride in what the Iowa legislature has done and is doing. We know perfectly well that there is always some nation on

the face of the earth which seems in itself to be touched by the finger of God in order to carry out more of his purposes for mankind than any other people of its time. No one doubts that in this period of the world's history that nation is our own. Civilization has run her western career until now she has reached the last spot of the western world. If she shall go further it will be to leap the Pacific, and the oldest east will then become the newest west. Twenty-six republics have arisen upon the face of this earth since our own was established. They are the real daughters of the American revolution. They followed the example of this land—not because we conquered them with military power, but because we conquered them by force of splendid example. We demonstrated to them that a nation can live, can grow, can increase its power by casting down the divine right of kings and acknowledging the divine right of the people to rule. The only way we can justify our holding of God's purpose is to keep this vessel clean, this as a nation. The time for us to have His favor is now, by righteous conduct, so that when we ask for His help in the time of our need it will come to us as justice, as well as mercy. I thank you.

Balkema of Sioux moved that the joint convention be now dissolved.

Motion prevailed and the joint convention was dissolved.

Senate returned to the Senate Chamber and resumed its sitting.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 42, a bill to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
ARCH W. McFARLANE,
Member House Committee.

Adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 17, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. Edward Kirbye, Pastor of the Plymouth Congregational Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Sioux county favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Ream presented a petition of the Oskaloosa Commercial Club favoring an increase in railroad passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Jones county favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Waukon, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Fleck presented a petition of citizens of Jasper county opposing authority given the State Highway Commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Heald presented a petition of citizens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Heald presented a petition of citizens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law regulating the occupation of barbering and the proper sanitation of barber shops.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Heald presented a petition of citizens of Linn county favoring passage of Senate File No. 52, providing for an appropriation to defray the expenses of an Iowa exhibit at the Half Century Anniversary of Negro Freedom, to be held in Chicago.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Heald presented a petition of citizens of Ely, Iowa, opposing passage of a bill requiring fishermen's licenses.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator Heald presented a petition of citizens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, opposing enactment of the so-called "Clarkson Bill".

Referred to committee on insurance.

SENATE BILL SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate File No. 42.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senators Allen and Whitmore, Senate File No. 294, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419) of the code, and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 295, a bill for an act making it an offense to bring false charges against employees.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 296, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section one thousand four hundred nineteen (1419) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation for publication of notice of the time and place of tax sales.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 297, a bill for an act to provide for the organization and management of local road districts in this state, and providing bounties for all permanent roads constructed in accordance with all the provisions of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 298, a bill for an act to amend section six hundred seventy-nine-b (679-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the board of police and fire commissioners.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 299, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section one thousand five hundred seventy (1570) of the code, relating to trimming hedges.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 300.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Proceedings Had for the Incorporation of the Town of Doon in Lyon County, Iowa, and to Legalize the Corporate Acts of Said Town of Doon.

WHEREAS, on or about the 10th day of December, 1891, there was duly filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of Iowa in and for Lyon county a petition signed by one Charles Creglow and others of the inhabitants of said territory sufficient in number asking that the following described real estate, to-wit: the west one-half (1-2) of section twenty-five (25) and the east one-half (1-2) of the northeast quarter (1-4), and the east one-half (1-2) of the southeast quarter (1-4) of section twenty-six (26), all in township ninety-eight (98), range forty-six (46), be incorporated and known as the incorporated town of Doon, Lyon county, Iowa, and,

WHEREAS, thereafter and prior to the 8th day of March, 1892, all proceedings required by law to be had in order to accomplish the said incorporation, save and except that no orders of the district court of said county relative to the said proceedings to incorporate the said town appear of record in the proper records of the office of the clerk of the said court, and if said records were ever made, as required by law, the same are now lost and destroyed, and,

WHEREAS, by reason of failure to make such record, or the loss and destruction of the same, doubts have arisen as to the legality of the proceedings had for the incorporation of the said town of Doon, Lyon county, Iowa, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legality of the corporate acts of the said town had after its attempted incorporation, now, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the proceedings hereinbefore referred to and all others had for the purpose of incorporating the following described real estate, to-wit: the west one-half (1-2) of section twenty-five (25) and the east one-half (1-2) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4), and the east one-half (1-2) of the southeast quarter (1-4) of section twenty-six (26), all in township ninety-eight (98), range forty-six (46), west of the fifth P. M., into an incorporated town known and designated as the incorporated town of Doon be and the same are hereby legalized and the said proceedings are hereby declared to be legal and of the same force and effect as though all proceedings therefor had been in due form of law and full and complete records thereof kept as provided by law.

SEC. 2. That all of the corporate acts of the said town of Doon done and performed by it on and after the 8th day of March, A. D. 1892, be and the same are each hereby legalized and declared to be lawful and of full force and effect the same as though said town had been lawfully and properly incorporated and the records of said incorporation kept as provided by law at the time of such incorporation.

SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published at Sioux City, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 301, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the salary of deputy sheriffs, as the same appears in section five hundred ten-b (510-b), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 302, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 303, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 304, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa Soldiers' Home.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 305, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen (13) of the code relative to compensation to be paid officers and employees of the general assembly.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 42, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915.

H. I. FOSKETT,
(Chairman.

Passed on file.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Gillette offered the following concurrent resolution:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the Secretary of State be and he is hereby instructed to furnish four additional copies of the supplement to the code, 1913, to replace copies which have been lost or taken from the Senate Chamber.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Wilson, from the committee No. 2 on judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 30, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred fifty-nine (4759) of the code relating to the crime of abortion, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

By unanimous consent placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 224, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the county treasurer, county auditor and board of supervisors of Page county, Iowa, relating to the overdrafts upon the bridge fund and county fund, and the acts and proceedings of the said county officers in relating to a certain proposed issue of county bonds for the purpose of enabling the county to pay overdrafts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 63, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor county, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 122, a bill for an act to amend section 1290-a of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 24, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 5289 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sufficiency of indictments and the waiver of objections thereto, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Grout, from the committee on public health, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 151, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587) of the code, relating to regulations for cemeteries, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 195, a bill for an act amending chapter one hundred thirty-two (132) of the laws of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, providing for rules and regulations for operation of motor vehicles upon the public highway, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Senator Balkema moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m-five (1571-m 5) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessarily expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend section 2 by striking from lines 18 and 19 of the original bill the following: "No service of notice shall be necessary on the occupant when the owner is personally served."

Amend section 3 by adding after the period following the word "agreement" in line 24 of the original bill, the following: "Provided, however, that if by the change of any road herein contemplated any part of the roadway abandoned shall revert to the owner of the land condemned, then the said owner shall receive only the excess of value of the land condemned, over the value of the land abandoned to said owner by changing said road."

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Crist, from the special committee on investigation, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your special committee on investigation, to whom was referred Joint Resolution No. 8, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and herewith return the same without recommendation.

L. E. CRIST,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Jones, from the committee on banks and banking, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred Senate File No. 65, a bill for an act to repeal section one thousand eight hundred sixty-nine (1869) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to banks, and unincorpo-

rated banking companies, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. F. JONES,
Chairman.

Senator Jones moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred House file No. 48, a bill for an act to permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to subscribe for stock of federal reserve bank and to invest funds therein and incur liability therefor and become members thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. F. JONES,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer Senate File No. 48, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred seventy-three (2773) of the code of Iowa, relating to legal holidays in common schools, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by inserting before the word "Thanksgiving" in the second line, the words "Decoration Day" followed by a comma (,).

Adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kim-

ball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Chase, Enger, Francis, Hagemann, Henigbaum, White of Iowa—7.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the title to Senate File No. 48 be amended by striking out the words "of Iowa" following the word "code."

Adopted.

The bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the following amendments:

First: By striking out the title and substituting therefor: "For an act to legalize ordinances numbers two hundred (200) to two hundred twenty-one (221) of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa."

Second: By striking out of section 1 thereof the following: "Ordinances legalized—pending litigation."

Amendments adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson Jones,

Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Clarkson, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Henigbaum—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On request of Senator Allen leave of absence was granted Senator Francis for the day.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 150, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted:

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Provide for the Levy of a Tax for Improvement of Certain Parks and Directing the Expenditure Thereof.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That where any city has, prior to January 1st, 1880, received a grant of the title of the United States to a meandered lake within its corporate limits, to be held and used for public uses, recreation and park purposes, and where such city has for more than twenty years devoted the same to the public use, recreation and park purposes, its Board of Park Commissioners, is authorized in the discretion of said Board to certify to the county auditor and cause to be collected an additional tax of not exceeding one-half mill each year for the years 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920, to be used for the sole and only purpose of improving such lake by dredging or otherwise deepening the same, constructing dikes and levees for the protection of the same and for changing the form and size thereof and for the regulation, control and improvement of the water supply and for the improvement and beautifying of such lake, the park land surrounding the same and for the furnishing of suitable equipment thereof for public use and pleasure.

Substitute adopted.

Senator Kimball moved to amend by striking out the word "of" in the second line of Section 2 and inserting the word "from" in lieu thereof.

Amendment adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Savage—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Grout, Senate File No. 51, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 687-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved the adoption of the following amendment:

That said bill be amended by striking out the last line of Section 1 and all of Section 2.

Adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—28.

The nays were:

Farr, Fellows, Helmer, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Thompson, Wilson—8.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Nye, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Voorhees—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foskett, House File No. 224, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the county treasurer, county auditor and board of supervisors of Page county, Iowa, relating to the overdrafts upon the bridge fund and county fund, and the acts and proceedings of the said county officers in relating to a certain proposed issue of county bonds for the purpose of enabling the county to pay overdrafts, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laf-

fer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

Fleck, Gillette, Whitmore—3.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Francis, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employees of the reformatory at Anamosa, and the penitentiary at Fort Madison, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Sheean moved the adoption of the following amendments:

That Section 1 be amended by striking from the thirteenth line of said section, the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "may".

Adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the bill be referred to the committee on appropriations.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Doran, Fleck, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton—14.

The nays were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Nye, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Clarkson, Francis, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Lindly, Ream—7.

The motion to refer was lost.

Senator Clarkson moved that the bill be referred to the committee on appropriations with instructions that the same be reported back by 10 o'clock a. m., Friday, February 19, 1915.

Motion held not to be in order.

Senator Helmer moved that the bill be re-referred to the committee on penitentiaries and pardons.

Senator Allen moved to amend the motion so as to refer the bill to the committee on board of control.

Amendment lost.

The motion to re-refer to the committee on penitentiaries and pardons was lost.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

“Amend Senate File No. 45 by striking out the word “fifty” in line 4 of the bill and inserting the words “twenty-five”.”

Senator Savage raised the point of order that all bills carrying appropriations should go to the committee on appropriations, under Rule 20.

Point of order not sustained.

The amendment by Senator Jones was lost.

Senator Parker moved that the bill be referred to the committee on retrenchment and reform.

Senator Thomas moved that this bill be made a special order for tomorrow at 11 o'clock a. m.

Motion lost.

Motion by Senator Parker withdrawn.

Senator Clarkson moved that the vote by which the Senate refused to refer the bill to the committee on appropriations be reconsidered.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Clarkson moved that the bill be referred to the committee on appropriations and that said committee be instructed to report to the Senate by 10 o'clock a. m. Friday.

Motion prevailed. •

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the governor stating that he had today signed Senate File No. 42.

The Journal of February 16th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Thomas moved that five hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 247 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 18, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. E. S. Johnson, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Storm Lake, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Cedar Falls, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File No. 182 in regard to electrical construction.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Mason City, Iowa, and also from the Brotherhood of Electrical Workers of Mason City, urging passage of Senate File No. 182, in regard to electrical construction.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Laffer presented a petition of citizens of Grinnell, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 96, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred ninety-four (2974) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of independent school districts.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 233, a bill for an act to repeal paragraph two (2) of section three hundred one (301) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the duties of the county attorney.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 128, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of a department of bee keeping in the division of agriculture in the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts. (Additional to chapter four (4) of title thirteen (13) of the code relating to the Iowa College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.)

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 127, a bill for an act giving legislative assent to the purposes of the congressional act of May 8, 1914, providing for co-operative extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the acts of congress approved July 2, 1862, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 57, a bill for an act to regulate common carriers and to fix liability as common carriers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 212, a bill for an act to repeal section 737-a of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, requiring all cities and incorporated towns, including cities of the first class, cities actng under the commission plan of government, and special charter cities, to regulate the business of plumbing; to make rules and regulations for the installation of same; to create a board of examiners; in cities having a population of 10,000 or over; to issue licenses to persons, firms or corporations desiring to engage in the business of plumbing who are properly qualified; to provide for the removal of plumbing installed in violation of the manner prescribed and providing for punishment for a violation of the terms of this act.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 142, a bill for an act to amend section 1391 of the code of 1913 relating to the collection of penalty or interest upon delinquent taxes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the Senate amendments to House File No. 85, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

House File No. 85, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174) and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a).

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 306, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-six (496) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact and substitute therefor, relating to deputies in the office of county recorders.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 307, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred and forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to official newspapers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on printing.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 308, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-h (2341-h), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend sections twenty-three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g), twenty-three hundred forty-one-i (2341-i), twenty-three hundred forty-one-k (2341-k), twenty-three hundred forty-one-m (2341-m), twenty-three hundred forty-one-o (2341-o), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-q (2341-q), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept for public service.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 309, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 310, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m twenty-three (1571-m 23), supplement to the code, 1913, changing the offense of a person operating a motor vehicle while in an intoxicated condition from a misdemeanor to a felony and providing punishment therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, a joint resolution disallowing claims of certain citizens of the kingdom of Greece for damages alleged to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29th, 1913.

WHEREAS, claims have been presented to the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of the state of Iowa, by certain citizens of the kingdom of Greece, to-wit, John Birbilis, William Birbilis, Gus Athan, Bill Zees, P. Mantas, Ernest Karrys, Sam Johnson, Wm. Sitheris, Anastasios C. Pulopulos, Frank Anton, Tom Pappas, John Callas, James Spanos and Louis Thomas, demanding compensation on account of damages claimed to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, on the night of the 29th of May, 1913, and,

WHEREAS, said claims have heretofore been filed with the City Clerk of said City and by the Council of said City disallowed and payment refused, and,

WHEREAS, the State of Iowa was in no ways responsible for the alleged acts of said mob and it is not liable for said damages, Therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the claims of John Birbilis, William Birbilis, Gus Athan, Bill Zees, P. Mantas, Ernest Karrys, Sam Johnson, William Sitheris, Anastasios C. Pulopulos, Frank Anton, Tom Pappas, John Callas, James Spanos and Louis Thomas, citizens of the kingdom of Greece, on account of damages claimed to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, on the night of the 29th of May, 1913, be and the same are hereby disallowed and payment refused.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

Senator Kimball offered a number of exhibits of claims relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 11.

Same were referred to committee on claims to whom Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 was referred.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 224, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the county treasurer, county auditor and board of supervisors of Page county, Iowa, relating to the overdrafts upon the bridge fund and county fund, and the acts and proceedings of the said county officers in relation to a certain proposed issue of county bonds for the purpose of enabling the county to pay claims for such overdrafts.

Also:

House File No. 85, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174), and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a) of chapter eight (8), title two (II), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the census.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend Senate File No. 145 by striking out of lines three and four of section 1, after the word "line" the following: "thirty (30), on page two hundred thirty-seven (237)," and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "thirty-one (31) of section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), Supplement to the Code, 1913,"

Amend by striking out of line six the word and figures "thirty (30)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures "thirty-one (31)".

Passed on file.

House File No. 96, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred ninety-four (2794) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of independent school districts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

House File No. 233, a bill for an act to repeal paragraph two (2) of section three hundred one (301) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the duties of the county attorney.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 128, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of a department of bee keeping in the division of agriculture in the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic

Arts (additional to chapter four (4) of title thirteen (XIII) of the code relating to the Iowa College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.)

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

House File No. 127, a bill for an act giving legislative assent to the purposes of the congressional act of May 8, 1914, providing for co-operative extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the act of congress approved July 2, 1862, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States department of agriculture.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

House File No. 57, a bill for an act to regulate common carriers and to fix liability as common carriers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

House File No. 212, a bill for an act to repeal section 737-a, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, requiring all cities and incorporated towns, including cities of the first class, cities acting under the commission plan of government, and special charter cities, to regulate the business of plumbing; to make rules and regulations for the installation of same; to create a board of examiners; in cities having a population of 10,000 or over; to issue licenses to persons, firms or corporations desiring to engage in the business of plumbing who are properly qualified; to provide for the removal of plumbing installed in violation of the manner prescribed and providing for punishment for a violation of the terms of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 142, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred ninety-one (1391) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the collection of penalty or interest upon delinquent taxes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913, and index.

Also :

Senate File No. 38, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. N. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 38, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. N. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title.

Also :

Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913, and index.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 202, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in section 840-g of the supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on board of control, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 207, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a fifty (2727-a50), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to purchase of supplies by board of control, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Schrup, from the committee on claims, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate File No. 187, a bill for an act making an appropriation to Mrs. Etta Jopling on account of the death of her husband, Robert Jopling, caused by assault upon him by inmates of the State Hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations without recommendation.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

Senator Schrup moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate File No. 80, a bill for an act to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg Anniversary Commission created by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly in carrying out the provisions of chapter three hundred thirty-five (335) acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to committee on appropriations with recommendation that the same do pass.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

Senator Schrup moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate File No. 109, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sus-

tained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the Capitol grounds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations with recommendation that it be amended as follows:

Striking out in the fourth line in section one (1), the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000.000)" and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures "six hundred seventy-five dollars (\$675.00)"; and when so amended the bill do pass.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

Senator Schrup moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

On request of Senator Perkins leave of absence was granted Senator Francis for the day.

SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 38 and 14 and House Files Nos. 224 and 85.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by substituting for Section one thereof the following:

SECTION 1. The law as it appears in Section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking from the last line of said section the word "six" and substituting therefor the word "ten".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Farr, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley—4.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Lindly, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Nye, House File No. 63, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor county, Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Nye moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Robinson, Schrup—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent Senator Nye withdrew Senate File No. 72 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Jones, House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Jones moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Shean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Robinson, Schrup, Voorhees—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, Senator Farr withdrew Senate File No. 95 from further consideration by the Senate.

In motion of Senator Foster, House File No. 122, a bill for an act to amend section 1290-a of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by striking from the sixth line of the first section thereof the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five".

Amendment lost.

The bill was read for information.

Further consideration of the bill was postponed.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 57, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the time within which appeals may be taken to the supreme court, as the same appears in section forty-one hundred ten (4110) of the code, and section fifty-four hundred forty-eight (5448) of the code as amended by chapter two hundred twenty-eight (228) of the acts of the thirty-third General Assembly, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Kimball called up for consideration the motion offered by him on February 2nd to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 57 passed the Senate.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

Senator Kimball moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 57 went to its third reading be reconsidered.

Carried.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by adding to Section 1 the following: "and by inserting in line three (3) after the word 'afterward' and before the word 'no' the following: "but nothing herein shall be construed to require the evidence in equitable actions to be certified by certifying the reporters notes thereof sooner than six months after entry of final decree."

Adopted.

Senator White moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were :

Farr, Foster, Frailey, Heald, Helmer, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Thompson—10.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Francis, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Lindly, Robinson, Schrup—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 136, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section thirteen hundred and four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of property from taxation, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by striking out the words "in any civil township" in the eighth line thereof.

Lost.

Senator Gillette offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by inserting after the word "state" in the second line thereof the words "and before the word 'as,'" and by striking out the comma after the word "state" in the sixth line thereof and substituting a period therefor and by striking out all the balance of the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Francis, Hagemann, Lindly, Nye, Robinson, Sheean, Voorhees—10.

Senator Parker moved that the title to Senate File No. 136 be amended by striking out the word "and" following the word hundred in the first line, and the words "of the" following the figures (1304) in the second line.

Adopted.

This bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 14, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913, and index.

Also:

Senate File No. 38, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. N. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

The Journal of February 17th was taken up corrected and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 311, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred thirty (430) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors, marines and their indigent wives, widows and minor children and the erection of monuments for soldiers and sailors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 312, a bill for an act providing for evidence and clue to the detection and arrest of chicken or fowl thieves.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 313, a bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to select jurors, including grand jurors, petit jurors and talesmen in all counties of the state of Iowa having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or over, and in which there is any city with a population of ten thousand (\$10,000), or over, and fixing the time for which jurors may be required to serve, prescribing the duties thereof, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act; also providing for the repeal of section three hundred and thirty-four (334) of the code of Iowa, and enacting a substitute therefor, and providing for the repeal of chapter seventeen (17) of the acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

Senator White of Iowa moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 19, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Charles O'Connor of the Visitation Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Doran presented a petition of the women's clubs of Boone, Iowa, favoring establishment of The Iowa Child Welfare Research Station at the University of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of railroad employes and business men of Fort Madison, Iowa, favoring enactment of a law for semi-monthly payment of railroad employes.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Butler and Bremer counties, favoring passage of the Miller bill, House File No. 7, in regard to election of county superintendents.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Jones presented a petition of citizens of Red Oak, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas county, urging passage of the "State Farm Mortgage Bank" bill.

Referred to committee on banks and banking.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas county, favoring an appropriation for a Child's Welfare Station at the State University of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Robinson presented a remonstrance from the Central Heights Gun Club of Mason City, Iowa, in regard to game laws.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator Darrah presented a petition signed by the Ministerial Union of Chariton, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law requiring the reading of the Bible in schools.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Perkins presented a petition of O. S. Fowler Post Number 346 G. A. R., and citizens of Lamont and Madison township, Buchanan county, urging enactment of a law allowing appropriations for soldiers' monuments outside of cemeteries.

Referred to committee on military affairs.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshall county, urging passage of bill in regard to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 7, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred forty-eight (2448) of the supplement to the code, 1913, section twenty-four hundred forty-nine (2449), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred fifty (2450), and twenty-four hundred fifty-one (2451), of the supplement to the code, 1913, sections twenty-four hundred fifty-two (2452), twenty-four hundred fifty-three (2453), twenty-four hundred fifty-four (2454), twenty-four hundred fifty-five (2455), twenty-four hundred fifty-six (2456), twenty-four hundred fifty-seven (2457), twenty-four hundred fifty-eight (2458), twenty-four hundred fifty-nine (2459), twenty-four hundred sixty (2460), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one (2461), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred sixty-one c (2461-c), twenty-four hundred sixty-one d (2461-d), twenty-four hundred sixty-one e (2461-e), twenty-four hundred sixty-one h (2461-h), twenty-four

hundred sixty-one i (2461-i), twenty-four hundred sixty-one j (2461-j), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one k (2461-k), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to Mulet tax.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 314, a bill for an act making an appropriation to enable the state railroad commission to investigate, prepare and prosecute cases in resistance to advances asked by the carriers in the western advance rate case before the interstate commerce commission.

Read first and second time and ordered placed on Calendar.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 315, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred eighty-ten-a (2480-10a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone systems in mines.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand and sixty-a one hundred twenty (3060-a120), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable instrument.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 317, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-one (1087-a21), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 318, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the location of school house sites in certain school corporations as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-three (2773), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 102 a bill for an act to provide for the exemption from taxation of fire proof buildings used for hotel purposes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 165, a bill for an act empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute and deliver a quit claim deed, conveying to Addie C. Johnson, all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in the west one-fourth of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 20, township 79, north, range 23, west of the 5th P. M., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 209, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgages executed by attorney in fact, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out the word "instrument" appearing as the third word in the first line of the body of the act as it appears in the original bill and substituting therefor the word "instrument," and by inserting after the word "instruments" in the eighth line of the body of the original act the words "heretofore filed for record."

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Jones, from the committee on banks and banking, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred Senate File No. 27, a bill for an act for regulation, supervision and control of the business of banking and providing penalties for the

violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. F. JONES,
Chairman.

On request, ordered placed on Calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred Senate File No. 250, a bill for an act to punish the fraudulent giving of checks or drafts upon any bank or banking association and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. F. JONES,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the code, 1913, granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise, or bequest, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 49, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-b (1527-b) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 253, a bill for an act to amend sections fourteen hundred fifty-eight (1458) and fourteen hundred sixty-one (1461), of the code, relating to the settlement with the county treasurer, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 277, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a twenty-one (1989-a21) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the jurisdiction of boards of supervisors over drains, and to provide for the termination of the jurisdiction of boards of supervisors over drains, and to provide for the method of terminating such jurisdiction, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On request, ordered placed on Calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 171, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred seventy-two (1072) of the supplement to the code of Iowa, 1913, relative to the election of county officers and to provide for the election of county surveyors and prescribing their duties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of the reformatory at Anamosa and the penitentiary at Fort Madison, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 45.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend Sections Fifty-seven Hundred Sixteen (5716) and Fifty-seven Hundred Seventeen (5717), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to the Compensation and Allowance of Officers and Employes of the Reformatory at Anamosa, and the Penitentiary at Fort Madison.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716), Supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "hundred" where it first appears in line eleven (11) of said section, the word "fifty"; and by adding after the word "chaplain" and before the comma following the word "chaplain" in line eleven (11) thereof the words, "of the penitentiary at Fort Madison." Also by inserting after the period and before the word "Other" in line nineteen (19) thereof the following: "The warden of the reformatory at Anamosa shall, with the approval of the Board of Control, employ two (2) or more competent persons to hold religious services at such reformatory in accordance with the rites of the various denominations, and to give spiritual counsel and advice to the inmates of such institution, at a total cost not to exceed fourteen hundred forty (\$1440.00) dollars per annum."

SECTION 2. That said section fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the period following the word "service" in line nine (9) thereof, and substituting the following: "and shall be furnished, without cost, with provisions for self and family, consisting of wife and minor children, from supplies purchased for the institution; this to be in lieu of all allowances for what is known as "warden's support fund" and "warden's house fund" as now authorized by law.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

Ordered placed on the calendar.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 185, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities of the second class and towns, a levy for road purposes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by changing the period at the end of section one (1) to a comma (,) and adding thereto the following: "to be used only upon main traveled highways leading through said city or town."

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 199, a bill for an act to repeal sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), and one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the destruction of noxious weeds and other weeds and brush upon lands, highways and other places; assessing the costs and expenses of the destruction of the same to the lands and owners thereof; and providing funds with which to destroy the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend section 7 by striking from the second line of the original bill the word "May" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June."

Amend section 8 by inserting after the word "who" in the second line of the original bill a comma (,) and also the following: "after complaint has been made to him as provided for in section three (3) of this act."

Amend by numbering section 9 as section 10 and inserting the following as section 9: "Any person liable for the destruction of weeds under section three (3) of this act who fails or neglects to comply with an order of the board of supervisors, township trustees, town or city councils or commission, as the case may be, as provided in said section three (3), shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00) and costs of prosecution."

Amend by adding thereto the following as section 11: "This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published at Sioux City, Iowa."

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 178, a bill for an act repealing sections fifteen hundred fifty-two (1552) and fifteen hundred fifty-five (1555) of the code, and the law as it appears in sections fifteen hundred fifty (1550) and fifteen hundred fifty-one (1551) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to labor by able-bodied citizens upon public roads of the state and collection

of poll taxes and enacting a substitute therefor providing for payment of a road tax for all male citizens between certain ages and giving authority for and prescribing method of collection thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend the title by striking out the word "all" in line 7 of the original bill.

Amend section 2 by adding at the end of said section the following: "Provided, however, that the township trustees may exempt from the said tax any indigent person upon whom the payment of said tax will work an undue hardship."

Amend section 3 by striking from line 2 of the original bill the word "send" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "mail."

Amend section 4 by striking out all of said section between the word "small" in the third line of the original bill and the word "certify" in the sixth line thereof.

Amend section 5 by striking from line 18 and 19 of the original bill the words "proper township" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "county".

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 278, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s 11) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to culvert and bridge construction and other highway construction, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 146, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 147, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the firemen's pension fund.

Also:

Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 146, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 147, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the firemen's pension fund.

Also:

Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

By unanimous consent, Senator Foskett withdrew Senate File No. 203 from further consideration by the Senate.

SENATE BILLS SIGNED.

President of the Senate announced that as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 146 and 147.

The Journal of February 18th was taken up, corrected and approved.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Jackson, Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jackson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

That the words "of the" in line two of the original bill preceding the word "supplement" be stricken out.

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the word "word" in the sixth line thereof the word "first".

Adopted.

Senator Jackson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Chase, Francis, Heald, Lindly, Quigley, White of Iowa—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessarily expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend section 2 by striking from lines 18 and 19 of the original bill the following: "No service of notice shall be necessary on the occupant when the owner is personally served."

Amend section 3 by adding after the period following the word "agreement" in line 24 of the original bill, the following: "Provided, however, that if by the change of any road herein contemplated any part of the roadway abandoned shall revert to the owner of the land condemned, then the said owner shall receive only the excess of value of the land condemned, over the value of the land abandoned to said owner by changing said road."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the bill be referred to the committee on judiciary.

Motion lost.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 8 by striking from the second line thereof the words "of the".

Adopted.

Senate Clarkson moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until 10:30 a. m. Monday, February 22d.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Grout, Senate File No. 151, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587) of the code, relating to regulations for cemeteries, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Heald, Hilsinger, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, House File No. 48, a bill for an act to permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to subscribe for stock of Federal Reserve Bank and to invest funds therein and incur liability therefor and become members thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster,

Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

Perkins—1.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Heald, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Ream—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent Senator Foster withdrew Senate File No. 46 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, a joint resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the thirty-sixth general assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage offered the following substitute for the original joint resolution:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8. ----

JOINT RESOLUTION Relating to the Selection of Additional Employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, Fixing Their Compensation and Defining Their Duties, and Amending Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 Relating to the Selection of Additional Employes of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. For service only until the close of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, the Custodian is hereby authorized and directed to appoint the persons as hereinafter named to be assistants to the Custodian, whose duties shall be designated by him and whose salary shall be Seventy Dollars (\$70.00) per month: J. W. Coats, salary to commence January 12th,

1915, and Wm. Pointer, A. Fisher and H. W. Riddle, salary to commence January 25th, 1915, and S. W. Wright, salary to commence February 18th, 1915.

SECTION 2. That Section One (1) of Senate Joint Resolution No. Three (3) of the Acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly be amended by striking out the names of G. H. Edmunds, Nate Flanders and C. H. Comley.

Substitute read first and second time.

Ordered placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 202, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in section 840-g of the supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Heald, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Ream—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 207, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a fifty (2727-a50), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to purchase of supplies by board of control, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Shean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Chase, Foskett, Heald, Kimball, Laffer, Larabee, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Thompson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 146, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 147, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the firemen's pension fund.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the governor stating that he had today approved Senate Files Nos. 14, 38, 146 and 147.

Senator Henigbaum moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 20, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Richard R. Newby, pastor of the Friends' church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Kimball presented a petition of citizens of Council Bluffs, Iowa, favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Waterloo and Cedar Falls, Iowa, favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Francis presented a petition of citizens of Spencer and Milford, Iowa, favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Enger presented a petition of citizens of Lime Springs, Iowa, urging passage of a law for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Page county urging passage of a law providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File No. 182, in regard to electrical construction.

Referred to committee on railroads.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution concerning four additional copies of the supplement to the code, 1913, to replace copies which have been lost or taken from the Senate Chamber.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House concurrent resolution relative to extending an invitation to Prof. J. J. Ferguson, Secretary U. S. Live Stock Sanitary Association, to address the joint convention of the House and Senate.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 146, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 219, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred sixty (360) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the acceptance of a guaranty company as surety.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 145, a bill for an act limiting the time within which actions to set aside, cancel, annul, declare void or invalid, or to redeem from certain tax deeds, guardians deeds, executors deeds, administrators deeds, receivers deed, referees deed, assignees deed, or trustees deeds and declaring such deeds and all proceedings upon which they are based conclusively presumed to be in all things valid and unimpeachable and effective to convey title according to the purport thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 319, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-nine hundred-a-seven (2900-a7), supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Ream, Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the State Institution for Inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 321, a bill for an act establishing a medical department of the state library, to provide for the cataloguing and shelving of books thereof, making appropriation therefor, and providing for an assistant librarian therein and fixing the salary of such assistant.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Thomas, by request, Senate File No. 322, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-three (423), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Thomas, by request, Senate File No. 323, a bill for an act to regulate the practice of civil engineering and land sur-

veying in the state of Iowa, to create a board of examiners in civil engineering and land surveying and to fix penalties for violations of the regulations provided.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 324, a bill for an act to provide for the construction and maintenance of union railway passenger stations.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Whitmore, by request, Senate File No. 325, a bill for an act providing for the protection and safety of persons employed in or being about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts, and other structures, providing means for the enforcement of said act, for recovery of damages by persons injured by a failure to comply with its provisions and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 326.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Legalize the Proceedings Under Which the Consolidated Independent School District of Superior Township, Dickinson County, Iowa, Was Established, and to Legalize the Establishment Thereof and to Legalize the Election of Directors and Officers Thereof and to Legalize the Issuance of the Bonds of Said District for School Building Purposes.

WHEREAS, on or about the 19th day of February, 1914, a petition duly approved by the County Superintendent of Dickinson County, Iowa, was filed with the Board of Directors of the school district of Superior Township, Dickinson County, Iowa, asking for the establishment of a consolidated independent school district including sections Seven (7) to Twenty-four (24), inclusive, and section Twenty-nine, Thirty, Thirty-one, and Thirty-two (29-30-31-32) of said Superior Township, which petition was signed by the legal number of qualified electors and,

WHEREAS, on March 18th, 1914, the Board of Directors of said school district called a special election of the voters of the territory described and directed the posting of notices of such special election to be held March 31, 1914, from 10 o'clock A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M., and,

WHEREAS, said notice of election was duly posted in five public places as required by law, and

WHEREAS, at said election the said Board of Directors failed to furnish a regular printed ballot upon which should appear the proposition for the consolidation of said district but in fact posted a copy of said notice of election upon the black board at the front of said school house, calling the attention of voters thereto and furnishing to said voters ballots upon which they should indicate whether they were for or against said proposition by placing a cross in the square opposite the word "yes" or "no" as the case might be, and,

WHEREAS, a large majority of the voters of said district voted at said election and the proposition for the consolidation of said district duly carried and,

WHEREAS, on April 24, 1914, a special election of said consolidated independent school district was called for the purpose of electing five directors therein, and

WHEREAS, notice of said election for Thursday, May 7th, 1914, was duly given as required by law and,

WHEREAS, at said election certain individuals were elected as directors of said consolidated independent school district and,

WHEREAS, on May 15th, 1914, said directors having qualified as required by law, called a special election of the qualified voters of said consolidated independent school district for the purpose of voting upon the proposition of bonding said school district for the sum of \$17,000.00 for the purpose of constructing a school house for said district and equipping same, and

WHEREAS, said election was called for June 18th, 1914, and was duly held upon said date at which time a majority of the duly qualified electors of said district voted in favor of said bond issue and,

WHEREAS, the bonds of said school district to the amount of \$17,000.00 have been sold and are now in process of being issued to the purchaser thereof, and

WHEREAS, it is the desire that all of said proceedings, the consolidation of said independent school district, the election of officers and the issuance of said bonds be legalized,

Now Therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the petition for said election, the approval thereof by the County Superintendent and the filing thereof with the Board of Directors of the school township of Superior in Dickinson County, Iowa; the action of said Board thereon, the calling of said special election to vote upon the question of establishing the territory described in said petition into an independent consolidated school district; the notice of election, the form of ballot used at said election so held upon said proposition; the election within said territory so consolidated electing directors and officers thereof; the action of said directors and officers calling a special election for the purpose of voting the bonds of said school district in the sum of \$17,000.00, the proceeds thereof to be used in the construction and equipment of a school building for said consolidated school district; the election so held thereon; the action of said Board of Directors in de-

claring said proposition duly carried; the action of said Board of Directors and officers of said consolidated school district in the issuance of said bonds and the sale thereof, be and the same are hereby legalized and made binding and effective with the same force and effect as though the law then in force had been fully, specifically and in every particular complied with and the establishment of said consolidated school district is hereby confirmed and declared legal, the election of said officers is hereby declared legal and confirmed and the election of the issuance of said bonds is hereby declared legal and effective and the bonds so issued are hereby declared the legal binding bonds of said school district and same are hereby declared legal as a valid binding indebtedness of said Independent School District.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.

SECTION 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after it is published in the Spirit Lake Beacon, a newspaper published at Spirit Lake, Iowa, and the Register and Leader, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 327, a bill for an act authorizing counties containing not less than 20 square miles of lake surface to issue bonds for not more than sixty thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a public highway around such lakes: authorizing levy of tax to meet interest on said bonds and for payment of said bonds: authorizing construction of said highway under supervision of the state highway commission: providing for use of a portion of the funds placed at the disposition of said commission in construction of said highway, and directing payment to such county for use in construction of said highway, of proceeds in state treasury arising from sale of lake beds situated within such county.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Sheean, by request, Senate File No. 328, a bill for an act conferring upon the board of railroad commissioners the power to regulate the location, construction and maintenance of electric wires, poles and other fixtures, along and across the public lands, highways and streams of this state, except within the corporate limits of any city or town; and to confer upon the board or railroad commissioners the power to review, by appeal, ordinances, resolutions, rules and regulations of any city or town regu-

lating the construction and operation of electric wires, poles and other apparatus within such cities or towns, including cities acting under special charter and cities organized under the commission form of government; and to repeal sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-c (1527-c) and fifteen hundred twenty-seven-d (1527-d), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Farr offered the following concurrent resolution and moved its adoption:

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House shall appoint a committee of five, three from the House and two from the Senate, to investigate the fire protection and needed repairs of the Capitol and surrounding state buildings, who shall report to the Senate and the House not later than fifteen days from date of the appointment.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Caswell offered the following concurrent resolution, and moved its adoption:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION Authorizing the Donors of the Iowa Building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco to Inscribe Upon Said Building Words Suitable to Show the Donors Thereof.

WHEREAS, certain public spirited citizens of this state, and commercial organizations of certain cities of the state known as the Greater Iowa Association have joined in a grand movement to provide the funds and erect an Iowa Building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate and House of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of Iowa, That said Greater Iowa Association be and is authorized by this resolution to place upon the said Iowa Building at San Francisco in such words and prominence as the officers desire, an inscription showing that the building was donated and erected by the Greater Iowa Association.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, that Prof. J. J. Ferguson, Secretary U. S. Live Stock Sanitary Association, be invited to address the joint convention of the House and Senate at a date to suit his convenience.

Passed on file.

House File No. 146, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 219, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred sixty (360), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the acceptance of a guaranty company as surety.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 145, a bill for an act limiting the time within which actions to set aside, cancel, annul, declare void or invalid, or to redeem from certain tax deeds, guardians deeds, executors deeds, administrators deeds, receivers deeds, referees deed, assignees deeds, or trustees deeds and declaring such deeds and all proceedings upon which they are based conclusively presumed to be in all things valid and unimpeachable and effective to convey title according to the purport thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 56, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand three hundred forty-eight-a (2348-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bounty on pocket gophers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

By request ordered placed on calendar.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, a joint resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the thirty-sixth general assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Farr moved that the consideration of this resolution be deferred until the Executive Council could report on what had been done with the Emergency Fund.

Senator Francis raised the point of order that the motion did not fix a time when the Executive Council was to report.

Point of order sustained.

Senator Farr offered to amend his motion so as to defer consideration of the resolution until 10:30 a. m. Wednesday, February 24th.

By unanimous consent the motion was considered so amended.

Senator Francis moved the previous question.

Carried.

Motion by Senator Farr prevailed.

On motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the code, 1913, granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise, or bequest, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Allen moved that the words "of the" in line 2 of the bill, after the figures "586", and also the words "of the" in the last line of the bill, after the figures "585", be stricken out.

Adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Fleck, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Voorhees—6.

Senator Allen moved that the title to House File No. 78 be amended by striking out the words "of the" following the figures "586".

Adopted.

This bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of the Reformatory at Anamosa and the Penitentiary at Fort Madison, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Sheean moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Larrabee offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 1 of the substitute for Senate File No. 45 by striking out the word "shall" as it appears in line 9, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may".

Adopted.

Senator Sheean moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Enger, Fleck, Laffer, Voorhees—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 329, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct and maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM.

Senator Allen, from the committee on retrenchment and reform, filed the following report which was ordered printed in the Journal:

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

The committee on retrenchment and reform appointed by the 35th General Assembly beg leave to submit the following report. At the time of the publication of our preliminary report it was the intention of the committee to present a final report which would contain a thorough discussion of this whole matter. However, the reception

given to our preliminary report has been so favorable and the matter has been so generally discussed in the papers of the state that we have thought best to confine this report to a presentation of the bills which represent in concrete form the ideas of the committee, together with a brief explanation of these bills and an introduction which would not undertake to go so far as to be an argument for the adoption of our recommendations but which would simply serve to present the point of view of the committee in a general way, and make it easier for the reader to understand the proposed bills.

There are three elements contained in our proposed reform,—

1st—Efficiency.

2nd—Economy.

3rd—The fixing of responsibility for the purpose of making the government more responsive to the will of the people.

The main idea with us is efficiency. The economy will at once be felt in the getting of greater results from what we spend and this will gradually show more and more as under our plan of competent and comprehensive and co-ordinated management the details of the system will work toward a more direct and economical basis.

We do not enter upon the field of speculative re-organization but simply undertake to establish a business management taking things as we find them. While the committee is in sympathy with many of the proposed theoretical reforms in government, yet we have not considered it our field to undertake to work out any of these, leaving that field to general legislation. As a matter of fact our work is not in conflict with any of these, and is in harmony with some of them, but the reforms presented in this report are essentially practical, not theoretical, in spirit.

We ask that the proposed reforms suggested by the committee shall be judged only by the reports issued by the committee and the measures proposed to be enacted into law, as there are many things suggested in the report of the efficiency engineers and in the discussions of these matters issued from other sources, with which this committee is not wholly in sympathy and there are other suggestions which, while we may have believed them to be based upon sound judgment, we have not deemed it wise to attempt to include in our recommendations for present legislation. We urge the reading of the preliminary report issued by the "Committee of Thirty," business men to the Minnesota legislature for the purpose of information, but wish to keep before the minds of the members of the Iowa legislature the fact that this committee is approaching the consideration of these problems from a very practical and conservative point of view.

We do not agree with those who consider this a war on graft and corruption although our recommendations will help to make graft and corruption impossible. Neither do we consider this to be an admission of the failure of our system of government; we do not consider that there has been a failure in our system of administration of government; we simply seek to adapt our present existing system of government to the greatly increased field of work and the greatly increased

complexity of interests which the development of our state and its people have naturally brought about.

The changes we suggest are the natural result of our social growth; we do not seek to exalt the office of Governor and to increase his powers and responsibilities,—it is the force of circumstances entirely beyond control which necessarily have converted the Governor of the State of Iowa from the leader of a political party to a greater field of usefulness as the business manager of the State, and there is nothing new in this. As a matter of fact up to a comparatively recent date the Governor of Iowa was in fact the business manager of the State. Practically all the state institutions were managed by Boards of Trustees appointed by the Governor and of which he was ex-officio a member. As the business of the State increased in volume we have from time to time created Departments or Boards for the purpose of relieving the Governor and obtaining a control which would be closer to and more actively interested in that particular department. Where we failed, however, was in the fact that in creating these boards we failed to preserve in some central power a general supervision which could view these various Departments or Boards as details of the management of a state, and having in mind the interests of the State as a whole rather than the interests of any particular department.

And the Governor must be the business manager of the State; otherwise we have none; this being admitted then it follows as a matter of course, that in order to be a successful business manager he must have the authority that goes with that position. We have in history repeated illustrations of the fact that hesitancy and failure of decision are more destructive than wrong decision; and this is a sufficient answer to those who argue against our proposed reforms by saying that the man we elected to the Governorship might not rise to the situation. Any kind of definite management is better than no management, and that is the trouble with us today, we have not definite and comprehensive management.

By comprehensive management we mean such management as will consider the needs of each department, not only in the light of its own situation and its own demands, but also in the light of the demands and the needs of every other department of the state.

The consideration of appropriations by the Legislature is at this time, of necessity, local to each department or each board as it presents its needs; we hope to obtain for each department a consideration of its needs under such circumstances as will enable the Legislature to see not only the particular department in question as a unit, but to see it in its relations to all the other departments of the State; in this way only can the money of the people be so expended as to give fair consideration and support to each and every interest in the state.

The Committee has paid some attention to the matter of economy and efficiency in the Legislative and Judicial Departments of the Government but feeling that the greatest possibilities for good lay in the reformation of the Executive or Administrative Department, we have thought best to limit our efforts at this time to that one field. Nc

bills therefore are presented except such as apply to this Department.

We feel that the people as a whole are strongly in favor of what is called the "Merit System" in the matter of appointments to the public service. The Committee has attempted to accomplish much along this line by general provisions as to non-partisan (not Bi-partisan) appointments, removal for cause, and prohibiting political activity by employees of the State. Going further than this would mean the establishment of another department of government, and we have thought best to leave that for future legislatures to work out after having had opportunity to see what results our present suggestions may have accomplished.

We are submitting with this report a number of Bills in form to be considered by the Legislature. In connection with each Bill will be found a brief, plain, statement of what the measure is and its effect upon the present existing laws. We have kept these Bills as plain and as short as possible so that each measure could be submitted upon its merits and without argument as to the effect of the Bill.

After careful consideration and study, the members of the committee are agreed in submitting these measures to the Legislature. We are confident that the enactment of them will result in giving to the people a more direct control of the government of the State, and will not only save them large sums of money, but, what is of still greater importance, will put into their hands a State Government which they will not only control, but which they will fully understand, and which they can, therefore more intelligently direct.

Respectfully submitted,

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SEN. JOSEPH MATTES,
SEN. LESLIE E. FRANCIS,
SEN. JOHN L. WILSON,
SEN. SHERMAN W. DEWOLF.

On the part of the Senate.

REP. JOHN W. JACOBS, *Secretary*,
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REP. CHAS. W. MILLER,
REP. BENJ. H. BLACK.

On the part of the House.

NOTES TO BILL NO. 1.

This bill is aimed to promote efficiency and economy in the administration of the Executive Department of the State. There are two ideas in this bill, the first being to obtain some adequate general supervision over all departments and thus in public affairs obtain action based upon the interests of the state as a whole rather than upon the interests of any particular department. The second idea is to establish a Budget System for the purpose of making our expenditures more intelligent and more efficient.

There are a great many changes in the subordinate departments which we think would be advisable but we have thought best to simply put before the Legislature at this time the two great ideas above suggested, to-wit; Supervision and the Budget System and we have not interfered with the present organization in any of the subordinate departments any further than was necessary to do this.

We have attempted to establish a Cabinet for the Governor so far as possible until such time as the constitution be amended and permit the appointment of the Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Auditor of State and Attorney General.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Creating a Department of Social Progress, a Department of Industries, and a Department of Public Safety, and Providing for the Appointment of Superintendents Thereof and Prescribing the Rights, Powers, Duties and Compensation of the Superintendents of these Departments: Creating a Governor's Advisory Board and Transferring to the Said Board all the Powers, Rights, and Duties of the Executive Council, Abolishing the Executive Council, Providing for the Filing of Reports and the Editing and Publishing Thereof, Creating an Official Budget, Transferring to the Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety all Present Duties of the Secretary of State Relating to the Registration of Motor Vehicles, and Repealing all Laws in Conflict Herewith.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. There is hereby created a department to be known as the Department of Social Progress which shall include and have general supervision over the following present existing departments, to-wit: (a) The Department headed by the present Superintendent of Public Instruction; (b) The Board of Educational Examiners; (c) The State Library; (d) The Geological Survey; (e) The Historical Department; (f) The Historical Society of Iowa; (g) The Academy of Science; (h) The Public Archives; (i) The Library Commission; (j) The Board of Control; (k) The Board of Parole; (l) The Board of Education.

SECTION 2. There is hereby created a department to be known as the Department of Industries which shall include and have general supervision over the following present existing departments, to-wit: (a) The Department of Agriculture; (b) The Weather and Crop Bureau; (c) The State Veterinary Surgeon (d) The Commission of Animal Health; (e) The Horticultural Society; (f) The Inspector of Bees; (g) The State Entomologist; (h) The State Dairy Association; (i) The Beef Cattle Breeders' Association; (j) The State and County Fairs; (k) The Railroad Commission; (l) The Commerce Counsel; (m) The Commission of Insurance; (n) The Industrial Commissioner; (o) The Bureau of Labor Statistics; (p) The Department of Banking; (q) The Bank Examiners; (r) The County Examiners; (s) The City and Town Examiners; (t) The Public Accountant.

SECTION 3. There is hereby created a department to be known as the department of Public Safety which shall include and have general supervision over the following present existing departments; to-wit:

(a) The Attorney General; (b) The Adjutant General; (c) The State Militia; (d) The Fish and Game Warden; (e) The State Highway Commission; (f) The Custodian of Public Buildings and Property; (g) The Department of Capitol Extension; (h) The Land Office; (i) The Department of Meandered Lakes; (j) The Fire Marshall; (k) The Board of Health; (l) The Board of Medical Examiners; (m) The Board of Optometry Examiners; (n) The Board of Law Examiners; (o) The Board of Dental Examiners; (p) The Commission on Pharmacy; (q) The Veterinary Examining Board; (r) The Dairy and Food Commission; (s) The Examiners of the Dairy and Food Commission; (t) The Oil Inspectors; (u) The Inspectors of Boats; (v) The Mine Inspectors; (w) The Board of Examiners for Mine Inspection; (x) The Automobile Registration Department; (y) The Board of Voting Machine Commissioners.

SECTION 4. For the purpose of convenience, the various present existing departments and boards set forth in Section One (1), Two (2) and Three (3) hereof, are referred to in this Act as "subordinate departments" and any reference contained in this Act to each or any or all of these subordinate departments shall be liberally construed to cover the entire field of usefulness of any such or all of the said departments, including all subordinate officers and employees and all boards, officials and employees incidental to the same.

SECTION 5. The provisions of this Act shall be liberally construed for the purpose of accomplishing a more adequate supervision and administration of each and all subordinate departments or boards set forth in Sections One (1), Two (2) and Three (3) hereof.

SECTION 6. There is hereby created the office of Superintendent of the Department of Social Progress, who shall be appointed by the Governor and whose salary shall be \$5000.00 per annum and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Governor.

SECTION 7. There is hereby created the office of Superintendent of the Department of Industries, who shall be appointed by the Governor and whose salary shall be \$5000.00 per annum and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Governor.

SECTION 8. There is hereby created the office of Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety, who shall be appointed by the Governor and whose salary shall be \$5000.00 per annum and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Governor.

SECTION 9. The Superintendent of the Department of Social Progress shall have general supervision over each and all of the subordinate departments and employees and state officials referred to in Section One (1) hereof.

SECTION 10. The Superintendent of the Department of Industries shall have general supervision over each and all of the subordinate departments and employees and state officials referred to in Section Two (2) hereof.

SECTION 11. The Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety shall have general supervision over each and all of the subordinate de-

partments and employees and state officials referred to in Section Three (3) hereof.

SECTION 12. This right of supervision shall give to the said superintendents the right to full access to all meetings, conferences, offices and records of each and every one of the said departments, officials, boards or employees and including the right to demand and to receive at any time all facts, figures, records or information which the said superintendents shall ask for from any of the said officials, boards, or departments and including the right upon approval by the governor to reorganize any of the business methods of any of the said departments or officials or the system of records kept by such departments or officials and including the right upon approval by the Governor to employ clerical or stenographic help, or to discharge any such help or to transfer clerks and stenographers or assistance from one department to another whenever it shall be deemed advisable.

SECTION 13. The Superintendent of the Department of Social Progress, the Superintendent of the Department of Industries, the Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety, and the Governor shall constitute a board to be known as the Governor's Advisory Board and this board shall meet at least once a month and at such other times as the Governor may require, for the purpose of discussing the work of their departments and of conferring together regarding the general interests of the state of Iowa.

SECTION 14. Any and all reports which the law requires any of the subordinate departments, boards, or officials herein referred to, to prepare, submit or publish, shall be submitted in typewritten form to the Superintendent created by this Act and having supervision over that particular subordinate department, board or official, and such report shall be submitted at such a time or times as the superintendent created by this act and having supervision over that particular department, board, or official shall require.

SECTION 15. The Superintendent of the Department of Social Progress, the Superintendent of the Department of Industries, and the Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety shall file and preserve all reports presented to them by any of the subordinate departments, boards, or officials over which such superintendent has supervision and from the information contained in these reports and from such other information as they may have obtained, the Governor's Advisory Board shall edit and cause to be published a general report which shall cover all the departments, boards and officials subject to the supervision of this Act. Nothing herein shall be held to prevent the Governor's Advisory Board from causing to be published at any time and in such form as they deem wise any portion or all of the report of any of the subordinate departments, boards, or officials of this state when it shall be deemed to be of sufficient importance from an educational point of view or for the purpose of encouraging the development of any of the industries of Iowa, or for the purpose of public information. No reports shall hereafter be published by any department at the expense of the state of Iowa, except upon the order of the Governor's

Advisory Board as created by this act. Where the law provides for the filing of a report by any state department or official not enumerated in Sections One (1), Two (2), or Three (3) of this Act, such report shall be presented in typewritten form to the Governor's Advisory Board created by this Act and shall be edited and published by them in the same manner as provided herein for the reports of other subordinate departments.

SECTION 16. The present existing Executive Council shall continue in office until 12 o'clock midnight of the 30th day of June, 1915, and at which time each and all of the powers, rights, and duties of the said Executive Council shall pass to, and become vested in, the Governor's Advisory Board as created by this Act and which board shall at that time assume each and every one of the rights, duties, liabilities, powers and functions which the law does now or which the law may at that time vest in the Executive Council of Iowa. At that time all salaries now provided by law as compensation for service as members of the Executive Council except that provided for the Governor shall cease. The Secretary of the Executive Council shall become the Secretary of the Governor's Advisory Board and in the capacity shall perform such services as the board may require and shall receive the same compensation as fixed by law at the present time. He shall continue in office during the pleasure of the Board.

SECTION 17. The Governor's Advisory Board shall have the power to appoint a Secretary who shall receive the salary now fixed by law for the Secretary of the Executive Council and may appoint such additional clerks and stenographers, as they shall deem necessary for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of this Act. The Custodian of the Capitol shall furnish to them adequate and suitable quarters.

SECTION 18. On or before the first day of September in each even numbered year, each of the subordinate departments, boards, or official subject to the provisions of the Act, shall submit to the Superintendent at the head of that division or department, a complete financial statement which shall set forth, (a) The annual support of that department; (b) any special appropriations; (c) Total appropriations for that department; (d) total expenditures; (e) the balance unexpended; (f) the estimated needs for the coming biennial period, together with an explanation of the askings and such other details or information as the superintendent at the head of that division of department shall require.

SECTION 19. On or before the first day of November in each even numbered year the Superintendent of the Department of Social Progress, the Superintendent of the Department of Industries and the Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety, shall each submit to the Governor a general financial statement covering all the subordinate departments, boards and officials over which they have supervision and which shall contain a general summary of all the information disclosed by the separate financial statements submitted to them by the heads of each of the subordinate departments, together with such other information as the Governor may require.

SECTION 20. On the day fixed by law for the Governor to present to the General Assembly his official message, he shall at the same time submit to the General Assembly a budget which shall contain in detail general information and in general form his recommendation to the Legislature for appropriations for all the different departments and boards and state officials, together with such explanation thereof and such details as he may deem it wise to publish. The Governor shall not be required to read this but it shall be printed in the Journal as a part of his message to the General Assembly and shall be officially known as the Budget.

SECTION 21. Any committee of the General Assembly or of either House thereof shall have the right to call before it the Superintendent of the Department of Social Progress, the Superintendent of the Department of Industries, or the Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety, who shall each of them furnish to such legislative committee any and all information or records which may be desired and which it is possible for them to furnish.

SECTION 22. The Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety is hereby made the head of the Department of the Registration of Motor Vehicles and wherever in the law relating to the registration of motor vehicles any applications or reports are required to be made to the Secretary of State in relation thereto or any payments of fees to be made to the Secretary of State or any acts in relation therewith are required to be performed by the Secretary of State, and the same shall from and after the passage of this act be held to refer and to mean the Superintendent of the Department of Public Safety who shall hereafter assume all the rights, powers and duties which the law may have conferred upon the Secretary of State in relation to the registration of motor vehicles and the collecting of the fees for the same and the keeping of all records therefor.

SECTION 23. All acts and parts of acts conflicting herewith, are hereby repealed insofar as the same are in conflict with the provisions hereof.

SECTION 24. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

NOTES TO BILL NO. 2.

The purpose of this bill is to transfer to Iowa City the Geological Survey. As a matter of fact the law does not at this time fix a location for the Geological Survey, but by custom it has been established at Des Moines. It has been thought best to leave the method of appointment of the State Geologist by a board as the law now contemplates, rather than to absorb it as part of the Geological Department of the University for the reason that this Geological Survey covers a wide field of usefulness to the state outside of its association with any particular school. As at present organized all the schools of the state have somewhat of an interest in it and the students and professors of the different schools have each an equal opportunity to serve in this work.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend Section Two Thousand Four Hundred and Ninety-seven (2497) of the Code, Relating to the Geological Survey.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Two Thousand Four Hundred and Ninety-seven (2497) of the Code be amended by adding thereto the following:

"The Geological Survey shall be located at the University at Iowa City, and suitable quarters shall be provided by the President of the University."

NOTES TO BILL NO. 3.

This bill is absolutely self explanatory and is based upon the idea that it is the present duty of the State Board of Control to make a general investigation into modern methods of dealing with the criminal, defective, and insane classes and that this Board should be competent to take care of the work which is in the hands of the Board of Parole.

The Committee is in sympathy with the purpose for which the Board of Parole was established and this bill is not in any manner an attack, either upon the Board or upon that system; it is simply a business proposition to establish this work as a department under the State Board of Control where it would seem that it logically belongs.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Transfer to the State Board of Control All the Rights, Powers, Privileges, and Duties, of the Board of Parole, and Abolishing the Present Existing Board of Parole.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That at 12 o'clock P. M. on June 30th, 1915, the Board of Parole now existing in the State of Iowa as created by the law appearing in Section Five Thousand Seven Hundred Eighteen A-14 (5718-A14) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, shall cease to exist and the terms of appointment of all the members of said State Board shall terminate at that time. None of the powers, rights, privileges, or duties conferred by the present existing laws of the State of Iowa upon the Board of Parole shall lapse or be held to be void in any manner by reason of the passage of this act, but the same shall continue in full force and effect in all respects up to Twelve (12) o'clock P. M. of the Thirtieth Day of June, A. D., 1915, at which time all of the said powers, rights, duties and privileges shall pass to and become vested in the Board of Control as now created and existing under the laws of the State of Iowa, excepting only that the salaries provided by law for the members of the Board of Parole shall cease.

SECTION 2. That the Board of Control shall on and after that date assume, exercise, and carry out all of the said powers, rights, privileges, and duties, which the laws of the State of Iowa, now vest in the Board of Parole. At that time all books, records, office supplies and equipment, pertaining to the said Board of Parole or used by it shall be transferred to the Board of Control.

SECTION 3. The office of the Secretary of the Board of Parole as now established by law shall continue and he shall be known as the Secretary of the Department of Parole and shall in all respects on and after the date fixed in this act be under the jurisdiction and supervision of the Board of Control.

SECTION 4. Wherever in the Supplement to the Code, 1913, or the Acts of the Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, or Thirty-fifth General Assemblies, or elsewhere in the laws of the state of Iowa, reference is made to the Board of Parole the same shall on and after June 30th, A. D., 1915, be held to refer to and to mean the Board of Control.

SECTION 5. Any and all appropriations heretofore made for the use and benefit and support of the Board of Parole and its functions shall be available for the same uses under the authority of the Board of Control.

SECTION 6. This act being intended to preserve the functions and duties of the present existing State Board of Parole and for the further purpose of vesting the same in the present existing Board of Control as a department thereof for the purpose of economy, and efficiency, shall be liberally construed in order to accomplish those purposes.

NOTES TO BILL NO. 4.

This bill is for the purpose of making the Railway Commission appointive. Other than this there is no change in the law except that the term of office is made three years.

By making this change in the term of office it becomes certain that there will be at all times not less than two experienced men on the board, thus avoiding sudden changes in its personnel.

Senator Wilson does not endorse this change.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Repealing Section One Thousand and Sixty-eight (1068) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, and Also Repealing Section Two Thousand One Hundred and Eleven (2111) of the Code and Enacting a Substitute Therefor Relating to the Board of Railroad Commissioners.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Two Thousand One Hundred and Eleven (2111) of the Code be, and the same is, hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

“The board of railroad commissioners shall consist of three persons having the qualification of electors, who shall be appointed by the Governor and shall each hold office for three years and until their successors are appointed and qualified. The present incumbents shall continue in office until the expiration of the term for which they were originally elected or appointed and the vacancy created by the expiration of the term of the office of the commissioner whose term expires in January, 1917, shall be filled by the Governor, by appointment for a term of three years. The vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of office of one of the commissioners whose term expires in January, 1919, shall be filled by the Governor, by appointment for a term of

three years. The vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of office of one of the commissioners whose term expires in January, 1919, shall be filled by the Governor, by appointment for a term of five years. Thereafter the appointments shall be made for a uniform term of three years. Immediately after the new member has qualified, the board shall organize by electing one of its members as chairman, and appointing a secretary who shall take the same oath as the commissioners; but this, or a part of this, may be done at a subsequent meeting. Any person ineligible to the office of commissioner shall be ineligible to the office of secretary of the board. The board shall have power to employ such additional clerical help as it may find necessary. No person in the employ of any common carrier or owning any bonds, stock or property in any railroad company, or who is in any way or manner pecuniarily interested in any railroad corporation, shall be eligible to the office of railroad commissioner, and the entering into the employ of any common carrier, or the acquiring of any stock or other interest in any common carrier, by any officer under this chapter, after his election or appointment, shall disqualify him to hold the office and to perform the duties thereof."

SECTION 2. That Section One Thousand and Sixty-eight (1068) of the Supplement, to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed.

NOTES TO BILLS NO. 5 AND 6.

These two proposed amendments to the Constitution are submitted by the Committee for the consideration of the Legislature. Some of the members of the Committee have felt that it would be unwise to press these at this particular time but the Committee as a whole have felt that from a theoretical point of view they should be included in the report as it was hoped that ultimately the three new offices proposed to be created by this report could be consolidated with three of the present existing elective offices and in this way we could not only economize but obtain a better organized and better balanced executive department.

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. —.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing to Repeal Section Twenty-two (22) of Article Four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and to Enact a Substitute Therefor Relating to the Offices of Secretary of State, Auditor of State and Treasurer of State.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa be, and the same is, hereby proposed, to-wit: To repeal Section Twenty-two (22) of Article Four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and to adopt in lieu thereof the following, to-wit:

"A Secretary of State, Auditor of State, and Treasurer of State, shall be chosen in such manner as may be provided by the General Assembly and perform such duties and continue in office for such terms as may be provided by law. And the General Assembly may consolidate any two or more of these offices or may arrange for a consolidation of any

of these offices with any other offices or departments at its discretion."

That this Amendment to the Constitution when agreed to by a majority of the members of both Houses of the General Assembly shall be referred to the Legislature to be chosen at the next general election and shall be published as provided by law.

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. —.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing to Repeal Section One (1) of Article Twelve (12) of the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and to Enact a Substitute Therefor Relating to the Office of Attorney General.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the following amendment to the Constitution of the state of Iowa be and the same is hereby proposed, to-wit: To repeal Section One (1) of Article Twelve (12) of the Constitution of the State of Iowa and adopt in lieu thereof the following, to-wit:

"The General Assembly shall provide by law for the appointment of an attorney general, whose term of office and whose duties shall be prescribed by the General Assembly."

That this amendment to the Constitution, when agreed to by a majority of the members of both Houses of this General Assembly shall be referred to the Legislature to be chosen at the next general election and shall be published as provided by law.

NOTES TO BILL NO. 7.

This Bill is a necessary part of the plan offered by the Committee because it necessarily follows that if the Governor has no power of removal he would have no power to enforce the carrying out of his policies. In order to fix responsibility it is absolutely necessary to place this power of removal in his hands and there is no other place in the state where it can be vested with as much assurance that it will be used for the best interests of the people as a whole.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Repealing Section Twelve Hundred Fifty-Eight b (1258-b) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to the Removal of Appointive Officials and Commissioners and Enacting a Substitute Therefor, Conferring Upon the Governor the Power to Remove any Appointive Officer or Commissioner for Cause.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section Twelve Hundred Fifty-eight-b (1258-b) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof, to-wit:

Any official, superintendent, commissioner, member of a board or subordinate employee, of any of the departments of Government of the State of Iowa, referred to in Section Three (3) hereof, and whose tenure of office is derived by appointment either directly by the Governor or by any of the said boards, commissioners, or superintendents, may be removed by the Governor at any time, for cause, and after such hearing as the Governor may deem advisable.

SECTION 2. The right of the Governor to remove for cause any of the officials, commissioners, superintendents, members of boards, or other employees of the departments referred to in Section Three (3) hereof and whose tenure of office is derived by appointment either from the Governor directly or through any of the said officials, commissioners, superintendents or boards, shall be held to be a condition inherent in the tenure of the said office regardless of the fact that no such reservation may be made in the law creating the said office and regardless of that fact that a fixed term is by law provided for any such official.

SECTION 3. The provision of this Act shall apply to the following departments of the State of Iowa, to-wit: (1) The Department headed by the present Superintendent of Public Instruction; (2) The Board of Educational Examiners; (3) The State Library; (4) The Geographical Survey; (5) The Historical Departments; (6) The Historical Society of Iowa; (7) The Academy of Science; (8) The Public Archives; (9) The Library Commission; (10) The Board of Control; (11) The Board of Parole; (12) The Board of Education; (13) The Department of Agriculture; (14) The Weather and Crop Bureau; (15) The State Veterinary Surgeon; (16) The Commission of Animal Health; (17) The Horticultural Society; (18) The Inspector of Bees; (19) The State Entomologist; (20) The State Dairy Association; (21) The Beef Cattle Breeders' Association; (22) The State and County Fairs; (23) The Railroads Commission; (24) The Commerce Council; (25) The Commissioner of Insurance; (26) The Industrial Commissioners; (27) The Bureau of Labor Statistics; (28) The Department of Banking; (29) The Bank Examiners; (30) The County Examiners; (31) The City and Town Examiners; (32) The Public Accountant; (34) The Adjutant General; (35) The State Militia; (36) The Fish and Game Warden; (37) The State Highway Commission; (38) The Custodian of Public Buildings and Property; (39) The Department of Capitol Extension; (40) The Land Office; (41) The Department of Meandered Lakes; (42) The Fire Marshal; (43) The Board of Health; (44) The Board of Medical Examiners; (45) The Board of Optometry Examiners; (46) The Board of Law Examiners; (47) The Board of Dental Examiners; (48) The Commission of Pharmacy; (49) The Veterinary Examining Board; (50) The Dairy and Food Commission; (51) The Examiners of the Dairy and Food Commission; (52) The Oil Inspectors; (53) The Inspectors of Boats; (54) The Mine Inspectors; (55) The Board of Examiners for Mine Inspection; (56) The Automobile Registration Department; (57) The Board of Voting Machine Commissioners.

SECTION 4. All acts and parts of Acts conflicting herewith, are hereby repealed in so far as the same are in conflict with the provisions hereof.

SECTION 5. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

NOTES TO BILL NO. 8.

The purpose of this Bill is to prevent the building up of any political machine and the Bill is so drawn as to prohibit political activity within the Executive Department of the state, but at the same time to leave all state employees free to take that position which, as citizens they should take up in respect to national, judicial, county, city and school affairs.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Prohibit Political Activity Upon the Part of Certain Employees of the State and to Provide a Penalty Therefor and to Prohibit the Soliciting of Contributions for Election Expenses from Certain Employees of the State and Providing a Penalty Therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. All superintendents, heads of departments, members of boards, commissioners, or other employees of the state of Iowa, connected with any of the departments referred to in Section two, (2) of this Act, are hereby prohibited from soliciting or attempting in any manner to exert influence, either directly or indirectly, for the purpose of inducing other officers or employees of the state to adopt any political views or to favor any particular person or candidate for office and they are also hereby prohibited from contributing money or other things of value to any person or to any political committee, campaign committee, or party committee, whether the said committee is voluntary or whether the same is a regularly constituted party committee, for election expenses or for the purpose of assisting in the election of any person, or assisting in the success of any political party; provided however, that the prohibition stated in this section shall not be held to apply to the election of any candidates for office under the United States Government or to any elections for town, city, county, school or judicial officers and provided also that the provisions of this section shall not apply to any of the said superintendents, heads of departments, members of boards, commissioners, or any other employees whose compensation is upon a per diem basis and who are not receiving compensation from the state for more than fifty per cent of their time.

SECTION 2. The provisions of this Act shall apply to the following departments of the State of Iowa, to-wit: (1) The Department headed by the present Superintendent of Public Instruction; (2) The Board of Educational Examiners; (3) The State Library; (4) The Geological Survey; (5) The Historical Department; (6) The Historical Society of Iowa; (7) The Academy of Science; (8) The Public Archives; (9) The Library Commission; (10) The Board of Control; (11) The Board of Parole; (12) The Board of Education; (13) The Department of Agriculture; (14) The Weather and Crop Bureau; (15) The State Veterinary Surgeon; (16) The Commission of Animal Health; (17) The Horticultural Society; (18) The Inspector of Bees; (19) The State Entomologist; (20) The State Dairy Association; (21) The Beef Cattle Breeders' Association; (22) The State and County Fairs; (23) The Railroad Commission; (24) The Commerce Council; (25) The Commissioner of Insurance; (26) The Industrial Commissioner; (27) The

Bureau of Labor Statistics; (28) The Department of Banking; (29) The Bank Examiners; (30) The County Examiner; (31) The City and Town Examiners; (32) The Public Accountant; (34) The Adjutant General; (35) The State Militia; (36) The Fish and Game Warden; (37) The State Highway Commission; (38) The Custodian of Public Buildings and Property; (39) The Department of Capitol Extension; (40) The Land Office; (41) The Department of Meandered Lakes; (42) The Fire Marshall; (43) The Board of Health; (44) The Board of Medical Examiners; (45) The Board of Optometry Examiners; (46) The Board of Law Examiners; (47) The Board of Dental Examiners; (48) The Commission on Pharmacy; (49) The Veterinary Examining Board; (50) The Dairy and Food Commission; (51) The Examiners of the Dairy and Food Commission; (52) The Oil Inspectors; (53) The Inspector of Boats; (54) The Mine Inspectors; (55) The Board of Examiners for Mine Inspection; (56) The Automobile Registration Department; (57) The Board of Voting Machine Commissioners; together with any superintendents who may be created by law having supervision over any of the said departments.

SECTION 3. When it shall have been brought to the attention of the Governor that any such officer or officers have been guilty of a violation of the provisions of Section One (1) hereof, it shall be the duty of the Governor to at once cause an investigation to be made and if it appears that such officer has violated the provisions of Section One (1), he shall be at once removed from office by the Governor.

SECTION 4. Any person who demands or solicits from any official, superintendent, commissioner, member of a board, or subordinate employee of any of the departments of the Governor of the State of Iowa referred to in Section Two (2) hereof, a contribution of money or any other thing of value, for election purposes, or for the payment of the election expenses of any political committee or organization or for the purpose of promoting the candidacy of any person, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and punished accordingly.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend Sections Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M Five (1571-M 5), Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M Six (1571-M 6), Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M Fifteen (1571-M 15), Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M Seven (1571-M 7), and to Repeal Section Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M Twelve (1571-M 12) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to the Registration of Motor Vehicles.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M-5 (1571-M 5) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by inserting between the word "distinctive" and the word "number" in the sixth (6) line of said Section, the word "permanent".

SECTION 2. That Section Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M-6 (1571-M 6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following: "in making application for the renewal of registration, it shall be sufficient to identify the motor vehicle by a general reference to

the manufacturers' name and factory number, the name of the owner and the permanent number assigned to such car."

SECTION 3. That Section Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M-seven (1571-M 7) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"All registration fees herein provided for shall be and continue a lien against the motor vehicle for which the said fees are payable until such time as they are paid as provided by law, with any accrued penalty. The lien as to the original registration fee shall attach at the time the same is first payable, as provided by law, and the lien of all renewals of registration shall attach on January 1st of each year thereafter. The collection of the same may be enforced against the said motor vehicle as any other lien, or it may be collected by suit against the owner, who shall remain personally liable therefor until such time as he reports a transfer of said motor vehicle, or until such time as he reports that the same is out of use. On February 1st of each year, a penalty of ten per cent (10%), shall be added to all fees not paid by that date, and at that time the Secretary of State shall send to the County Attorney of each county a list of all motor vehicles in said county, together with the names of the owners thereof, as disclosed by his records, upon which registration fees have not been paid. It shall be the duty of the county attorney to collect these fees and the 10% penalty herein provided for shall be retained by the county attorney as his compensation in the matter. An additional penalty of ten per cent (10%), shall be added on the first day of March; an additional penalty of 5 per cent (5%), shall be added on the first day of each month thereafter until paid. On or before January first in each year the Secretary of State shall cause to be mailed to each owner of a motor vehicle subject to registration as disclosed by his records, a notice and blank for return calling attention to the penalty accruing in case of failure to pay.

SECTION 4. That Section Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M-Fifteen (1571-M 15) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the period following the word "section" in the ninth (9) line thereof.

SECTION 5. That Section Fifteen Hundred Seventy-one-M-Twelve (1571-M 12) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend Section One Hundred Twenty-three (123) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Regarding the Biennial Fiscal Period for the State.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section One Hundred Twenty-three (123) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section down to the semicolon after the word "following" in the third line thereof, and substituting therefor the following:

"The biennial fiscal term of the state which would otherwise have ended on the 30th day of June, 1915, is hereby extended so that the same shall end on the 31st day of December, 1915, and each succeeding biennial fiscal term shall commence on the first day of January in each even numbered year and shall terminate on the 31st day of December in each odd numbered year."

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 330, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s2 (1527-s2), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the state highway commission.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 331, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s11 (1527-s11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standard specifications.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 332, a bill for an act to provide funds for assisting in eliminating dangers at railroad crossings.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By unanimous consent, Senator Clarkson was given permission of the Senate to introduce the following bill for Senator Chase, who was absent on account of illness.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 333, a bill for an act to amend chapter 8-A, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers liability and workman's compensation repealing section 2447-m9 and subdivision thereof and inserting a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

Senator Kimball offered the following resolution.

SENATE RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, on the 30th day of January, 1915, the senate joint resolution No. 8 was by motion referred to special investigating committee of the senate with the instructions to take the matter up with the Governor and determine whether he approved of the additional help provided in said resolution, and,

WHEREAS, the said committee did on Feb. 17th, 1915, report the same back without recommendation and without reporting as to whether the Governor had approved the additional expenditures for the administrative offices of the state,

Now, therefore, *Be it Resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of Iowa*, that the said special committee to which said resolution was referred be and is hereby requested and instructed to make further report on or before Tuesday, the 23rd day of February, 1915, as to whether or not the Governor approves the said joint resolution No. 8 and the increase of the number of employes called for thereby and the expenditure of the necessary funds to pay the salaries of the same.

Passed on file.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. Monday, February 22d.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 22, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President pro tem, L. E. Crist, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. C. K. Morris, pastor of the Central Church of Christ, Marshalltown, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of citizens of Wapello county, urging repeal of the primary election laws.

Referred to committee on elections.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Boone, Iowa, urging passage of House File No. 196, in regard to electrical construction.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Garner, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 334, a bill for an act to provide for the terms and conditions under which claims of registers of voters may be audited and paid, to provide for inspection of the registration list of voters and to provide the punishment of attempts to prevent such inspection, to provide for a registry of signatures of voters at elections and to punish the making of false signatures, to provide for the formation of election precincts and

the size thereof in certain cities, and to amend section one thousand seventy-six (1076), section one thousand seventy-seven (1077) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section one thousand seventy-nine (1079), section one thousand eighty (1080), section one thousand eighty-two (1082), section one thousand eighty-four (1084) of the code, and to repeal section one thousand eighty-three (1083) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the registration of voters.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 335, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to rape and providing a punishment therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Savage, Senate File No. 336, a bill for an act making appropriation for the purchase of twenty thousand (20,000) copies of the railroad commissioners' official maps to be distributed by the railroad commission.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Fellows, Senate File No. 337, a bill for an act to classify one room rural schools and provide state aid for those meeting certain requirements, and making an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 338, a bill for an act relating to fees of clerks of district court acting as referees in probate under appointment by a judge of the district court.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Enger, Senate File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-a (2634-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the educational board of examiners.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on educational institutions.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 340, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school fund loans.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 341, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 343, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of the board of supervisors, by providing that no claim shall be allowed or paid unless it bears a reference to the law under which it is claimed.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 344, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county treasurers, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 345, a bill for an act to authorize the board of supervisors of Des Moines county to transfer all or part of an unexpended balance from the permanent road fund to the general county fund.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 24, a bill for an act making an appropriation to reimburse J. M. Tannehill, an employe of the Iowa school for the deaf, for loss of wages and expenses incurred by reason of an injury sustained in connection with his employment at said school on the 31st day of December, 1912.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 64, a bill for an act to amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-two (4999-a 32) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the sale of pure drugs.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 248, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for a levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 263, a bill for an act to legalize the transfer of the board of health fund of Washington township, Greene county, Iowa, to the township road fund of such township.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 277, a bill for an act to grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) or over, and organized, under title five (5), chapter fourteen (14), of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission in such cities the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines and inside of the curb lines and upon the public streets, to determine the location of permanent sidewalks and to assume charge, custody and control of all trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass and the planting and maintenance thereof on the public streets; and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof. Additional to chapter fourteen (14), title five (5) of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-six hundred ninety-one (2691) and twenty-six hundred ninety-two (2692) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa soldiers' orphans' home.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 329, a bill for an act to amend section sixteen hundred sixty (1660), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the purchase of real estate by the board of supervisors for county fair purposes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 330, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred eighty-two-t (2682-t), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the state board of education and the finance committee of said board of education.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 341, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Eversmeyer offered the following concurrent resolution:

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the time for sine die adjournment of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly be fixed for Saturday, April 3rd, 1915, at 12:00 o'clock noon.

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 24, a bill for an act making appropriation to reimburse J. M. Tannehill, an employe of the Iowa school for the deaf, for loss of wages and expenses incurred by reason of and injury sustained in connection with his employment at said school on the 31st day of December, 1912.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

House File No. 64, a bill for an act to amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-two (4999-a32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of pure drugs.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on pharmacy.

House File No. 248, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

House File No. 263, a bill for an act to legalize the transfer of the board of health fund of Washington township, Greene county, Iowa, to the township road fund of such township.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 277, a bill for an act to grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) or over, and organized under title five (5), chapter fourteen (14), of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission in such cities the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines and inside the curb lines and upon the public streets, to determine the location of permanent sidewalks and to assume charge, custody and control of all trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass and the planting and maintenance thereof on the public streets; and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof. Additional to chapter fourteen (14), title five (5) of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-six hundred ninety-one (2691) and twenty-six hundred ninety-two (2692) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa soldiers' orphans' home.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 329, a bill for an act to amend section sixteen hundred sixty (1660), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the purchase of real estate by the board of supervisors for county fair purposes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 330, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred eighty-two-t (2682-t), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the state board of education and the finance committee of said board of education.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on educational institutions.

House File No. 341, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the Joint Committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m-five (1571-m 5) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duplicate plates for automobiles.

Also:

House File No. 63, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor county, Iowa, two hundred to two hundred twenty-two, inclusive, said ordinances having been adopted by the town council of said town of Clearfield, Iowa, on July 17th, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 48, a bill for an act to permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to subscribe for stock of federal reserve bank and to invest funds therein and incur liability therefor and become members thereof.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessarily expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the high-

ways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highways, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Clarkson moved to reconsider the vote by which the committee amendment to section 3 was adopted.

Carried.

Senator Clarkson offered the following substitute for committee amendment to Section 3 and moved its adoption:

Amend section 3, by adding after the period following the word "agreement" in line 24 of the original bill, the following:

"Provided, however, that if by the change of any road herein contemplated, any part of the highway abandoned reverts to the owner of the land condemned, then and in that case the owner, by reason of the relocation of such highway, shall be entitled to such damages for the locating of such new highway which exceeds the damages sustained by reason of the old highway, taking into consideration the value of the premises immediately before and after such old road is abandoned and the new road established."

Adopted.

Amendment as substituted was adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that further consideration of the bill be deferred until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Motion lost.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

Doran, Gillette, Quigley—3.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Helmer, Kimball, Perkins, Ream, White of Iowa—6.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by striking from the last line of the same the words "of the".

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has requested the return of the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked:

House File No. 248, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Schrup, from the committee on claims, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, disallowing claims of certain citizens of the kingdom of Greece for damages alleged to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29th, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to judiciary committee No. 1 without recommendation.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

Senator Schrup moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was referred to the committee No. 1 on judiciary.

The Journal of February 19th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Allen moved that 500 additional copies of the Senate Journal of Saturday, February 20th, be printed.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 30, a bill for an act to amend section 4759 of the code relating to the crime of abortion, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the question, "Shall the report of the committee be adopted?" Senator Schrup moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the adoption of the report, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—9.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Darrah, Helmer, Larrabee, Perkins, Schrup, Taylor, White of Iowa—8.

So the report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball,

Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—32.

The nays were:

Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—11.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Darrah, Helmer, Larrabee, Perkins, Taylor, White of Iowa—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, Senator Allen withdrew Senate File No. 95 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings, was taken up and considered.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 145 by striking out of lines three and four of section 1, after the word "line" the following: "thirty (30), on page two hundred thirty-seven (237)," and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "thirty-one (31) of section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), Supplement to the Code, 1913,"

Amend by striking out of line six the word and figures "thirty (30)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "thirty-one (31)".

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in the House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Green, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Darrah, Farr, Frailey, Helmer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Savage, White of Iowa—10.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared concurred in.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 178, a bill for an act repealing sections fifteen hundred fifty-two (1552) and fifteen hundred fifty-five (1555) of the code, and the law as it appears in sections fifteen hundred fifty (1550) and fifteen hundred fifty-one (1551) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to labor by able bodied citizens upon public roads of the state and collection of poll taxes, and enacting a substitute therefor providing for payment of a road tax by all male citizens between certain ages, and giving authority for and prescribing method of collection thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend the title by striking out the word "all" in line seven (7) of the original bill.

Amend section 2 by adding at the end of said section the following: "Provided, however, that the township trustees may exempt from the said tax any indigent person upon whom the payment of said tax will work an undue hardship."

Amend section 3 by striking from line 2 of the original bill the word "send" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "mail."

Amend section 4 by striking out all of said section between the word "shall" in the third line of the original bill and the word "certify" in the sixth line thereof.

Amend section 5 by striking from lines 18 and 19 of the original bill the words "proper township" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "county".

Senator Arney offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill as printed by striking out of section 2, line five, the word "three" and insert the words "two and one-half" and strike out of line six, same section, the figures "\$3.00" and insert the figures "\$2.50."

Adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Allen, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—17.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Helmer, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Thomas, White of Iowa—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 346, a bill for an act providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof. This act being additional to title V of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 347, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-six (496), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to appointment and compensation of deputy county recorders, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 348, a bill for an act to provide for the permanent improvement of portions of the public highway outside the limits of cities and towns, and adjacent thereto, to create districts for such purpose, to provide for the voting of

taxes to pay for such improvement, to provide for plans and specifications for said improvement and the manner for constructing the same, to provide for the issuance of bonds in anticipation of taxes so voted, to provide for receiving donations in aid of such improvement, and to provide for the maintenance of such improvement after the construction thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 349, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s8 (1527-s8), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to road funds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Frailey, by request, Senate File No. 350, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two, three and four, title six, of the code, and chapter two-A, excepting sections ten hundred eighty-seven-a one, ten hundred eighty-seven-a two, ten hundred eighty-seven-a three, ten hundred eighty-seven-a four, ten hundred eighty-seven-a ten, ten hundred eighty-seven-a eleven, ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-four-a, ten hundred eighty-seven-a thirty-six, ten hundred eighty-seven-a thirty-seven, ten hundred eighty-seven-a thirty-eight, ten hundred eighty-seven-a thirty-nine, ten hundred eighty-seven-a forty-two, ten hundred eighty-seven-a forty-six, and chapter three-A, title six, supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, relating to the method and conduct of elections.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

On request of Senator Heald, unanimous consent was given by the Senate to return to the order of "House Messages Considered".

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 248, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.

Senator Crist moved that three hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 23 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Heald moved that the request of the House for the return of House File No. 248 be granted.

Carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Senator Wilson filed the following motion:

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 178 passed the Senate.

J. M. WILSON.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 23, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President pro tem of the Senate L. E. Crist, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. DeWitt Clinton, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Hampton, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of the Tri-City Labor Congress urging the enactment of the minimum wage and maximum hour law.

Referred to committee on labor.

Senator Wilson presented a remonstrance of The Commercial Association of Ottumwa, Iowa, opposing increase in railroad passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Appanoose county, favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Laffer presented a petition of citizens of Poweshiek county favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Missouri Valley, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Doran presented a petition signed by the Political Equality Club of Boone, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a child welfare station at the university of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Frailey presented a petition signed by the railroad employes and business men of Iowa urging the enactment of a law requiring all railroad companies operating within the state to pay their employes semi-monthly.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Enger presented a petition signed by the Farmers Mutual Telephone Company of Winneshiek county opposing House File No. 163, relating to control of telephone companies.

Referred to committee on telegraphs and telephones.

Senator Jones presented a remonstrance of citizens of Montgomery county, protesting against an increase in railroad freight and passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Jones presented a remonstrance of citizens of Malvern, Iowa, in regard to change of game laws.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines, Iowa, favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Clarkson presented a remonstrance of citizens of Pella, Iowa, protesting against enactment of laws giving telephone companies a perpetual franchise and against establishment of state commissioners.

Referred to committee on public utilities.

Senator Laffer presented a petition of citizens of What Cheer, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has reconsidered and refuses to concur in the Senate amendment to House concurrent resolution relative to adjournment on Thursday, February 25, 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings for removals of corporations for pecuniary profit.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 166, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-four hundred ninety-nine (3499) of the code, relative to the places where suits may be brought against insurance companies, and providing for the revocation of the authority of any foreign insurance company to transact business in this state, that shall commence or remove any suit or proceeding brought by or against it in any state court to any federal court.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 271, a bill for an act empowering and directing the Governor and Secretary of State to execute quit claim deeds conveying all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in and to the southwest quarter (S. W. 1-4) and the southwest quarter (S. W. 1-4) of the southeast quarter (S. E. 1-4) of section twenty (20), township seventy-nine (79), range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth p. m., Polk county, Iowa, to the successors in title of Nathaniel Rockhold and Reuben B. Ellis.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 129, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the compensation of township trustees as the same appears in section five hundred ninety (590) supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following joint resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House Joint Resolution No. 8, agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section seven (7) of article two (2) of said constitution and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 351, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a one (2727-a1), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the salary of members of the board of control.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 352, a bill for an act relative to certain public utilities, defining their duties, providing for a court procedure for the determination of controversies relative to their duties and their rights to operate in municipalities, and making provision for securing certain facts relative to services rendered by such public utilities and the cost thereof, and providing for the use of such facts by municipalities, etc.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public utilities.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 353, a bill for an act to prohibit the operation of trains of more than one-half mile in length, in railroad traffic, upon lines operated within the state of Iowa, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 354, a bill for an act amending sections 1683-a, 1683-c, and repealing 1683-e, and enacting a substitute therefor, and repealing 1683-q of the supplement to

the code, 1913, and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Parker, by request, Senate File No. 355, a bill for an act providing for the dismissal of actions and the right to bring the same a second time.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Parker, by request, Senate File No. 356, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-one hundred fifty-seven-g (2157-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to persons entitled to free transportation.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 357, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-seven (297), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings for renewals of corporations for pecuniary profit.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House Joint Resolution No. 8, a joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section seven (7) of article two (2) of said constitution and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

House File No. 166, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-four hundred and ninety-nine (3499) of the code, relative to the places where suits may be brought against insurance companies, and providing for the revocation of the authority of any foreign insurance company to transact business in this state, that shall commence or remove any suit or proceeding brought by or against it in any state court to any federal court.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 271, a bill for an act empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute quit claim deeds conveying all of the right, title, and interest of the state of Iowa in and to the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) and the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) of the southeast quarter (SE 1-4) of section twenty (20), township seventy-nine (79), range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth p. m., Polk county, Iowa, to the successors in title of Nathaniel Rockhold and Reuben B. Ellis.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 129, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the compensation of township trustees as the same appears in section five hundred ninety (590), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House Concurrent Resolution relative to adjournment on Thursday, February 25, 1915.

Passed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 222, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred ten (810) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the publication of preliminary notice of street improvements, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out section one (1) of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That Section Eight Hundred Ten (810) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same hereby is amended by substituting the word "five" in the eighth line thereof for the word "twenty" and by substituting the word "two" for the word "four" in the tenth line thereof, and by substituting the words "five days" in the eleventh line thereof for the word "two", and the word "two" for the word "four" in the twelfth line thereof, and by adding after the word "given" and before the word "by" in the tenth line thereof, the following words: "by hand bills posted in conspicuous places along the proposed line of said improvement, and".

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 118, a bill for an act to require pawnbrokers, junk dealers or dealers in second hand goods to report to the police the purchase or receipt of certain classes of goods, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of 45,000 or more, to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved highways along streets, avenues and highways, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Schrup, from the committee on claims, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) to indemnify George D. Shaw for personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital for the insane at Clarinda, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to appropriations committee with recommendation that the following amendment be adopted:

"Strike out the words and figures Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) in line three of Section 1 of the original bill and substitute in lieu thereof the words and figures Seventeen Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$1750)"; and when so amended the bill do pass.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Schrup, the report of the committee was adopted. So the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Senator Clarkson, from the committee on mines and mining, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on mines and mining, to whom was referred Senate File No. 160, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-four hundred ninety-five-b (2495-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, providing for the employment and examination of shot examiners and shot frers and defining their duties, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

That Section Two (2) be amended by adding thereto the following:

"That the hoisting engineer and some other competent person, familiar with the inside workings of the mine and capable of rendering assistance to the shot fireman in case of accident, shall be required to remain on duty at the mine until each shot fireman is out of the mine."

That Senate File No. 160 be amended by adding the following as section 8:

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect April 1, 1916.

JOHN T. CLARKSON,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Senator Perkins, chairman of the committee on the DeWolf-Grout contest, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee upon the contest of Sherman W. DeWolf, contestant, vs. Henry W. Grout, incumbent of the Thirty-eighth Senatorial District of Iowa, beg leave to report as follows:

That after due argument by counsel upon the legal questions involved in said issue had been duly argued, the committee deemed that there should be a recount of the votes and so ordered, whereupon said committee constituted J. E. Williams and W. M. Birdsall, attorneys for contestant, and O. B. Cortwright and E. H. McCoy, attorneys for incumbent, a canvassing board to recount the votes and agree upon the votes that each candidate was entitled to receive and, having recounted the votes of Black Hawk and Grundy counties, said canvassing board reported that they found no disputed ballots, that they found numerous and material errors made by the judges and clerks of election in canvassing the votes in thirty-three out of forty-seven voting precincts in said Thirty-eighth Senatorial District. Said canvassing board found that the contestant, Sherman W. DeWolf, received five thousand one hundred eighteen (5118) votes with which he should be credited and that the incumbent, Henry W. Grout, received five thousand one hundred fifty-eight (5158) votes with which he should be credited, making the plurality received by the incumbent over the contestant in the election held on the 3d day of Novem-

ber, 1914, in said Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, forty (40) votes. Said canvassing board submitted their report in detail, as is shown by the same, of the changes in the votes in the different precincts throughout the district. The report of said canvassing board having been made to your committee, your committee found that Henry W. Grout, incumbent, is entitled to his seat in this Assembly. The canvassing boards, consisting of the attorneys of contestant and incumbent, having canvassed the returns from the various precincts and having made their report to your committee, saving your committee all the trouble of counting said votes and making said returns, have saved the time of said committee and your committee herewith desires to submit a report to the Appropriations Committee of the Senate and recommend that a bill be prepared by the Committee on Appropriations to cover the costs of said contest including such sums as the committee shall deem just to the attorneys for contestant and incumbent.

Respectfully submitted,

ELI C. PERKINS
 FREDERIC LARRABEE
 E. P. FARR
 ADDISON M. PARKER
 F. P. HAGEMANN

On the adoption of the report of the committee the ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Ream, White of Iowa—11.

So the report of the committee was adopted.

President pro tem Crist declared Henry W. Grout the duly elected Senator from the thirty-eighth senatorial district.

Senator Perkins, from the special committee on the DeWolf-Grout contest filed the following supplemental report and moved that it be referred to the committee on appropriations.

To the committee on appropriations:

The committee, appointed by the President of the Senate, to consider the contest for the office of Senator of the Thirty-eighth District of Iowa, wherein Sherman W. Dewolf was contestant vs. Henry W. Grout, incumbent, beg leave to submit the following report to the committee on appropriations and ask said committee to prepare a bill for the expenses of said contest as has been heretofore the custom of this Senate. The committee appointed J. E. Williams and W. N. Birdsall, attorneys for the contestant, and O. B. Courtright and E. H. McCoy, attorneys for the incumbent, a committee to canvass the votes and make report of their findings of the same. Said committee canvassed the votes of the forty-seven (47) precincts in the Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, discovering mistakes in thirty-three (33) precincts but said mistakes were not of a nature to materially change the result of said contest but simply showed the justification for there being a contest of said election. Your committee asked the attorneys for the incumbent and contestant to submit a statement of their expenses to said contest which follows:

Williams & Clark, Drs.
1914
November 21, 22, 23.

Preparing notice and statement of contest and procuring service thereof, and filing same in the office of secretary of state.

1915
Jan. 11, 12, 13.
Feb. 1.

Preparing brief on questions involved in contest.

One day at Des Moines, consultation with contest committee, and having day fixed for hearing.

Feb. 10, 11, 12, 13.

Hearing before committee and services in re-count of votes.

Expense Account

To total services in above ...	\$175.00
Three trips to Des Moines, R. R. fare	13.76
Hotel bills, seven days	17.50

W. N. Birdsall, Dr.
1914
Nov. 21, 22, 23.

\$206.26

To office work and consultation in the matter of preparing statement of contest.

1915
Jan. 11, 12, 13.

To preparing brief of authorities on questions involved in contest.

Jan. 22, 23.

In re-appointment of committee of contest.

Feb. 3, 4.

Hearing at Des Moines before committee.

Feb. 10, 11, 12, 13.

Hearing at Des Moines before committee and services in re-count of votes.

To total services in above ... \$175.00

Expenses	Railway fare, hotel bills and telephone, three trips to Des Moines, eight days	36.50
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		\$211.50

O. B. Courtright, Dr.

To drafting motion to strike and quash, to drafting amend- ment to motion, to drafting plea, abatement and answer. To examining record in court house, to preparing evidence, to brief- ing the law and preparing for trial. And to seven days service at Des Moines arguing question of law and in counting the bal- lots		\$175.00
Railroad fare		12.72
Parlor car		1.75
Hotels and meals		18.05
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Total		\$207.52

E. H. McCoy, Dr.

To drafting motion to strike and quash, to drafting amendment to motion, to drafting plea, abatement and an- swer. To examining record in court house, to preparing evi- dence and to briefing the law and preparing for trial. And to seven days service at Des Moines, arguing question of law and in counting the ballots		175.00
Railroad fare		12.72
Parlor car		1.75
Hotel and meals		16.65
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Total		\$206.12

G. L. Eggleston, Auditor of Grundy County, Dr.

To Henry G. Wald for hauling ballots to Reinbeck	\$	3.50
To express on ballots from Reinbeck to Des Moines		2.45
Car fare from Reinbeck to Des Moines		1.64
Meals and lodging		3.75
Car fare from Des Moines by Iowa Falls to Grundy Center..		2.37
Returning ballots		1.75
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		\$15.46

Also two days time (Feb. 3, 4)		?
J. J. Rainbow, Auditor of Black Hawk County, Dr.		
Express on ballots to Des Moines		\$4.37
Returning ballots by freight		1.74
R. R. fare, 212 miles		?
Three days time (Feb. 3, 9, 10)		?
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R. S. Taft, Deputy Auditor of Grundy County, Dr.		
R. R. Fare, 220 miles		?
Two days time (Feb. 10, 11)		?
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William Bockes, Sheriff of Grundy County, Dr.	
To serving notice on G. L. Eggleston.....	\$.70
D. B. Henderson, Sheriff of Black Hawk County, Dr.	
To serving notice on J. J. Rainbow.....	\$.50
Henry W. Grout, Dr.	
To telephone charges to Grundy Center and Waterloo, Feb.	
ruary 20	\$ 1.00

ELI C. PERKINS,
Chairman.

Motion carried.

On request of Senator Parker leave of absence was granted Senator Helmer for the day.

On request of Senator Fellows leave of absence was granted Senator Balkema for remainder of the week.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Eversmeyer called up for consideration the concurrent resolution offered by him on February 22d, relative to the final adjournment of the 36th general assembly on April 3d, 1915, and moved the adoption of the resolution.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by changing date of adjournment from April 3d, 1915, to April 17th, 1915.

Senator Francis moved that further consideration of the resolution be deferred to Monday, March 15, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and that consideration of the resolution be made a special order for that time.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following Senate joint resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

W C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution for the appointment of a committee to investigate fire protection and needed repairs of the Capitol and surrounding state buildings, who shall report to the Senate and the House not later than fifteen days from date of the appointment.

Appointed by Speaker of the House: Michael of Woodbury, Gilbert of Marshall, Darrah of Franklin.

W. C. RAMSAY
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to placing an inscription on the Iowa building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco, showing that the building was erected by the Greater Iowa Association.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 209, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgages executed by attorney in fact, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the word "instruments appearing as the third word in the first line of the body of the act as it appears in the original bill and substituting therefor the word "instrument", and by inserting after the word "instruments" in the eighth line of the body of the original act the words "heretofore filed for record".

Adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Helmer, Henigbaum, Thomas, White of Iowa, Wilson—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 250, a bill for an act to punish the fraudulent giving of checks or drafts upon any bank or banking association and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out Section 2.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by changing the word "checks" to the word "check" in the third line thereof.

Adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Strike out all after the word "imprisonment" in line 6 and add a period (.).

Senator Enger moved that the bill be recommitted to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

Senator Wilson moved that further consideration be deferred until Monday, March 8th, and made a special order for 10:30 a. m. on that date.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following joint resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Thomas asked unanimous consent to call up for consideration at this time House Concurrent Resolution relative to adjournment on Thursday, February 25, 1915.

Unanimous consent was granted.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate recede from its amendment to the House Concurrent Resolution under consideration.

Motion carried.

The Senate concurred in House Concurrent Resolution.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Senator Clarkson filed the following motion:

I move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in House concurrent resolution to adjourn Thursday, February 25, 1915, until March 4, 1915.

President pro tem Crist announced the receipt of a communication requiring an executive session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Carried.

Senate went into executive session.

Senate arose from executive session.

Senate resumed regular session.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 358, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand eleven (4011) relating to the exemption of personal earnings and to prevent garnishment of wages and regulating the same and providing a forfeiture for garnishment of wages without notice and while the debtor is paying any other judg-

ment, and providing a method of procedure without costs in wage exemption cases.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on commerce and trade.

By Senator Savage, Senate File No. 359, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a) supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Heald moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 24, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. E. E. Reed, President of Lenox College, Hopkinton, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Sac county, urging passage of House Files Nos. 245 and 246, in regard to compensation of county treasurers and qualifications and compensation of deputy treasurers.

Referred to committee on county and township affairs.

Senator Jones presented remonstrance of citizens of Montgomery county, protesting against increase in freight or passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Schrup presented a petition of Dubuque Trades & Labor Congress and other labor organizations, favoring thirteen bills enumerated in the petition.

Referred to committee on labor.

Senator Robinson presented a remonstrance of citizens of Mason City, Iowa, protesting against change in the present exemption laws.

Referred to committee on commerce and trade.

Senator Chase presented a petition signed by the Wright County Farm Improvement Association urging passage of Senate File No. 161.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

On request of Senator Gillette leave of absence was granted Senator Kimball for the balance of the week.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 10:10.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Henigbaum, by request, Senate File No. 360, a bill for an act to amend section five thousand seventy-one (5071) of the code, relating to the unlawful wearing of badges.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

By unanimous consent, Senator Savage was given permission of the Senate to introduce the following bill for Senator Kimball, who had been excused by the Senate.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 361, a bill for an act providing for the construction by the board of control of extension of street paving of the city of Council Bluffs through the grounds of the Iowa school for the deaf.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 362, a bill for an act providing for the organization and incorporation of home banks incorporated, defining the powers of the directors, specifying the nature and character of the investments to be made, limiting the liabilities of the stock holders, limiting the salaries to be paid its officers, limiting the dividends to be paid the stock holders, providing for the disposition of the surplus, making provision for the encouragement of home ownership and providing funds with which to make chattel loans and that class of loans now made by loan sharks.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:15 a. m.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 363, a bill for an act to regulate the charging of demurrage by common carriers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 364, a bill for an act to amend section twenty hundred seventy-seven (2077) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to rates which may be charged by railway companies for transportation of passengers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Thomas, Senate Joint Resolution No. 12.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa by Repealing Section Nine (9) of Article One (1) of Said Constitution, and the Enactment and Adoption of a Substitute Therefor, Relating to and Providing for Trial by Jury and Prohibiting the Taking of Life, Liberty or Property Without Due Process of Law.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the following amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa is hereby proposed, to wit:

"Repeal section nine (9) Article One (1) of the Constitution of the state of Iowa, and in lieu thereof enact and adopt the following, to wit:

'SEC. 9. The right of trial by jury shall remain inviolate; but the general assembly may authorize trial by a jury of a less number than twelve (12) electors in inferior courts. In all civil cases and proceedings, in both courts of record and inferior courts, the general assembly may authorize a valid verdict by not less than five-sixths (5-6) of the jury duly and legally empaneled. No person shall be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law.'"

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Perkins, by request, Senate File No. 365, a bill for an act repealing section two thousand seventy-seven (2077) of the code, as amended by chapter one hundred two (102) of the acts of the thirty-second general assembly, increasing passenger rates in the state of Iowa, and granting to the Iowa Board of Railroad commissioners additional powers as to fixing and determining the the passenger rates for railroad carriers in Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 366, a bill for an act to amend section forty-six hundred three (4603) of the code by providing for the cross-examination of the adverse party to the record of any civil action or proceeding, or the agent or employee of said

party or one in privity with such party, or a person for whose benefit an action or proceeding is prosecuted or defended, or directors, officers, superintendent, or managing agents of any corporation which is a party to the record, and providing that the party calling such witness shall not be bound by his testimony, and that the testimony of such witness may be rebutted by the party calling such witness by other evidence; all relating to evidence in civil actions and proceedings.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 367, a bill for an act to repeal section forty-six hundred sixty (4660) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distance witnesses in civil cases can be compelled to go to attend district or superior courts of the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Fleck, Senate File No. 368, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter one hundred thirty-eight (138) of the acts of the thirty-third general assembly, defining what constitutes a tight partition fence.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

Journals of February 12, 20, 22 and 23d were taken up, corrected and approved.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Wilson offered the following concurrent resolution:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House Concurring, That in common with all people of the civilized world, we deplore the war horror now devastating the great countries of Europe, with its untold sacrifice of life and treasure; and that we urge upon the congress of the United States, in the name of Christianity and humanity, the necessary legislation that shall lead to the appointment of a Peace Commission, to be composed of former Presidents Theodore Roosevelt and William Howard Taft and three additional members to be named by the President of the United States. That said commissioners shall be empowered to take such action as they may deem proper to the end that an agreement may be made and entered into by and between the warring nations for an immediate armistice, looking to a universal and lasting world peace.

And be it further resolved, That copies of this resolution, properly engrossed and signed by the presiding officers of the Senate and the House, be forwarded to United States Senators Albert B. Cummins and William S. Kenyon for their consideration.

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state.

Passed on file.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

Passed on file.

Senate concurrent resolution for the appointment of a committee to investigate fire protection and needed repairs of the capital and surrounding state buildings, who shall report to the Senate and House not later than fifteen days from date of the appointment.

Appointed by Speaker of the House:

Michael of Woodbury, Gilbert of Marshall, Darrah of Franklin.

President appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate:

Senators Farr and Henigbaum.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 161, a bill for an act to amend paragraph five of section four hundred twenty-two (422) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to building or repair of county buildings beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out the words and figures five thousand in line seven and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures two thousand, and by striking out in line eleven the word "reputable."

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend section 253 and section 254-a2 of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the reimbursement of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters for their actual transportation and expenses beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 183.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend the Law as the Same Appears in Section Two Hundred Fifty-three (253) and Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a-2 (254-a-2) of the supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to Compensation of Judges of the District Court and Shorthand Reporters.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as the same appears in section Two Hundred fifty-three (253) Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said section the following:

"Where a judge of the district court is required, in the discharge of his official duties, to leave the county of his residence or leave the city or town of his residence to perform such duties, he shall be paid such actual and necessary expenses incurred by reason thereof, including transportation, hotel and living expenses, in all not to exceed the sum of Three (§3) Dollars per day. An itemized expense account shall be certified by the party entitled thereto to the Auditor of State, which account shall be rendered quarterly and shall be paid in the same manner as the salary of such judges."

SECTION 2. That the law as the same appears in section two hundred fifty-four-a-2 (254-a-2) Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"Where a shorthand court reporter is required, in the discharge of his official duties, to leave the county of his residence or leave the city or town of his residence to perform such duties, he shall be paid his actual and necessary expenses incurred by reason thereof, including transportation, hotel and living expenses, in all not to exceed the sum of Three (§3) Dollars per day, which account shall be itemized and certified to the County Auditor of the County in which such expenses are incurred, and shall be paid in the same manner as the per diem of such reporter is paid."

SECTION 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Daily Nonpareil, a newspaper published in the City of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 192, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred ninety (490) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and their duties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 49, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred seventy-nine (479) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Nye, from the committee on public lands, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate File No. 3, a bill for an act to punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. D. NYE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public lands, to whom was referred Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in Chapter 2-b, title 14, Supplement to the Code 1913, relating to sale and leasing of meandered lake beds and for conservation of same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Strike from the seventh line the word "other" and by inserting after the word beds and before the word shall in the seventh line the words "not sold prior to January 20, 1915."

A. D. NYE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 161, a bill for an act to repeal sections sixteen hundred eighty-three-k (1683-k) etc., etc., relating to corporations for the improvement of agriculture, animal husbandry and horticulture, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DOBAN,
Chairman.

. By unanimous consent, placed on Calendar.

Senator L. E. Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 317, a bill for an act to amend Section Ten Hundred Eighty Seven-a-Twenty One (1087-a21) Supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 157, a bill for an act authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter (1-4) of the southwest quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16), township seventy-three (73), north of range eighteen (18), west of the Fifth P. M., Monroe county, Iowa, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same to be amended as follows:

Amend Senate File No. 157 by striking out the word "Of" in line three (3) of the title, and when so amended do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 11, a bill for an act to amend Section Thirty-three hundred eight (3308) of the Supplement to the Code Nineteen Hundred Thirteen (1913) relating to releasing liens by foreign administrators, executors, and guardians, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 55, a bill for an act to legalize decrees obtained prior to January Fifteenth Nineteen Hundred Fifteen (1915), in cases against unknown claimants, defendants, where the notice was entitled in the initial or initials of the plaintiff instead of his christian or given name, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand sixty-a one hundred twenty (3060-a120), Supplement to the Code, 1913, relative to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable instrument, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 259, a bill for an act to legalize all the election of the town of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello and State of Iowa, and all acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all ordinances and resolutions or amendments thereto, passed by the town council of said town, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President of the Senate announced that, as president of the Senate, he had signed in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 63 and 48.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, a joint resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the thirty-sixth general assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the substitute for the original resolution be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Doran offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the resolution by substituting the name of J. B. Carman for the name of H. W. Riddle, the salary of J. B. Carman to begin February 25, 1915.

Lost.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, by striking out all of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, a sum sufficient to make payment for the services heretofore and to be rendered up to and including the 4th day of March, 1915, at seventy dollars (\$70.00) per month, by J. W. Coates, W. M. Pointer, A. Fisher, H. W. Riddle and S. W. Wright, as assistants to the Custodian. That after said date the committee on retrenchment and reform, are hereby required to designate four (4) persons from the list of extra help of the Senate to fill such positions."

Senator Boe moved that the pending resolution and amendment be re-referred to the committee on retrenchment and reform.

Senator Wilson moved that the motion to re-refer be laid on the table.

Lost.

The motion to re-refer to the committee on retrenchment and reform prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

House File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the code, 1913, granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks by gift, devise or bequest.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 16, a bill for an act additional to and amendatory of the law as it appears in title III, chapter 5 B, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for medical and surgical treatment and hospital care of children who are afflicted with any malady or deformity which can probably be remedied, whose parents, or other persons chargeable with their support, are unable to provide such treatment and care, providing for payment of the expenses thereof, and conferring upon juvenile courts jurisdiction and certain powers in such cases, and conferring additional powers upon the Board of Control of State Institutions and the State Board of Education relative to the commitment of inmates of institutions under their control to the Medical College of the State University.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 148, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-six-a (256-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and terms of judges of the superior court.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Substitute for Senate File No. 6, a bill for an act to repeal section one (1) of chapter one hundred six (106) of the acts of the thirty-fourth (34th) general assembly of the state of Iowa, and to repeal the law as same appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-eight

(2478) supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 159, a bill for an act to authorize, direct and enable W. S. Allen, secretary of state to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain lands.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 328, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of monuments.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 306, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand nine hundred sixty-three-1 (2963-1) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the legalizing of conveyances of real estate in certain cases.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 310, a bill for an act to require that all unexpended balances of certain appropriations made for specific purposes, and which purposes have been fully carried out, or abandoned, be transferred to the general revenue fund of the state, and to provide the provisions which should govern such transfer.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 264, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Bloomfield, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 253, a bill for an act to amend sections fourteen hundred fifty-eight (1458) and fourteen hundred sixty-one (1461) of the code, relating to the settlement with the county treasurer, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

Quigley—1.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Farr, Gillette, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Doran, Senate File No. 277, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a twenty-one (1989-a21) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating the jurisdiction of boards of supervisors over drains, and to provide for the termination of the jurisdiction of boards of supervisors over drains, and to provide for the method of terminating such jurisdiction, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shecan, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—24.

The nays were:

Chase, Darrah, Doran, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Perkins, Ream, White of Benton—10.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Frailey, Kimball, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—16.

So the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 314, a bill for an act making an appropriation to enable the state railroad commission to investigate, prepare and prosecute cases in resistance to advances asked by the carriers in the western advance rate cases before the interstate commerce commission, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding at end of section one (1) the following: "An itemized account shall be rendered to the executive council of all sums expended under the provisions of this act.

Adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shecan, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—43.

The nays were:

Hagemann—1.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Foster, Kimball, Laffer, Quigley, Wilson—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 369, a bill for an act to provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate Joint Resolution No. 13.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa Empowering the General Assembly to Provide for a System of Registering, Transferring, Insuring and Guaranteeing Land Titles by the State or the Counties Thereof, and Settling and Determining Adverse or Other Claims to Such Lands, and to Provide for the Creation of a Guaranty Fund in Connection with Such System and to Empower and Authorize the General Assembly to Confer Judicial Power on Officers Charged with Duties Under Such System.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa be and the same is hereby proposed: To add, as section forty (40) to article three (3) of said Constitution, the following, to-wit:

"SECTION 40. The general assembly shall have power to provide for a system of registering, transferring, insuring and guaranteeing land titles by the state or by the several counties thereof and for settling and determining adverse or other claims to, and interest in lands, the titles of which are so registered, insured or guaranteed and to provide for the creation and collection of guaranty funds by fees to be assessed against lands, the titles to which are so registered, and the general assembly shall have power, in the creation of such system, to confer judicial power upon such officers charged with duties under such system as it may deem advisable, provided the right to appeal from the judgments, decisions and orders of such officer or officers is preserved."

SECTION 2. That the foregoing amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa be, and the same is hereby referred to the legislature to be

chosen at the next general election for members of the general assembly, and that the secretary of state cause the same to be published as provided by law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

By Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 370, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts and the number of judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial district.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on congressional and judicial districts.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 371, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand two hundred eighty-one (3281), of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the disposition of property where the devisee dies before the testator.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Hagemann, from the committee on federal relations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on federal relations, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, memorializing Congress to call a convention for the purpose of amending the Constitution of the United States, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. P. HAGEMANN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

The President announced the receipt of the following communication which was read and ordered printed in the Journal:

Council Bluffs, Iowa, February 22, 1915.

To the President of the Senate, Des Moines, Iowa.

Gentlemen—The soldiers of Iowa have for many years endeavored to have a new location selected for the Iowa Soldiers' Monument. They have for years been before the Iowa Legislature, but failed to obtain any action until the passage of the law for the extension of the Capitol grounds, which provided for its location in the middle of Capitol avenue, two blocks east of the Capitol.

This is an ideal location, and will give the monument a proper surrounding and a commanding appearance, and do away with the general criticism of the present location, which has also caused many criticisms on the monument itself.

The veterans supposed that the Extension Act authorized the monument's removal, and at the State National Encampment of the G. A. R. at Des Moines, they passed a resolution approving of the law passed by the Legislature. And at the Second Grand Reunion of all the soldiers of Iowa last May, I explained to them the action of the Legislature, and pointed out the new location, and they unanimously and with great applause also approved of the new location, many of them visiting the Capitol and examining the plans.

We supposed the Extension Act gave full authority for the removal of the monument to the new location, but the Governor thinks that it needs an affirmation of the Legislation, directing its removal to the place designated in the Capitol Extension plans.

And I ask, in compliance with the wishes and action of the Iowa veterans, that the Legislature pass such an act as is necessary to insure the immediate removal of the monument to its new location.

My health is such that it does not permit me to visit the Capitol, and I submit this appeal to the Legislature by letter, feeling and knowing it is only necessary to explain to the Legislature the present condition and necessity, for them to act.

I am respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

GRENVILLE M. DODGE.

Senator Hilsinger moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Senator Caswell moved to amend the motion to make time of adjournment until 2 p. m. today.

Motion lost.

Motion by Senator Hilsinger prevailed.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, FEBRUARY 25, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. H. T. Leach of Kent, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Ream presented a petition of citizens of Mahaska county, urging amendment of House File No. 276, so as to exempt Christian science practitioners from its provisions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Arney presented a remonstrance of citizens of Marshalltown, Iowa, against change in the present exemption laws of the state.

Referred to committee on commerce and trade.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Floyd and Chickasaw counties favoring increased aid to county and district fairs.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Clarkson presented a petition of citizens of Menlo and Guthrie Center, Iowa, endorsing the bill for a "New Transfer Law".

Referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

Senator Fleck presented a petition of citizens of Jasper county relating to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 7, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred forty-eight (2448) of the supplement to the code, 1913, section twenty-four hundred forty-nine (2449), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred fifty (2450), and twenty-four hundred fifty-one (2451), of the supplement to the code, 1913, sections twenty-four hundred fifty-two (2452), twenty-four hundred fifty-three (2453), twenty-four hundred fifty-four (2454), twenty-four hundred fifty-five (2455), twenty-four hundred fifty-six (2456), twenty-four hundred fifty-seven (2457), twenty-four hundred fifty-eight (2458), twenty-four hundred fifty-nine (2459), twenty-four hundred sixty (2460), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one (2461), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred sixty-one-c (2461-c), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-d (2461-d), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-e (2461-e), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-h (2461-h), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-j (2461-j), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-k (2461-k), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 7, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred forty-eight (2448) of the supplement to the code, 1913, section twenty-four hundred forty-nine (2449), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred fifty (2450), and twenty-four hundred fifty-one (2451) of the supplement to the code, 1913, sections twenty-four hundred fifty-two (2452), twenty-four hundred fifty-three (2453), twenty-four hundred fifty-four (2454), twenty-four hundred fifty-five (2455), twenty-four hundred fifty-six (2456), twenty-four hundred fifty-seven (2457), twenty-four hundred fifty-eight (2458), twenty-four hundred fifty-nine (2459), twenty-four hundred sixty (2460), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one (2461), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred sixty-one-c (2461-c), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-d (2461-d), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-e (2461-e), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-h (2461-h), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-j (2461-j), twenty-

four hundred sixty-one-k (2461-k), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 248, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 152, a bill for an act to repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-fifty-two-a (1989-a52a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 98, a bill for an act to authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, delinquents or defectives.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 113, a bill to amend the law relating to the compensation of township clerks, as the same appears in section five hundred ninety-one (591) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 372, a bill for an act to repeal section thirteen (13) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the compensation of the officers and employes of the general assembly, and providing for the number which may be employed.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

By Senator Darrah, Senate File No. 373, a bill for an act relating to the erection of soldiers' monuments in parks or public squares.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

By Senator Darrah, Senate File No. 374, a bill for an act enabling any elector to vote at any general, special, primary, county, city, or town election, when absent, or anticipating being absent, on the day of such election from the county in which he is an elector, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 375, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-twenty-four (2215-f24), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-twenty-five (2215-f25), and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-twenty-seven (2215-f27) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 376, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f ten (2215-f10), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f fifteen (2215-f15), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f seventeen (2215-f17), and to repeal section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f forty-three (2215-f434) and to enact a substitute therefor, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 377, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f four (2215-f4) and section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f four-teen (2215-f14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

HOUSE FILE SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House File No. 79.

President Harding before signing Senate File No. 7 called attention to the following errors in the bill and the title thereto as it passed the Senate and House: In line two of the title the words "of the" following the figures "2448;" in line three of the title the figures "1897" after the word "code"; in line five of the title the words "of the" following the figures "2451"; in line ten of the title the figures "1897" following the word "code"; in line fourteen of the title the words "of the" before the word "supplement". In line three of the bill the figures "1897" following the word "code"; in line nine of the bill the figures "1897" following the word "code"; in line twelve of the bill the capital "I" following the word "one"; in line thirteen of the bill the capital letter "K" following the word "one"; and in line thirteen of the bill the words "of the" preceding the word "supplement."

SENATE FILE SIGNED.

President Harding announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate File No. 7.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f thirty-one (2215-f31) and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f thirty-six (2215-f36), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f forty-two

(2215-f42), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

By Senator Ream, Senate File No. 380, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-seven hundred thirty-nine (2739), twenty-seven hundred fifty-four (2754), twenty-seven hundred sixty-two (2762), twenty-eight hundred and eight (2808), twenty-eight hundred and twelve-f (2812-f), and twenty-eight hundred and twenty-f (2820-f) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and sections twenty-seven hundred fifty-nine (2759), twenty-seven hundred sixty (2760), twenty-seven hundred sixty-six (2766), and twenty-eight hundred eleven (2811) of the code, and to repeal section twenty-eight hundred ten (2810) of the code, and sections twenty-seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), twenty-seven hundred sixty-eight (2768), and twenty-seven hundred sixty-nine (2769) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to abolish the office of school treasurer and provide that the county treasurer shall perform the duties of said officer.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Ream, Senate Joint Resolution No. 14.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14.

JOINT RESOLUTION Agreeing to a Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa Relating to Legislative Authority; Providing for the Initiative and Referendum with Reference to the Enactment of Laws, and Amendments to the Constitution as Found in and Proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 5 of the Resolutions of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

WHEREAS, by house joint resolution number five (5) of the resolutions of the thirty-fifth general assembly, which resolution was approved April 17, 1913, an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa was proposed, and,

WHEREAS, the said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the house of representatives of the said thirty-fifth general assembly and entered upon its journal at pages fourteen hundred thirteen (1413), fourteen hundred fourteen (1414), fourteen hundred fifteen (1415) and fourteen hundred sixteen (1416) thereof, and was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the senate of said general assembly and entered upon its journal at pages twenty-one hundred seventy-five (2175), twenty-one hundred seventy-six (2176), twenty-one hundred seventy-seven (2177) and twenty-one hundred seventy-eight (2178) thereof, and,

WHEREAS, the said resolution has been published as provided by law and has now been referred to this, the thirty-sixth, general assembly, now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That the proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of Iowa as contained in and proposed by said house joint resolution number five (5) of the resolutions of the thirty-fifth general assembly, which resolution including its title was and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit: "JOINT RESOLUTION To Amend the Constitution Relating to Legislative Authority; Providing for the Initiative and Referendum with Reference to the Enactment of Laws, or Laws Enacted by the General Assembly, and Amendments to the Constitution."

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. The legislative authority of this state shall be vested in a general assembly which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives, and the style of every law shall be, "Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Iowa", but the people reserve unto themselves the right and power to propose laws, to enact, approve or reject the same at the polls, independent of the general assembly, and reserve the right and power to approve or reject any item, section or part of any act enacted by the general assembly, except otherwise provided by this section. The general assembly shall fix the number of qualified electors required to propose the enactment of any proposed law, which shall be not less than twelve (12%) per cent nor more than twenty-two (22%) per cent of the qualified electors of each of the congressional districts of the state. Every law proposed by the people shall be presented by petition, signed by the required number of qualified electors, addressed to and filed with the secretary of state not less than one hundred and fifty (150) days before the general election at which the proposed law shall be submitted. The petition shall contain the full text of the proposed law, with title and enacting clause.

If the proposed measure be to enact a law, the enacting clause shall be as follows: "Be it enacted by the people of the state of Iowa."

The right and power to initiate and enact laws shall be restricted within the same constitutional limitation as apply to the general assembly.

The required number of qualified electors required to exercise the right and power to require an act passed by the general assembly to be referred for approval or rejection shall be fixed by the general assembly, but shall not be less than ten (10%) per cent nor more than twenty (20%) per cent of the qualified electors of each of the congressional districts of the state. Petitions therefor shall be addressed to and filed with the secretary of state within ninety (90) days from the final adjournment of the general assembly which passed the act to which the petition is addressed, and shall contain a full text of that part of the act to be referred; but such right and power shall not extend or apply to an act passed by the general assembly relating to the preservation of the public peace, public

health or appropriations for the support and maintenance of the department of state and state institutions. All acts, and parts thereof, enacted by the general assembly and submitted to the people shall be and remain in full force and effect until rejected by the people, as herein provided.

Until the general assembly enacts a law fixing the per cent of qualified electors required for petition, the required per cent shall in all cases be fifteen (15%) per cent of the qualified electors of each congressional districts of the state.

The whole number of votes cast for secretary of state at the regular general election last preceding the filing of petition shall be the basis for the number of legal voters required to sign such petition.

The veto power of the governor shall not apply or extend to any measure initiated and enacted by the people.

All measures for proposed laws under the initiative or referred under the referendum shall be submitted to the people for adoption or rejection at the regular biennial election first occurring after the filing of the petition.

All measures for proposed laws under the initiative shall become a law when approved by a majority of the voters whose votes are cast thereon, and shall take effect as hereinafter provided.

Any measure referred under the referendum shall cease to be a law when rejected by a majority of the voters whose votes are cast thereon and proclamation has been made by the governor as hereinafter provided. All proposed laws under the initiative shall take effect and any measure referred under the referendum shall cease to be a law from and after the date of official declaration of the vote thereon by proclamation issued by the governor, which shall be not later than thirty days after the vote has been canvassed by the state canvassing board for that purpose, composed of the governor, secretary of state and attorney general, and certificate thereof made not later than December first following the election.

The petition contemplated by this section shall consist of sheets having such general form, printed or written, as shall be prescribed by the secretary of state, and shall be signed by the required number of qualified electors, in their proper persons only, to which shall be attached the resident addresses of such persons signing the petition and the date of signing. To each of such sheets shall be attached and made a part thereof an affidavit of some qualified elector that each signature thereon is the signature of the person whose name it purports to be, and that, to the best of the knowledge and belief of the affiant, each of the persons signing said petition was, at the time of signing, a qualified elector. Such petition, so verified, shall be prima facie evidence that the signatures thereon are genuine and true, and that the persons signing the same are qualified electors of the state of Iowa.

Immediately upon the filing of a petition for the submission of a proposed law to the voters, the secretary of state shall submit the said proposed law to the supreme court for its opinion upon the constitutionality thereof, which shall be rendered within twenty (20) days, and if the court finds that the proposed measure conflicts with the constitution of

the United States or the state of Iowa, the proposed measure shall not be submitted.

Until the general assembly shall provide by law a method of procedure of printing, distributing and submitting proposed measures, the secretary of state shall, ninety (90) days preceding the general election at which the measure will be voted upon, cause to be printed any and all measures for or to which petition has been filed, in pamphlet form, containing the full text thereof, with the title and enacting clause, together with arguments for and against the same, within the limits prescribed by the secretary of state. The number printed shall be not less than one for each voter voting at the last general election preceding the filing of the petition, which shall be delivered to the county auditor of each county.

For each voter in each voting precinct of each political party voting at the last general election, the auditor of each county shall deliver one copy to each precinct committeeman of each political party in the county.

The secretary of state shall submit all measures petitioned for in accordance with the provisions of this section, to the people for adoption or rejection at the polls in compliance herewith; but the right and power reserved to the people shall not operate to deprive or limit the power of the general assembly to enact laws.

If, at an election, conflicting measures submitted to the voters of the state shall be approved by a majority of the votes, severally cast thereon, the measure receiving the highest number of affirmative votes shall become law as to all conflicting provisions.

Insofar as applicable, the provisions of this amendment shall govern in the initiative and adoption of amendments to the constitution; provided, however, that no amendment so submitted shall become a part of the constitution until it shall have first received an affirmative majority vote at two successive regular biennial elections, the majority vote at the first of which shall be the authority for preparation of the ballot and re-submission at the second. The word "enacted" shall be replaced by the word "resolved" in the enacting clause when amendments to the constitution are submitted.

This section of the constitution shall be, in all respects, self-executive.

Be and the same is hereby agreed to, enacted and adopted.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 381, a bill for an act empowering and directing the railroad commission of the state of Iowa to appoint an inspector; defining the duties of such inspector and fixing the salary.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 382, a bill for an act legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction and reconstruction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar river in said city.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Legalizing the Acts, Contracts and Proceedings of the City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in Relation to the Location, Construction and Reconstruction of a Dam, Raceway and Power House, in the Cedar River in Said City.

WHEREAS, The City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, being the owner of 59-64 of the dam and raceway in the Cedar River in said city, and the water power produced thereby, has entered upon the reconstruction of said dam and raceway and issued bonds and made contracts therefor, and has contracted to lease the same for a term of years to the owner of the remaining 5-64 of said property, and has constructed and located said dam and a portion of said raceway and the power house connected therewith in the channel or bed of said Cedar River, as heretofore established under the provisions of Chapter 210, Laws of the Twenty-ninth General Assembly and amendments thereto, Therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That all the acts, contracts and proceedings of the said city, made and done in and about the said matter of the construction or reconstruction and leasing of said dam, raceway and water power, including the location of said dam, raceway and power house in said channel or bed of said river, are hereby legalized and declared to be valid.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, by request, Senate File No. 383, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Lindly, by request, Senate File No. 384, a bill for an act to amend section six hundred sixty-nine (669) of chapter two (2) of the code, relative to salaries of councilmen, mayors, town clerks, city clerks and city auditors in cities of the first and second class and in towns.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 385, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-eight (728) of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number thereof from nine (9) to six (6).

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public libraries.

By Senator Farr, Senate Joint Resolution No. 15.

JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing to Amend the Constitution of the State of Iowa, Relating to the Number of Members of the General Assembly and Providing for their Apportionment to the Different Counties and Districts.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. The Thirty-eighth General Assembly shall divide the state into not less than twenty-five and not more than thirty-three senatorial districts, in such manner as to make the population of all districts as nearly equal as possible. Each district shall have one senator, but in the formation of such districts no county shall be divided, nor shall the counties composing any district be separated by another district or part of district.

SEC. 2. In the year 1920, senators shall be elected only from the districts then having members all of whose terms expire at the beginning of the session of 1921. During the regular session of 1921, the members elected in 1918 shall meet together and by lot select from their number, no two of whom shall be from the same district, such a number as, together with those elected in 1920, will be as nearly as possible equal to one-half of the whole number of senatorial districts, and those so selected shall hold office until the beginning of the regular session held in 1923, and until their successors shall be elected and qualified.

SEC. 3. The Thirty-eighth General Assembly shall fix the number of members of the House of Representatives, which shall not be more than sixty-nine, at least two of whom shall be elected from each senatorial district. The extra members if any, shall be apportioned, one each, to the senatorial districts having the largest population, and composed of more than one county, but there shall not be more than two and one-half times as many representatives as senatorial districts.

SEC. 4. The General Assembly shall, at each regular session held next after the taking of the state census, fix the ratio of representation, establish the senatorial districts, and apportion the representation as hereinbefore required.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

Senator Crist filed the following amendments to the Senate Rules, and on motion same were ordered printed in the Journal.

MR. PRESIDENT—I move to amend the Senate Rules by striking out “Rule 29” and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“29 (a). There shall be appointed in the manner as may be provided by the rules of the senate at the commencement of each session of the General Assembly the following designated standing committees under the following general divisions:

STATE FINANCES.

Ways and Means.
Appropriations.
Retrenchment and Reform.

PUBLIC WELFARE.

Education.
Public Health.
Highways.
Penal and Reformatory Institutions.

INDUSTRIES.

Agriculture.
Banking.
Insurance.
Labor.
Food, Dairy and Manufacturing.
Mines and Mining.
Pharmacy.
Fish and Game.
Public Utilities.

JUDICIARY.

Judiciary No. 1.
Judiciary No. 2.
Bills.
Rules.

GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS.

District, County and Township Affairs.
Cities and Towns.

(b) At the time of the appointment of such committees, one member shall be designated as Chairman.

(3) Each committee upon its organization shall appoint such permanent sub-committees as it may deem advisable.”

MR. PRESIDENT—I move to amend the Senate Rules by striking out “Rule 30” and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“30 (a). The Senate shall arrange for the employment of not to exceed twenty-five (25) stenographers who shall be expert in their profession, and of good moral character. Such employment shall be made upon a competitive examination. The Senate shall also employ a competent stenographer thoroughly acquainted with the requirements of bill draft-

ing, who shall have general supervision of the work of such stenographers and shall make divisions of their work in a manner as to reach the greatest efficiency.

(b) Room twenty-two (22) of the Senate rooms shall be set apart for the work of such stenographers."

Referred to committee on rules.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House requests the return of the following bill:

House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5), of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.

W. C. RAMSEY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 98, a bill for an act to authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, delinquents or defectives.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 248, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 152, a bill for an act to repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-fifty-two a (1989-a 52 a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 113, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the compensation of township clerks as the same appears in section five hundred ninety-one (591), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 310, a bill for an act to require that all unexpended balances of certain appropriations made for specific purposes, and which purposes have been fully carried out or abandoned, be transferred to the general revenue fund of the state, and to provide the provisions which should govern such transfer.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 306, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand nine hundred sixty-three-1 (2963-1) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the legalization of conveyances of real estate in certain cases.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 328, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of monuments.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

Senate File No. 16, a bill for an act additional to and amendatory of the law as it appears in title III, chapter 5-b, of the supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter 13, acts of the thirty-third general assembly of Iowa, and to provide for medical and surgical treatment and hospital care of children who are afflicted with any malady or deformity which can probably be remedied, whose parents, or other persons chargeable with their support, are unable to provide such treatment and care, providing for payment of the expenses thereof, and conferring upon juvenile courts jurisdiction and certain powers in such cases, and conferring additional powers upon the board of control of state institutions and the state board of education

relative to the commitment of inmates of institutions under their control to the medical college of the state university.

House amendments read first and second time.

Senator Perkins moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by striking out of lines one and two and the first six words of line three of Section 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Upon the filing of such reports, the court or judges shall fix a day for the hearing upon the complaint and shall cause the parent or parents, guardian or other person having the legal custody of said child to be served with a notice of the hearing, and shall also notify the county attorney,"

Amend by inserting after the word "judge" in the tenth line of Section 2, the following words: "with the consent of the parent or parents, guardian or other person having the legal custody of such child,"

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Section 7 by inserting after the word "court" in the fourth line of said section a comma "," and the words "the parent or parents, guardians or person having legal custody of said child, consenting."

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by adding as Section 11:

SEC. 11. It is expressly provided that no child under the terms of this act shall be treated for any ailment except such as is described by the order of the court, unless permission for such treatment is granted by the parents or guardians; and it is also expressly forbidden that any child shall be used for the purpose of experimentation.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Clarkson, Enger, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Thomas—11.

So the amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared concurred in.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED

House File No. 264, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Bloomfield, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

The House requested the return of House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.

Senator Gillette moved that the House File No. 86 be returned to the House.

Carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2 to whom was referred Senate File No. 310, a bill for an act to amend section 1571-m 23, supplement to the code, 1913, changing the offense of a person operating a motor vehicle while in an intoxicated condition from a misdemeanor to a felony and providing punishment therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Placed on the Calendar by unanimous consent.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2 to whom was referred Senate File No. 142, a bill for an act to amend section 3310 of the code and prohibiting the closing of any estate until inventory has been filed and accepted, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2 to whom was referred Senate File No. 319, a bill for an act to amend section 2900-a 7, supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2 to whom was referred Senate File No. 208, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgage prior to January 1, 1900, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass: Amend by adding after the word "executed" in the second line of section one (1), the words, "and duly recorded".

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2 to whom was referred Senate File No. 84, a bill for an act to repeal section 3704 of the code of 1897, relative to restricting the argument of attorneys, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2 to whom was referred Senate File No. 263, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter 12-a, title 25, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to prosecuting on information filed by the county attorney, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Wilson moved that Senate File No. 178 on which a motion to reconsider had been filed, be recalled from the House.

Carried.

MOTION CALLED UP.

Senator Clarkson called up for consideration the motion filed by him on February 23rd to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in House concurrent resolution relative to adjournment and asked unanimous consent to withdraw the motion.

Unanimous consent granted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations to whom was referred Senate File No. 80, a bill for an act to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg Anniversary Commission created by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly in carrying out the provisions of chapter 335, acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass: By striking out section three (3).

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations to whom was referred House File No. 341, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Schrup, from the committee on claims, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims to whom was referred Senate File No. 210, a bill for an act making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being injured by the falling of a building on the fair grounds, at Des Moines, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to committee on appropriations with the following amendment: "Strike out in line three (3) of section 1, of the original bill the words and figures twenty-five hundred dollars (2,500.00), and substitute in lieu thereof the words and figures eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800.00)," and when so amended the bill do pass.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Schrup the report of the committee was adopted, and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Senator Hilsinger, from the committee on insurance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 260, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty-two-a (1822-a), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title nine (9), of the code, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out the words "of the" from the second line of the title, also amend by striking out the capital letter "A" following the dash in the second line of section one (1) and substituting therefor a small letter "a", also amend by striking out the words "of the" from the second line of section one (1).

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Jackson, from the committee on pharmacy, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Pharmacy, to whom was referred House File No. 64, a bill for an act to amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-two (4999-a 32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of pure drugs, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

GEO. H. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Pharmacy, to whom was referred Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

GEO. H. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586), supplement to the code, 1913, granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise or bequest.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 7, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section

twenty-four hundred forty-eight (2448) of the supplement to the code, 1913, section twenty-four hundred forty-nine (2449), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred fifty (2450), and twenty-four hundred fifty-one (2451), of the supplement to the code, 1913, sections twenty-four hundred fifty-two (2452), twenty-four hundred fifty-three (2453), twenty-four hundred fifty-four (2454), twenty-four hundred fifty-five (2455), twenty-four hundred fifty-six (2456), twenty-four hundred fifty-seven (2457), twenty four hundred fifty-eight (2458), twenty-four hundred fifty-nine (2459), twenty-four hundred sixty (2460), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one (2461), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred sixty-one-c (2461-c), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-d (2461-d), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-e (2461-e), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-h (2461-h), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-j (2461-j), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-k (2461-k), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

SENATE BILL SIGNED.

President announced as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate File No. 145.

REPORT OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE CALLED UP.

Senator Crist called up for consideration the report of the special investigating committee, filed on February 16th and printed in the Journal of that date, and moved that the report of the committee be adopted and that the committee be discharged from further duty.

Report adopted and committee discharged.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Wilson called up for consideration the concurrent resolution offered by him on February 24th, relative to urging congress to take steps towards the appointment of a peace commission.

On motion further consideration of the resolution was postponed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator White of Iowa, House File No. 341, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator White moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Enger, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Quigley, Thomas—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent Senator Whitmore withdrew Senate File No. 166 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Parker, House File No. 165, a bill for an act empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute and deliver a quit claim deed, conveying to Addie C. Johnson, all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in the west one-fourth of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 20, township 79, north, range 23, west of the 5th P. M., with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Parker moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout,

Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Enger, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Thomas—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 33, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Foster moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 33 passed the Senate be reconsidered.

Carried unanimously.

Senator Foster moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 33 passed to its third reading be reconsidered.

Carried unanimously.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Foster offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 33 by striking out of the first paragraph following the title thereof, the words, letters and figures, to-wit: Beginning with the figures "2812-d" at the end of line four (4) thereof, down to and including the words "General Assemblies" in line seven (7) thereof, and inserting in lieu of such stricken portion, the following: "2820-d 2, 2820-d 3 and 2820-d 4, supplement to the code, 1913".

And also striking out of section 2 of said bill all of lines nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12) thereof, and from line eight (8) the figures and letter, to-wit, "2820-a" and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, letters and figures, to-wit: "2820-d 2, 2820-d 3 and 2820-d 4, supplement to the code, 1913, had been fully complied with."

Adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Enger, Frailey, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Thomas—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Journal of February 24th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Chase moved that three hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 4 be printed.

Carried.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor stating that he had today approved Senate File No. 7.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House is herewith returning the following bill for which the Senate asked:

Senate File No. 178, a bill for an act repealing sections fifteen hundred fifty-two (1552) and fifteen hundred fifty-five (1555) of the code, and the law as it appears in sections fifteen hundred fifty (1550) and fifteen hundred fifty-one (1551) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to labor by able bodied citizens upon public roads of the state and collection of poll taxes and enacting a substitute therefor providing for payment of a road tax by all male citizens between certain ages and giving authority for and prescribing method of collection thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

On request of Senator White of Iowa leave of absence was granted Senator Frailey for the day.

On request of Senator Boe leave of absence was granted Senator Enger for the day.

On request of Senator Crist leave of absence was granted Senator Laffer for the day.

On request of Senator Caswell leave of absence was granted Senator Laffer for the day.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Carried.

Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. Thursday, March 4th.

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DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 4, 1915.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. W. J. Robinson of Humboldt, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Doran presented a petition of the Music Study Club of Boone, Iowa, favoring establishment of the Iowa Child Welfare Research Station at the university of Iowa.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Doran presented petition of citizens of Story county, urging passage of S. F. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Voorhees presented a remonstrance of citizens of Wiota, Iowa, against the passage of H. F. 47, known as the Inspection Bill, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Grout presented a remonstrance of citizens of Black Hawk county, against the passage of House File 47, known as the inspection bill, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Carroll county, urging passage of Senate File 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Lindly presented a remonstrance of citizens of Henry county against the payment of a salary to the soil expert.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Wilson presented a remonstrance signed by the directors of the Master Builders Association opposing House File No. 71, increasing the cost of public work and thereby increasing the tax rate.

Referred to committee on labor.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Chariton, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Black Hawk county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Plymouth county, urging passage of Senate File 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator White of Benton presented a petition of citizens of Tama county, favoring the granting of funds to the railroad commission to prosecute cases before the interstate commerce commission, and also to make a physical valuation of Iowa railroads; also asking that no increase in passenger rates be allowed.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator White of Benton presented a petition of employees of the Northwestern Railway Company, favoring bill to provide for semi-monthly payment of railroad employees.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Hamilton county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Chase presented a petition of school officers of Hamilton county, urging passage of a law providing for a teachers' retirement fund.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Stanhope, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law in regard to weights and measures.

Referred to committee on dairy and food.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Le Mars, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File Nos. 230 and 231, in regard to county recorders and deputy county treasurers.

Referred to committee on county and township affairs.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of the Cherokee Commercial Club, endorsing House File No. 237, regarding exemption laws.

Referrer to committee on judiciary.

Senator Chase presented a petition of the Stratford Grain & Supply Co., favoring passage of a law relating to inspection of weights and measures.

Referred to committee on dairy and food.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 66, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two (932) of the code, relating to the transfer of public squares or other plats of ground deeded or dedicated to the public, to be used for school purposes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 317, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings and the special election held in the incorporated town of Hinton, Iowa, on the 7th day of July, 1914.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 386, a bill for an act to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiaries.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on penitentiaries and pardons.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 387, a bill for an act appropriating \$336.79 in favor of D. A. Emery for expenses incurred by him in discharge of his duties while secretary of the State Board of Education and member of the Finance Committee, from September, 1909, to June, 1910, inclusive.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on educational institutions.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 388, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred fifty-four (2754), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the time of filing petitions for directors of school boards.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

Senator White of Benton, by request, Senate File No. 389, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in title XII, chapter fourteen (14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the state veterinary surgeon.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 390, a bill for an act to provide for the acquisition of water supply for power house purposes by condemnation by interurban railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven (1997) of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Enger, by request, Senate File No. 391, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the duties and compensation of the civil and sanitary engineer member of the state board of

health as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-four (2564) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 317, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings and the special election held in the incorporated town of Hinton, Iowa, on the 7th day of July, 1914.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Foster called up for consideration the House concurrent resolution relative to an invitation extended to Prof. J. J. Ferguson, member of the United States Live Stock Sanitary Commission, to address the legislature in joint session, and moved that the Senate concur in the resolution.

The resolution was concurred in.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Wilson called up for consideration the concurrent resolution offered by him on February 24th, relative to the appointment of a World's Peace Commission and moved its adoption.

Senator Clarkson offered the following substitute for the pending resolution and moved its adoption.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That in common with all people of the civilized world, we deplore the war horror now devastating the great countries of Europe, with its untold sacrifice of life and treasure; and that we urge upon the President of the United States, in the name of Christianity and humanity, the necessary legislation by the Congress of the United States that shall lead to the appointment of a peace commission to be composed of President Woodrow Wilson and former Presidents Theodore Roosevelt and William Howard Taft, and two additional members to be named by the President of the United States, said commission to take such action as it may deem proper to the end that an agreement may be made and entered into by and between the warring nations for an immediate armistice looking to a universal and lasting world peace.

Be it further resolved, That we commend our President for his high-minded, patriotic and statesmanlike methods employed in the administration of affairs growing out of the European complications caused by the war abroad and his care of humanity in avoiding the doing of anything that might entangle our nation in the controversy, and trust that in the

future, as in the past, his strength of personality and clear-mindedness will be spared to the nation for the guidance of the ship of state over and past the troubled conditions now appalling the civilized world, for which this General Assembly and the people of the nation will be ever grateful.

And be it further resolved, That copies of this resolution, properly engrossed and signed by the presiding officers of the Senate and the House, be forwarded to United States Senators Albert B. Cummins and William S. Kenyon for their consideration.

Senator Wilson moved to amend the substitute resolution by striking therefrom the second paragraph.

Senator Francis moved that the whole proposition pending be laid upon the table.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—28.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Greene, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Taylor, Thomas, Wilson—9.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Iowa—13.

So the motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate Journal and the House Journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Thomas moved to amend Senate File 112 by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting therefor the following:

SECTION 1. That the secretary of state cause to be printed for public distribution the Senate Journal and the House Journal during each session of the General Assembly in sufficient numbers to supply public demand, and shall cause to be forwarded, by mail, as soon as practicable

after the same are printed, such journals upon payment of the subscription price of one dollar (\$1.00) for either the Senate or the House Journal for each legislative session, or that portion thereof after the subscription is received; and the proceeds received by the secretary of state shall be by him covered into the treasury of the state of Iowa.

Provided, That the secretary of state may at each regular session of the General Assembly reasonably anticipate this public demand by ordering of the public printer and binder daily in advance of the printing of the copies of the Journals of each House regularly supplied for the use of the General Assembly such additional copies in excess of the paid subscriptions in hand as he may estimate to be necessary to meet the provisions of this act, not to exceed five hundred copies of each on any day.

SECTION 2. That all copies of said journals ordered by the secretary of state for the purposes herein specified shall be charged for by the state printer and state binder at the rates allowed by law for printing and binding the copies thereof furnished to the members of the General Assembly.

SECTION 3. The front page of the journal of each house of the General Assembly shall hereafter have printed thereon substantially the following:

IOWA STATE
SENATE JOURNAL
(or House)

Blank day and date.

Printed daily by the State of Iowa, during the sessions of the General Assembly.

Subscription price per session for the journal of either house, \$1.00.

Secretary of State, Des Moines, Iowa.

SECTION 4. The secretary of state is directed to make application to the post office department for the admission of these journals to the United States mail as second class matter and when so admitted, these additional words shall be printed on the front page of each journal and the subscription price fixed accordingly:

"Both journals to one address \$1.50."

Further consideration of the bill was postponed.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 160, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-four hundred ninety-five-b (2495-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, providing for the employment and examination of shot examiners and shot firers and defining their duties, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved the adoption of the following amendments:

That Section Two (2) be amended by adding thereto the following:

"That the hoisting engineer and some other competent person, familiar with the inside workings of the mine and capable of rendering assistance to the shot fireman in case of accident, shall be required to remain on duty at the mine until each shot fireman is out of the mine."

That Senate File No. 160 be amended by adding the following as section 8:

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect April 1, 1916.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section two by inserting the word "regularly" between the word "is" and the word "mined" in the first line thereof.

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding after the word "coal" in the first line of Sec. 2 of the printed bill the words "or gypsum."

Lost.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by adding after the period after the word "inspector" in line 17 of Sec. 2 the following:

"Provided that such order, rule or regulation of such inspector is one authorized by the law of this state."

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the words "of the" in line 2 of section 1 be stricken out.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—17.

Senator Whitmore moved that the title to Senate File No. 160 be amended by striking out the words "of the" in line two of the title.

Adopted.

This bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended agreed to.

Journal of February 25th was taken up, corrected and approved.

On request of Senator Allen, leave of absence was granted Senator Savage for the day.

On request of Senator Larrabee, leave of absence was granted Senator Hilsinger for the remainder of the week.

On request of Senator Wilson, leave of absence was granted Senator Boe for the day.

On request of Senator Hagemann leave of absence was granted Senator Eversmeyer for the day.

On request of Senator Whitmore leave of absence was granted Senator Frailey for the day.

On request of Senator White of Iowa leave of absence was granted Senators Heald and Kimball for the day.

Senator White of Iowa moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Senator Francis moved to amend the motion so as to make the time of adjournment 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Motion as amended prevailed.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 5, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. John A. Earl, President of Des Moines College, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Helmer presented remonstrance of citizens of Carroll county, against House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Foster presented a remonstrance of citizens of Wau-kee, Iowa, against House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Mystic, Iowa, urging enactment of a law apportioning the motor vehicle road fund equally among all incorporated cities and towns.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of Sioux City Trades & Labor Assembly, favoring passage of Senate File Nos. 170 and 333, regarding Workmen's Compensation Law.

Referred to committee on insurance.

Senator Caswell presented a remonstrance of citizens of Dun-lap, Iowa, against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Thompson presented a petition of citizens of Burlington, Iowa, urging passage of House File No. 47 providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county, urging passage of House File No. 47 providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Lindly presented a remonstrance of citizens of Henry county against Senate File No. 161 regarding the payment of a salary to the soil expert.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator White of Benton presented a remonstrance of citizens of Benton county, against House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Monona county urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Caswell presented a remonstrance of citizens of Blencoe, Iowa, against increase of freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Caswell presented a remonstrance of citizens of Mapleton, Iowa, against House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Francis presented a petition of citizens of Palo Alto and Clay counties urging passage of Senate File No. 309 providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Francis presented a remonstrance of citizens of Palo Alto and Emmet counties against passage of House File No. 47 providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Francis presented a remonstrance of citizens of Palo Alto county against increase in freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Francis presented a petition of citizens of Fostoria and Wesley, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law regarding weights and measures.

Referred to committee on dairy and food.

Senator Francis presented a petition of citizens of Emmetsburg, Iowa, urging amendment of House File No. 276, relating to the practice of medicine.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Wapello county, urging passage of Senate File Nos. 8 and 74 and House File No. 9, in regard to telephone control.

Referred to committee on telegraphs and telephones.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 145, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 392, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a five (4999-a5) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of safety appliances on machinery.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 393, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473) of the code relating to the duties of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics and relating to the meaning or definitions of the terms "factory," "mill," and other like terms.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 394, a bill for an act to require railway corporations to use diligence in running trains in accordance with published schedules and time cards, and to require said corporations, operators, agents or person in charge of railroad, telegraph or telephone stations to report delayed trains, prescribing the method thereof, and providing penalties.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 395, a bill for an act to repeal section forty-seven hundred seventy-five-three a (4775-3a) supplement to the code, 1913, and enact the following substitute therefor relating to the carrying of concealed weapons.

Read first and second time and referred to council No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 396, a bill for an act to repeal sections thirteen hundred ninety-six (1396) and thirteen hundred ninety-seven (1397) of the code, relating to the county treasurer giving information as to taxes due, and to enact substitutes therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 397, a bill for an act to repeal sections thirteen hundred thirty-eight (1338) of the code, and thirteen hundred thirty-c (1330-c), and thirteen hundred forty-six-g (1346-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levy and collection of taxes on railroad, telegraph and telephone and express companies, and to enact substitutes therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 185, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities of the second class and towns, a levy for road purposes, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by changing the period at the end of section one (1) to a comma (,) and adding thereto the following: "to be used only upon main traveled highways leading through said city or town."

Adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Crist, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Parker, Quigley, Sheean—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 56, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand three hundred forty-eight-a (2348-a) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to bounty on pocket gophers, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Senator Farr, House File No. 118, a bill for an act to require pawnbrokers, junk dealers or dealers in second hand goods to report to the police the purchase or receipt of certain classes of goods by such broker or dealers, and providing that certain classes of goods shall not be sold for a specified time and shall be kept where same can be seen or inspected, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions herein contained and providing that under certain conditions the person buying or receiving such goods shall be liable to the owner thereof for their

full value, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Crist, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Jones, Parker—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 9:40 a. m.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Grout, Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, a joint resolution memorializing Congress to call a convention for the purpose of amending the constitution of the United States, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

President Harding resumed the chair at 9:55 a. m.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed and the resolution was read a third time.

Senator Kimball moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the resolution passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Kimball moved the resolution be recommitted to the committee on federal relations.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 157, a bill for an act authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter (1-4) of the southwest quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16), township seventy-three (73), north of range eighteen (18), west of the fifth P. M., Monroe county, Iowa, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 157 by striking out the word "of" in line three (3) of the title.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill, Senate File No. 157, by striking out the comma (,) following the figures "73" in brackets, as the same appear in preamble, line 3 of the printed bill, and insert a comma (,) after the word "north" following the figures "73" as the same appear in the preamble of the printed bill, and by striking out the word "of" following the word "north", line 3 of the preamble as the same appears in the printed bill.

Amend the bill by striking out the comma (,) after the figures "73" in brackets in line 5 of the printed bill and insert a comma (,) immediately after the word "north", which immediately follows the figures "73" in line 5 of the printed bill. And by striking out the word "of" following the word "north" as the same appears in line 5 of the printed bill. And strike out the comma (,) following the figures "73" in brackets, as the same appear in line 10 of the printed bill, and insert a comma (,) after the word "north" as the same appears in line 10 of the printed bill. And strike out the word "of" immediately following the word "north" as the same appears in line 10 of the printed bill. And strike out the comma (,) immediately following the figures "73" in brackets as the same appear in line 17 of the printed bill and insert a comma (,) immediately after the word "north" as the same appears in line 17 of the printed bill. And strike out the word "of" as the same appears at the end of line 17 following the word "north" in the printed bill.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum,

Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Parker, Voorhees—6.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment to the title to Senate File No. 157 and moved its adoption.

Amend by striking out the comma (,) following the figures "73" in brackets, in line 3 of the title as the same appears in the printed bill and by inserting a comma (,) following the word "North" in said line 3, and by striking out the word "of" following the word "North" as the same appears in line 3 of the title of said printed bill.

Adopted. ●

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

President pro tem Crist assumed the chair at 10:10 a. m.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House requests the return of the following bill:

Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer, conveying property west of the fifth principal meridian, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 362, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon, Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 239, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to county official papers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 412, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Onawa, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 198, a bill for an act amending section eight hundred twelve (812) of the code and authorizing cities under the commission plan of government to construct street improvements and sewers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 171, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the construction of street improvements, sewers, etc., as the same appears in section eight hundred twelve (812) of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Senator Kimball moved that Senate File No. 183 be made a special order for 10:30 o'clock Thursday, March 11th.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 259, a bill for an act to legalize all the elections of the town of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello and state of Iowa, and all acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all ordinances and resolutions or amendments thereto, passed by the town council of said town, since the passage of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as chapter twenty-six (26) of the acts of the thirty-second general assembly; and defining the terms of office of the councilmen and officers of said town, and providing for future elections therein, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Insert the word "Blakesburg" between the word "the" and the word "Excelsior" in the publication clause.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Green, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Crist, Darrah, Foster, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Parker, Savage, Schrup—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, House File No. 11, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-three hundred eight (3308) of the supplement to the code, nineteen hundred thirteen (1913) relating to releasing liens by foreign administrators, executors, and guardians, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleek, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Parker, Savage—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, House File No. 55, a bill for an act to legalize decrees obtained prior to January fifteenth, nineteen hundred fifteen (1915), in cases against unknown claimants, defendants, where the notice was entitled in the initial or initials of the plaintiff instead of his Christian or given name, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Nye, Parker, Savage—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:30 a. m.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the words "of the" following the figures "2588" in line two of the bill.

Lost.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Quigley—1.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, White of Benton—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 208, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgage prior to January 1, 1900, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by adding after the word "executed" in the second line of section one (1), the words: "and duly recorded".

The bill was read for information.

Senator Allen moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Parker, Taylor, Thomas—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 260, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty-two-a (1822-a), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title nine (9), of the code, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the words "of the" from the second line of the title; also amend by striking out the capital letter "A" following the dash in the second line of section one (1) and substituting therefor a small letter "a"; also amend by striking out the words "of the" from the second line of section one (1).

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Clarkson, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Parker, Thomas—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 319, a bill for an act to amend section 2900-a7 supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Parker, Savage, Schrup—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Caswell, House File No. 161, a bill for an act to amend paragraph five (5) of section four hundred twenty-two (422) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the building or repair of county buildings, to require advertisements, bids, written contracts, bonds, and plans and specifications in certain cases, and to fix the requirements thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the words and figures "five thousand" in line seven and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two thousand," and by striking out in line eleven the word "reputable."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the last word of line seven and the last word of line eight of section 1 of the printed bill, being the words "responsible and".

Lost.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the first word "and" in line eleven, Sec. 1.

Adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

Chase, Helmer, Thompson—3.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Crist, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Voorhees—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 222, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred ten (810) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to publication of preliminary notice of street improvements, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the following amendments by striking out section one (1) of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Amend by striking out section one (1) of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That Section Eight Hundred Ten (810) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same hereby is amended by substituting the word "five" in the eighth line thereof for the word "twenty" and by substituting the word "two" for the word "four" in the tenth line thereof, and by substituting the words "five days" in the eleventh line thereof for the word "two", and the word "two" for the word "four" in the twelfth line thereof, and by adding after the word "given" and before the word "by" in the tenth line thereof, the following words: "by hand bills posted in conspicuous places along the proposed line of said improvement, and".

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Fellows, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand sixty-a one hundred twenty (3060-a 120), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable instrument, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Laffer, Parker, Quigley—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 199, a bill for an act to repeal sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), and one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the destruction of noxious weeds and other weeds and brush upon lands, highways and other places; assessing the costs and expenses of the destruction of the same to the lands and owners thereof; and providing funds with which to destroy the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend section 7 by striking from the second line of the original bill the word "May" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June."

Amend section 8 by inserting after the word "who" in the second line of the original bill a comma (,) and also the following: "after complaint has been made to him as provided for in section three (3) of this act."

Amend by numbering section 9 as section 10 and inserting the following as section 9: "Any person liable for the destruction of weeds under section three (3) of this act who fails or neglects to comply with an order of the board of supervisors, township trustees, town or city councils or commission, as the case may be, as provided in said section three (3), shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00) and costs of prosecution."

Amend by adding thereto the following as section 11: "This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published at Sioux City, Iowa."

Senator Wilson moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed and the bill be made a special order for Tuesday, March 9, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Senator Quigley moved to refer the bill to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Declared out of order.

The motion by Senator Wilson prevailed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

Also:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage; within this state.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

Also:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 91, a bill for an act to create a law and legislative reference and bill drafting department of the State Library; providing for a director and subordinate officers and employes thereof; prescribing the duties and fixing the salaries thereof, and making an additional appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent placed on the Calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 121, a bill for an act to amend section 3283 of the code of Iowa, 1897, relating to the trial of actions to contest the probating of wills, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 299, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section 1570 of the code, relating to trimming hedges, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on highways without recommendation.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran the report of the committee was adopted and the bill referred to the committee on highways.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 104, a bill for an act to provide that owners of threshing, hulling, baling, shelling or shredding machinery shall have a lien upon

the material threshed for the charge made for such service, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 233, a bill for an act to encourage the draft horse industry of the state of Iowa and to aid in promoting methods for the production of draft horses and making an appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent the bill was placed on the Calendar.

Senator L. E. Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 329, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct or maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend Senate File No. 329 as follows:

1. Strike out the letter "a" immediately following the letter "m" in the word musical, line 23, section 2 of the original bill.
2. Strike out the letter "y" at the end of the word "party", line 4, section 5 of the original bill.
3. Strike out the letter "i" and substitute the letter "e" in the word "supplement", line 16, section 9, of the bill.
4. Strike out the figures "11" and substitute "10" designating the section.
5. Strike out figures "10" and substitute figures "11" designating section of the bill.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball moved that Senate File No. 183 be recommitted to the committee on appropriations with instructions to report same back to the Senate before March 11th at 10 o'clock a. m.

Carried.

Senator Larrabee, from the committee on railroads, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 356, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-one hundred fifty-seven-g (2157-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to persons entitled to free transportation, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 105, a bill for an act in relation to semi-monthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows:

Amend section one, by striking out the word "three" in line eleven (11) thereof, and substituting the word "six" therefor; and when so amended the bill do pass.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED.

President of the Senate announced that as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 7.

On request of Senator Helmer leave of absence was granted Senator Parker for today and until Thursday, March 11th.

On request of Senator Whitmore leave of absence was granted Senator Frailey for the day.

On request of Senator Chase leave of absence was granted Senator Helmer for Saturday.

Journal of March 4th was taken up, corrected and approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had today approved Senate File No. 145.

Senator Enger moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 6, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. R. N. Burress, pastor of the M. E. church, Belmond, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Greene presented a petition of the Clinton County Bar Association, favoring the establishment of municipal courts in certain cities.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Greene presented a petition of the Iowa Farmers' Protective Association, favoring an appropriation for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Hagemann presented a remonstrance of citizens of Denver, Iowa, against the repeal of the law providing for appointment of county superintendent of schools.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Kimball presented a petition of citizens of Council Bluffs, Iowa, urging passage of the plumbing bill and the steam fitting bill.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a remonstrance of citizens of Muscatine county, against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Doran presented a petition of the Gradatim Club of Boone, Iowa, favoring the passage of Senate File No. 335.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Cerro Gordo and Franklin counties, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Boe presented a remonstrance of citizens of Mitchell county, against House File No. 276, relating to the practice of medicine.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Ream presented a remonstrance of citizens of Mahaska county, to abolish the State Highway Commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Enger presented a petition of citizens of Winneshiek county, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, favoring passage of Senate Files Nos. 170 and 333, relating to employers' liability.

Referred to committee on insurance.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Sioux county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Balkema presented a remonstrance of citizens of Hospers, Iowa, against House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Balkema presented a remonstrance of citizens of O'Brien county, against Senate File No. 365, relative to increased passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Sioux and Osceola counties, urging passage of Senate File No. 230, relative to duties of county recorder.

Referred to committee on county and township affairs.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of citizens of Wapello county favoring repeal of the primary election laws.

Referred to committee on elections.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county urging passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Alta Vista, Iowa, against Senate File No. 274, regarding telephones.

Referred to committee on telegraphs and telephones.

Senator Fellows presented a remonstrance of citizens of Allamakee county, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition of citizens of Scott county urging passage of the pending plumber and steam fitters' bills.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Henigbaum presented a remonstrance of citizens of Scott county against House File No. 276, relating to the practice of medicine.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Henigbaum presented a remonstrance of the Davenport Commercial Club against Senate File No. 170, relating to workmen's compensation law.

Referred to committee on insurance.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition of citizens of Davenport, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File No. 137, regarding proper sanitation of barber shops.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Crist presented a remonstrance of citizens of Warren county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Greene presented a petition of the Commercial Club of Clinton, Iowa, asking for an investigation by the railroad commissioners of the necessity for an increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Greene presented a remonstrance of Clinton Council No. 331, United Commercial Travelers of America, against an increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Fort Dodge, Iowa, urging passage of the plumbing bill and steam fitting bill.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Pomeroy, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Larrabee presented a remonstrance of citizens of Webster county against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

A petition was received by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Des Moines Federation of Women's Clubs, representing seventy-six organizations, urging the passage of Senate File No. 335 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 10.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 83, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to the widow and heirs of Greenberry Stephens, for a tract of land in Muscatine county, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 207, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-fifty (2727-a50), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to purchase of supplies by board of control.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 398, a bill for an act to establish a bureau for the registration of criminals, dangerous defectives and delinquents by the finger-print method of identification, to provide for the employment of an operative skilled in the classification and filing of the same, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers, and all other officials charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, dangerous defectives and delinquents, in the collection of finger-prints and data relating to them.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on penitentiaries and pardons.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 399, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-eighty-four (2727-a84), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the payment of expenses of patients of the sanatorium for tuberculosis.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 400, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to appointment and compensation of deputy clerks of the district court, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Greene, Senate File No. 401, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298) of the code supplement, 1913, relating to compensation of the deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 402, a bill for an act to repeal sections two hundred fifty-four-a twenty (254-a20) and two hundred fifty-four-a twenty-a (254-a20a), supplement to the

code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the maintenance of dependent children, and providing for the payment of certain sums of money to the mother of such children when such mother is a widow, fixing certain restrictions regarding payment and creating a committee on supervision of applications made to the court for payment as provided herein.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 403, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the establishment of ditches, tile and other underground drains through the lands of others, as the same appears in section nineteen hundred fifty-nine (1959), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 404, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section three hundred and eight (308) and three hundred and eight-a (308-a), supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the compensation of county attorneys.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Nye, Senate File No. 405.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to legalize certain warrants of the town of Lenox, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the town of Lenox, in the county of Taylor, state of Iowa, by contract did heretofore construct a municipal water works system and did heretofore issue bonds in the sum of thirty-two thousand (\$32,000.00) dollars, which said total amount of said bonds so issued were not equal to the price, which said town had contracted should be paid for the construction of said municipal water works system, and

WHEREAS, said town thereby became liable and indebted to contractors who constructed said water works system and to contractors who furnished supplies and equipment for said water works system and to others for land for a site for a reservoir and to others for the interest on said bonds so issued, all being an indebtedness for purposes authorized by law; and at various times on and between the seventh day of February, 1914, and the seventeenth day of February, 1915, both dates inclusive, issued warrants in the aggregate amount of nine thousand nine hundred ninety-two dollars and thirteen cents (\$9,992.13), to evidence said indebtedness, said warrants being numbered respectively as follows: 238, 239, 250, 273, 274, 275, 276, 300, 301, 8, 9, 14, 39, 39a 133, 134, 135; and

WHEREAS, said town has been, and is now enjoying the use and benefit

of said expenditures for the construction of a municipal water works system and other lawful purposes, which were well worth the contract price; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of the aforesaid warrants in the sum of nine thousand nine hundred ninety-two dollars and thirteen cents (\$9,992.13) or a portion thereof, on the ground that they were issued in excess of the estimated revenue of said town for the purpose for which they were issued for the fiscal year of their issuance; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of a portion of said warrants on the ground that they were issued in violation of the rule which limits the amount of any one warrant to the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of said warrants or a portion thereof on the ground that the indebtedness which they represent was incurred in excess of the statutory limit of indebtedness, to-wit: one and one-quarter per centum of the actual value of the taxable property within said town; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of said warrants or a portion thereof on the ground that the indebtedness which they evidence was incurred without proper authorization by the voters of said town by election, or by petition and election; now therefore

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the acts of the corporate authorities of the town of Lenox, in the county of Taylor, state of Iowa, in making expenditures for said town for the construction of a municipal water works system and for other lawful purposes incident thereto, and incurring indebtedness thereby and issuing warrants to evidence said indebtedness, in the sum of nine thousand nine hundred ninety-two dollars and thirteen cents (\$9,992.13), be and the same are hereby legalized as though the law had in all respects been complied with.

SECTION 2. The aforesaid warrants of said town in the sum of nine thousand nine hundred ninety-two dollars and thirteen cents (\$9,992.13) issued for the construction of a municipal water works system and other lawful purposes incident thereto, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be valid, legal and subsisting obligations of said town, the same as though the law had in all respects been complied with.

SECTION 3. Nothing in this act shall affect any pending litigation.

SECTION 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Lenox Time Table, a newspaper published at Lenox, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 406, a bill for an act adopting the "supplement to the code of Iowa, 1913", as the official publication of the laws of the state therein contained.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 407, a bill for an act authorizing the use of photographic processes in the making and copying of public records in the public offices of this state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Kimball offered the following concurrent resolution:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that

WHEREAS, the Thirty-fifth General Assembly adopted a concurrent resolution containing the following sentiments which are still appropriate.

"WHEREAS, Iowa's sons today are not unmindful of the great sacrifice and courageous service of her warriors and desire to express to her honored veterans who still linger with them that they are remembered with most patriotic and kindly sentiment; and

"WHEREAS, Iowa has the proud distinction of having living within her borders, among her veterans, one of the two remaining major generals, and the only living department and army commander of the federal army, war of the rebellion; and

"WHEREAS, this distinguished officer, Major General Grenville M. Dodge, enlisted from Iowa at the beginning of the war, and was steadily in the service to the end; led his commands without defeat and won repeated victories; was thrice wounded and regularly and justly promoted; and

"WHEREAS, General Dodge performed great service in the war in building railroads, military works and fortifications in addition to leading his command, and was afterwards instrumental in bringing the Indian tribes to peace under treaties, and for which he was tendered the thanks of the legislature of this state; and,

"WHEREAS, after the war he began where he had left off in the valuable work of railroad engineering and assisted in connecting the Atlantic and Pacific by rail, and has gilded with success by his splendid manhood whatever his hand has touched, until now full of years and of honors, he has left the greater activities to live at Council Bluffs where he has always claimed his home since young manhood; and

"WHEREAS, he is still active in mind and body, proud of his state, deeply interested in her welfare; devoted to his country and is Iowa's grandest patriot;"

Now, therefore, Be It Resolved, That Iowa through her General Assembly hereby renews the words of appreciation of her distinguished and beloved veteran officer and citizen, General Grenville M. Dodge, and again sends him the warmest greetings of a loyal people and invites him, if agreeable to him, to address this General Assembly in joint convention at such time as he may fix.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

Senator Sheean moved that the request of the House for the return of Senate File No. 120 be granted.

Carried.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 171, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the construction of street improvements, sewers, etc., as the same appears in section eight hundred twelve (812) of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 198, a bill for an act amending section eight hundred twelve (812) of the code and authorizing cities under the commission plan of government to construct street improvements and sewers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 239, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to county official papers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 362, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon in Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 412, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Onawa, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Whitmore, from the committee on military affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 360, a bill for an act to amend section five thou-

sand seventy-one (5071) of the code, relating to the unlawful wearing of badges, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 377, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f 4 and 2215-f 14, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 240, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-six hundred and six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the admission of soldiers' wives and widows to the soldiers' home, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate request the House to return to the Senate House File No. 86.

Carried.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 165, a bill for an act empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute and deliver a quit claim deed, conveying to Addie C. Johnson all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in the west one-fourth of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty, township seventy-nine north, range twenty-three west of the 5th principal meridian.

Also:

House File No. 341, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 165 and 341.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of \$5000.00 to indemnify George B. Shaw for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital for the insane at Clarinda, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Strike out the words and figures "Five Thousand Dollars (\$5000.00)" in line three of section 1 of the original bill and substitute in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2500.00)".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 106, a bill for an act to amend section 2121 of the code, 1897, relating to the salaries of railroad commissioners, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 106.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Repeal Section Twenty-one Hundred Twenty-one (2121) of the Code, and to Enact a Substitute Therefor, Relating to the Duties, Office, and Salaries of Railroad Commissioners.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Twenty-one Hundred Twenty-one (2121) of the Code, is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The Board shall keep an office in the Capitol at the seat of government, and each commissioner shall receive a salary of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000.00) a year, and shall devote his whole time to the duties of his office."

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate Journal and the House Journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the following amendment offered by him on March 4th:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting therefor the following:

SECTION 1. That the secretary of state cause to be printed for public distribution the Senate Journal and the House Journal during each session of the General Assembly in sufficient numbers to supply public demand, and shall cause to be forwarded by mail, as soon as practicable after the same are printed, such journals upon payment of the subscription price of one dollar (\$1.00) for either the Senate or the House Journal for each legislative session, or that portion thereof after the subscription is received; and the proceeds received by the secretary of state shall be by him covered into the treasury of the state of Iowa.

Provided, That the secretary of state may at each regular session of the General Assembly reasonably anticipate this public demand by ordering of the public printer and binder daily in advance of the printing of the copies of the Journals of each House regularly supplied for the use of the General Assembly such additional copies in excess of the paid subscriptions in hand as he may estimate to be necessary to meet the provisions of this act, not to exceed five hundred copies of each on any day.

SECTION 2. That all copies of said journals ordered by the secretary of state for the purposes herein specified shall be charged for by the state printer and state binder at the rates allowed by law for printing and binding the copies thereof furnished to the members of the General Assembly.

SECTION 3. The front page of the journal of each house of the General Assembly shall hereafter have printed thereon substantially the following:

IOWA STATE
SENATE JOURNAL.
(or House)

Blank day and date.

Printed daily by the State of Iowa, during the sessions of the General Assembly.

Subscription price per session for the journal of either house, \$1.00.

Secretary of State, Des Moines, Iowa.

SECTION 4. The secretary of state is directed to make application to the post office department for the admission of these journals to the United States mail as second class matter and when so admitted, these additional words shall be printed on the front page of each journal and the subscription price fixed accordingly:

"Both journals to one address \$1.50."

Adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Darrah, Gillette, Hagemann, Perkins—4.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Farr, Fleck, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Iowa—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 278, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-sevens-11 (1527-s11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to culvert and bridge construction and other highway construction, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

Chase, Greene, Hagemann, Taylor, White of Benton—5.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Voorhees—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foskett, House File No. 49, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-b (1527-b) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File No. 49 by adding thereto the following:

"SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, without expense to the state."

Adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Thomas—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 317, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-one (1087-a21), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Føster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Thomas—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jackson, House File No. 64, a bill for an act to amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-two (4999-a32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of pure drugs, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jackson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Kimball—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Thomas—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Chase, House File No. 122, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand two hundred ninety-a (1290-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—25.

The nays were:

Arney, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Laffer, Larrabee—10.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Enger, Francis, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Thomas, White of Benton—15.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

We move that the vote by which House File No. 122 was lost be reconsidered.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
A. M. FELLOWS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

Also:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 408, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred fifty-one (751) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to extension, improvement, and repair of streets, highways, avenues, alleys, public grounds, wharves, landings and market places and to the payment of the cost thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 409, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section ten hundred fifty-six-a-eleven (1056-a11) and ten hundred fifty-six-a-twelve (1056-a12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to municipal accounting.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 410, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven a-11 (2727-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state in-

stitutions, or its secretary, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 411, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a8 (1989-a8), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the construction of levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, and providing for bonds as protection for payment for same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 412, a bill for an act to amend section fifty-six hundred sixty-three (5663), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to number of guards employed at The Reformatory at Anamosa and The Penitentiary at Fort Madison.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on penitentiaries and pardons.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 413, a bill for an act relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 414, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 415, a bill for an act to pension the survivors of the Northern Border brigade, providing the amount of said pensions, the method of payment, and making appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 416, a bill for an act creating the state board of audit and defining its powers and duties.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 417, a bill for an act prohibiting the sale, manufacturing for sale within this state, keeping for sale, having in possession, or soliciting orders for the sale of gambling devices, and providing a punishment therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by inserting after the word "treasury" and before the word "for", in the seventh line of the said bill, the words "not otherwise appropriated", and that when so amended the bill be referred to the committee on appropriations.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred House File No. 27, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-eight (2778), supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting after the word "Assembly" in the enacting clause the words "of the State".

Amend by striking out of section one (1) of the bill all the words after the word "years" in the eighth (8th) line of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "who shall execute the orders and regulations of the board and have such powers and duties as they may prescribe, with such duties and powers as are now or may hereafter be prescribed by the laws of the state, provided, however, that no such contract be made until a superintendent has served at least one year in the position to which it is proposed to elect him for the longer period."

Amend section two (2) by striking out of said section the words "Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Des Moines News,

a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Muscatine News-Tribune, a newspaper published in the city of Muscatine, Iowa."

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 101, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated school districts as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting a comma following the numbers (2794-a) in the third line of the title and striking from the last line of said title the words "of the", and by inserting a comma following the numbers (2794-a) in the second line of section one and striking from said line the words "of the".

Amend by changing the period at the end of section one of said bill to a comma and adding the following:

And by inserting after the comma following the word "age" in line eleven (11) of said subdivision "b" the following: "except that where an accredited high school course is maintained in such school the levy may be sixty dollars for each person of school age."

Amend by striking therefrom section two and substituting as section two the following:

"This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Marshalltown Times-Republican, a newspaper published in Marshalltown, Iowa."

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator White of Iowa moved that three hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 67 be printed.

Carried.

Senator Crist moved that three hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 352 be printed.

Carried.

RECEIVED

Journal of March 5th was taken up, corrected and approved.

On request of Senator Larrabee leave of absence was granted Senator Allen for today and Monday.

Senator Thompson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. Monday, March 8th.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 8, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m. Owing to the absence of the President and President Pro Tem of the Senate, the session was called to order by the Secretary, Thomas Watters.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. H. C. Hecks, Pastor of the M. E. Church, Ogden, Iowa.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate take a recess until 10:30 a. m.

Senator Francis moved that Senator Arney be elected as temporary presiding officer until the return of one of the regular presiding officers.

Senator Clarkson moved that Senator Gillette be selected as the temporary presiding officer.

The motion of Senator Francis prevailed, and the senator from Marshall was declared duly elected as temporary presiding officer.

Senator Francis moved that a committee of five be selected to escort the senator from Marshall to the chair.

Carried.

The presiding officer named as such committee Senators Francis, Darrah, Larrabee, Chase and Clarkson.

Senator Arney was escorted to the chair.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Winnebago county, favoring the granting of funds to the Railroad Commission to prosecute cases now before the Interstate Commerce Commission and to make a physical valuation of Iowa railroads; also protesting against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Winnebago county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee county, in regard to railroad rates and appropriations for the Railroad Commission.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Ida county, urging amendment of House File No. 276, relative to practice of medicine.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of Farmers Elevator Co., Aurelia, Iowa, urging passage of a law relative to inspection of weights and measures.

Referred to committee on dairy and food.

Senator Grout presented a remonstrance of citizens of Cedar Falls, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Carroll county, urging passage of laws in regard to hunting and hunters' licenses.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator Helmer presented remonstrance of citizens of Grand Junction, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Greene county, in regard to railroad rates and appropriation for the railroad commission.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Thomas presented a remonstrance of citizens of Afton, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Lucas and Wayne counties, favoring House File No. 282, abolishing the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Enger presented a remonstrance of citizens of Winneshiek county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Enger presented a remonstrance of citizens of Winneshiek county against passage of Senate File No. 89, providing for free text books to the public schools.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Enger presented a remonstrance of citizens of Winneshiek county against passage of House File No. 276, relating to the practice of medicine.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Robinson presented a remonstrance of citizens of Mason City, Iowa, and Franklin county against passage of House File No. 276, relating to the practice of medicine.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Eagle Grove, Iowa, urging passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Chase presented a remonstrance of citizens of Wright and Franklin counties favoring the abolition of the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Hardin county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Chase presented a remonstrance of citizens of Hardin county against increased passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Eagle Grove, Iowa, relative to the preservation of the lakes of Iowa.

Referred to committee on public lands.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Sioux county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Ocheyedan, Iowa, favoring the establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Henigbaum presented a remonstrance of citizens of Scott county against increased passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

House File No. 161, a bill for an act to amend paragraph five (5) of section four hundred twenty-two (422) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the building or repair of county buildings, to require advertisements, bids, written contracts, bonds, and plans and specifications in certain cases, and to fix the requirements thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution inviting Gen. Grenville M. Dodge to address a joint convention of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly at his convenience.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House concurrent resolution relative to the appointment of a commission to act jointly with similar commissions from neighboring states in drafting a bill relative to various interstate drainage projects.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 68, a bill for an act providing funds and making appropriation for the participation of the state of Iowa in the celebration of the semi-centennial anniversary of the act of emancipation, to be held at Chicago, Illinois, in the year 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 365, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter nineteen-b (19-b) of title twelve (12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor to prevent the procreation of the insane, idiots, imbeciles and feeble-minded.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 418, a bill for an act acquiring common carriers of intoxicating liquor to keep a daily record of such shipments; prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such records by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senators Allen and Whitmore, Senate File No. 419, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419) of the code, and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 420, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, etc.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 421, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the prohibitory liquor law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 422, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 423, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale, etc., of intoxicating liquors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senators Wilson and Whitmore, Senate File No. 425, a bill for an act prohibiting the collection of, or attempt to collect, or solicitation for, payment within this state, for intoxicating liquor sold or shipped within this state for illegal purposes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the

term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Whitmore, Senate File 427, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mullet tax, statement by citizens and enacting a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for the consideration of Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 250, a bill for an act to punish the fraudulent giving of checks or drafts upon any bank or banking association and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, was taken up for further consideration.

The following amendment offered by Senator Thomas on February 23d was before the Senate for consideration:

Amend by striking out all after the word "imprisonment" in line eight and add a period.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 250 by substituting therefor the following:
A BILL FOR AN ACT To Punish the Fraudulent Making, Delivering or Uttering of Checks, Drafts or Written Orders Upon Any Bank, Person or Corporation Without Sufficient Funds to Meet or Pay the Same and Defining What Shall Be Material and Competent Evidence in Prosecution Therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Any person who, with intent to defraud, and who receives money, credit or thing of value therefor shall make, draw, deliver, utter or give any check, draft or written order upon any bank, person or corporation and shall not have credit or funds with such bank, person or corporation sufficient to meet or pay the same; shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500), or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and the fact that payment of said check, draft or written order when presented in the usual course of business shall be refused by the bank,

person or corporation upon which it is drawn or that it be protested for nonpayment for lack of such credit or funds with which to meet the same shall be competent and material evidence in a prosecution under this statute.

Senator Wilson raised the point of order that the amendment offered by Senator Kimball was not an amendment to the amendment and was therefore not in order.

Point of order declared well taken.

Senator Wilson moved that the amendment by Senator Thomas be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

The amendment by Senator Thomas was lost.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

“Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting the following therefor:

SECTION 1. Any person who, with intent to defraud, and who receives money, credit or thing of value therefor shall make, draw, deliver, utter or give any check, draft or written order upon any bank, person or corporation and shall not have credit or funds with such bank, person or corporation sufficient to meet or pay the same, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500), or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and the fact that payment of said check, draft or written order when presented in the usual course of business shall be refused by the bank, person or corporation upon which it is drawn or that it be protested for nonpayment for lack of such credit or funds with which to meet the same shall be competent and material evidence in a prosecution under this statute.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Quigley,

Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Hilsinger, Jackson, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Voorhees—9.

Senator Kimball moved to amend the title to Senate File No. 250 by substituting the following title therefor:

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Punish the Fraudulent Making, Delivering or Uttering of Checks, Drafts or Written Orders Upon Any Bank, Person or Corporation Without Sufficient Funds to Meet or Pay the Same and Defining What Shall Be Material and Competent Evidence in Prosecution Therefor.

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title, as amended, was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 428, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred ten (1310), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the taxation of moneys and credits.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 429, a bill for an act relating to the receiving and giving of tips or gratuities, and providing a penalty therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 430, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five thousand twenty-eight-b (5028-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to unfair discrimination between different sections, localities, communities, cities or towns in this state in any article of commerce.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Savage, Senate File No. 431, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-five twenty-eight-e (2528-e), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e1 (2528-e1), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e2 (2528-e2), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e3 (2528-e3), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e4 (2528-e4) and twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e5 (2528-e5), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of calcium carbide.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 432, a bill for an act to amend section forty-eight hundred fifty-two (4852) of the code relating to the disposing of mortgaged property and providing a penalty for selling, concealing or otherwise disposing of property purchased under a conditional contract of sale.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 433, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred forty-three (2243), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the appointment and compensation of stewards of county homes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

SENATE RESOLUTION.

Senator Darrah offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Hon. Warren S. Dungan, a pioneer resident of Lucas county, Iowa, a member of this Senate in 1861 and 1889, a member of the House of Representatives in 1880 and 1882, and Lieutenant Governor of this state in 1893 to 1895, in which positions he served his state and nation with honor, departed this life at his home in Chariton, Iowa, May 9, 1913,

Be It Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the President of the Senate to prepare and submit resolutions commemorating his life, character and public service.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

President pro tem Arney appointed as such committee Senators Darrah, Crist and Clarkson.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Foskett offered the following concurrent resolution :

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to furnish the Enrolling Clerk and the Engrossing Clerk of the Senate each a copy of the Code and Supplement to the Code, 1913.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 365, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter nineteen-b (19-b) of title twelve (12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor to prevent the procreation of the insane, idiots, imbeciles and feeble-minded.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

House File No. 68, a bill for an act providing funds and making appropriation for the participation of the state of Iowa in the celebration of the semi-centennial anniversary of the act of emancipation, to be held at Chicago, Illinois, in the year 1915.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, there exist along the state line separating Iowa and Minnesota important areas of the very richest of agricultural lands which remain partially or wholly unproductive because the present laws provide no means of co-operative interstate drainage, therefore

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Iowa, the Senate concurring, That the Governor is hereby requested and empowered to appoint a commission of three members to act in conjunction with a like commission to be appointed by the Governor of Minnesota or other contiguous state, for the purpose of jointly agreeing upon a bill to be presented for enactment by the legislatures of the states concerned, said bill to provide for the formation, financing, construction and maintenance of interstate drainage projects. The commission to act without expense to the state.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 145, a bill for an act limiting the time within which actions to set aside, cancel, amend, declare void or invalid, or to redeem

from certain tax deeds, guardians deeds, executors deeds, receivers deeds, referees deeds, assignees deeds, administrators deeds, or trustees deeds and declaring such deeds and all proceedings upon which they are based conclusively presumed to be in all things valid and unimpeachable and effective to convey title, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows:

By changing the words and figures "sixteen (1916)" in the ninth and twelfth lines to the word and figures "seventeen (1917)"; and by adding the words "sheriffs' deed" between the words "assignees deed' and "which" in the fourth line; and when so amended the bill do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Schrup, from the committee on claims, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the State Institution for Inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations with recommendation that it be amended as follows:

Striking out in line three in section one (1), the words and figures "three hundred dollars (\$300.00)," and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two hundred dollars (\$200.00);" and when so amended the bill do pass.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Schrup, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill referred to the committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred House File No. 24, a bill for an act making an appropriation to reimburse J. M. Tannehill, an employe of the Iowa School for the Deaf, for loss of wages and expenses incurred by reason of an injury sustained in connection with his employment at said school on the 31st day of December, 1912, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations with recommendation that it be amended as follows:

Striking out in line three in Section one (1), the words and figures "nine hundred sixty-nine dollars (\$969.00)," and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures "seven hundred twenty dollars (\$720.00)"; and when so amended the bill do pass.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Schrup the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate File No. 158, a bill for an act to make an appropriation for Harry B. Moore on account of injury received by him at the Iowa Soldiers' Home at Marshalltown, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to committee on appropriations without recommendation.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Schrup the report of the committee was adopted and the bill referred to the committee on appropriations.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on labor, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on labor, to whom was referred Senate File No. 97, a bill for an act to limit and restrict the time of service per day of laborers and mechanics employed upon any public works of the state or of any political subdivision thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Wilson, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 26, a bill for an act to amend section 1571-m 17, supplement to the code, 1913, providing for signal lights on buggies, carriages, spring wagons and other vehicles, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent, the bill was placed on the Calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 4, a bill for an act to fix the standard width of public roads in the state, at fifty (50) feet and regulating the removal of poles and fences to conform thereto, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent, the bill was placed on the Calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 184, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 17 (1527-s 17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of obstructions in public highways, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Balkema, the report was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 349, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s 8), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to road funds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 331, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven s 11 (1527-s 11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standard specifications, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 330, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s 2), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the state highway commission, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 332, a bill for an act to provide funds for assisting in eliminating dangers at railroad crossings, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting after the comma following the word "crossings" in the second line of section one (1) of said bill the following: "pursuant to an agreement reached by negotiations between the railroad officials and the board of supervisors or trustees, or upon an order and finding of the railroad commission,"

Amend by inserting between the words "in" and "constructing" in the sixth line of section one (1) the words "so assisting in".

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 291, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Chase called up the motion filed on March 6th to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 122 failed to pass the Senate.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Enger, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—13.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Chase moved to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 122 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Unanimous consent was given for the consideration of the bill at this time.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Larrabee—2.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had, on March 6th, 1915, approved Senate Joint Resolution No. 7 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 6.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of forty-five thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved road-

ways along streets, avenues, and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof. (Additional to chapter 7 of title 5 of the code and amendments thereto, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption.

Amend Senate File No. 143 by inserting the word "benefits" between the words "the" and "value" in line 10 of Section 3 of the printed bill.

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 143 by striking out the words in parenthesis at the end of the title.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 143 by striking from Section 8 of said bill the following: "An annual tax for a term of not exceeding 10 years" in lines two and three of said Section 8 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "A tax not exceeding 10 mills on the dollar".

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

Amend by inserting the words "of all" between the word "cost" and the word "of" in the fourth line of Section 8 of the printed bill, and by adding the letter "s" to the word "improvement" in the fourth line of Section 8 of the printed bill, and by inserting the word "all" between the words "in" and "the" in line five of Section 8 of the printed bill, and by adding the letter "s" to the word "district" in the same line.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill as amended by inserting the words "for ten years" after the words "on the dollar" and before the words "nor succeeding" in the third line of Section 8 in the printed bill as amended.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by substituting for the words "forty-five" in line one of the title thereof the word "five" and by substituting for the words "forty-five" in line one of section one thereof, the word "five".

Withdrawn.

Senator Helmer moved that further consideration of Senate File No. 143 be postponed until 11 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senator Clarkson moved that all amendments heretofore offered to Senate File No. 143, and such further amendments as might be filed with the Secretary of the Senate during the day, be printed in the Journal of March 8th.

Carried.

Senator Helmer filed the following amendment.

Amend Senate File No. 143 as follows: By striking out of the first and second lines of the title the words "having a population of 45,000 or more" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of the first and second class."

Also by striking out of the first and second lines of Section 1 the words "having a population of 45,000 or more" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of the first and second class."

Senator Balkema filed the following amendment:

Amend section 8 of the bill by inserting between the article "a" and the word "tax" in line two of the printed bill the word "total".

On request of Senator Thomas leave of absence was granted Senator Crist for the day.

On request of Senator Larrabee leave of absence was granted Senators Perkins and Hilsinger for the day.

On request of Senator Sheean leave of absence was granted Senator Voorhees for the day.

Journal of March 6th was taken up, corrected and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 434, a bill for an act to provide for the safety of people employed or assembling in certain buildings, and to charge owners and others with duties with reference thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 a. m. tomorrow.

Senator Thomas moved to amend the motion making time of adjournment 9 o'clock instead of 10 o'clock.

Carried.

Motion by Senator Francis, as amended, prevailed.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 9, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 o'clock a. m., President pro tem of the Senate, L. E. Crist, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Allen A. Thompson, Chariton, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Arney presented a remonstrance of registered nurses of Marshalltown, Iowa, against the bill relating to registered or graduate nurses.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshall county, favoring the establishment of board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of Sawyer W. C. T. U., Fort Madison, Iowa, favoring the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Chase presented a remonstrance of citizens of Waterloo, Iowa, against the drainage of any lakes.

Referred to committee on public lands.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of the Switchman's Union of Valley Junction, Iowa, relating to the semi-monthly pay bill.

Referred to committee on railroads.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 435, a bill for an act to amend section six hundred fifty-four (654), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of police matrons.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 82, a bill for an act to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in the state of Iowa, by the prohibition of treating, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 13, a bill for an act amending sections twenty-four hundred fifty (2450) and twenty-four hundred fifty-one (2451) of the code and limiting the period in which statements of consent and petitions of revocation of consent for sale of intoxicating liquors may be circulated, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 90, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-c (2461-c) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the amount of the annual mulct tax, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 81, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-h (2461-h) of the supplement to the

code, 1913, relating to the number of saloons which may be operated in any city or town, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 12, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the code of 1897, relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code of 1897, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO Amend Section Twenty-four Hundred Thirteen (2413) of the Code, Relating to Liquor Search Warrants and Seizures; and to Amend Section Twenty-four Hundred Fifteen (2415) of the Code, Relating to Notice, Trial, Judgment and Appeal Upon Same.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the Code, be and the same is hereby amended by adding after the comma following the word county as it appears the second time in the second line thereof, the following words: "or any judge of the district court of said county, or any judge of the superior court of any city within said county"; and by adding after the word "justice" in the ninth line thereof the words "or judge"; and by adding in the eighteenth line thereof after the comma following the word "justice", the words "or judge"; and by adding in the twenty-ninth line thereof, after the word "justice", the words "or judge".

SECTION 2. That section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the Code, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "justice" in the third line thereof, the words "or judge"; and by inserting after the word "justice" in the tenth line thereof the words "or judge"; and by inserting after the word "justice" in the twentieth line thereof, the words "or judge"; and by inserting after the word "justice" in the twenty-fourth line thereof, the words "or judge"; and by inserting after the word "justice" in the thirty-second line thereof, the words "or judge"; and by inserting after the word "justice" in the thirty-fifth line thereof, the words "or judge"; and by inserting after the word "justice" in the forty-sixth line thereof, the words "or judge"; and by inserting after the word "may" in the forty-ninth line thereof, the words "in cases arising before a justice of the peace".

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 369, a bill for an act to create a bureau of poultry as a branch of the department of agriculture, to provide for the organization thereof, and making an appropriation therefor, and to amend sections sixteen hundred fifty-seven-b and sixteen hundred fifty-seven-k, supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 177, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s three (1527-s 3) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment of the county road system and the improvement thereof, and the construction of bridge and culvert work thereon.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 361, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 357, a bill for an act to amend section eighteen hundred seventy (1870) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the limit of liabilities to state and savings banks.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent resolution relative to holding a joint session to hear Hon. John R. Mott.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 20, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section twenty-four forty-eight (2448) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of names required upon the written statement of consent to sales of intoxicating liquors in cities, including cities acting under special charters, of five thousand or more inhabitants, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 22, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section twenty-four forty-eight (2448) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the time of closing places where intoxicating liquors are sold, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 10, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435) of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to mulct tax, statement by citizens, and enacting a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 21, a bill for an act regulating the granting of licenses to sell intoxicating liquors under the mulct law, and prohibiting the granting of such licenses in towns of less than one thou-

sand inhabitants and prohibiting the operation of saloons in towns of less than such population, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 294, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419) of the code, and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent, placed on the Calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 11, a bill for an act regulating the shipment of intoxicating liquor into the state between points within the state, regulating the delivery of such liquor, providing for the filing of statements with the county auditor showing such shipments and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that further action on Senate File No. 11 be deferred and that the bill be placed on the calendar.

Senator Savage moved as a substitute for the motion of Senator Clarkson that Senate File No. 11 be recommitted to the committee on suppression of intemperance and be considered in connection with Senate File No. 418.

Senator Hagemann moved that the substitute motion by Senator Savage be laid on the table.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Kimball, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa—11.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Farr, Gillette, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Parker—8.

So the motion to lay on the table was lost.

Senator Enger moved the previous question on the substitute motion by Senator Savage.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Arney, Caswell, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Hagemann—5.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Farr, Fleck, Gillette, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Parker, Quigley, Voorhees—11.

The motion for the previous question prevailed.

On the motion by Senator Savage to recommit Senate File No. 11 to the committee on suppression of intemperance, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Arney, Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, White of Iowa—12.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Farr, Fellows, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Voorhees—12.

The motion to recommit prevailed.

Senator Francis called up for consideration the following House concurrent resolution:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved by the House, the Senate Concurring, That the Honorable John R. Mott be invited to address a joint session of the Assembly at 11:30 A. M. today.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate concur in the resolution.

Senator Chase moved that the House concurrent resolution be amended by striking out the figures 11:30 and substituting the figures 11:45.

Amendment lost.

The Senate concurred in the House concurrent resolution.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time for special order No. 1 having arrived, on motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 199, a bill for an act to repeal sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), and one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the destruction of noxious weeds and other weeds and brush upon lands, highways and other places; assessing the costs and expenses of the destruction of the same to the lands and owners thereof; and providing funds with which to destroy the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, was taken up for further consideration.

The following committee amendments to Senate File No. 199 were pending:

Amend section 7 by striking from the second line of the original bill the word "May" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June."

Amend section 8 by inserting after the word "who" in the second line of the original bill a comma (,) and also the following: "after complaint has been made to him as provided for in section three (3) of this act."

Amend by numbering section 9 as section 10 and inserting the following as section 9: "Any person liable for the destruction of weeds under section three (3) of this act who fails or neglects to comply with an order of the board of supervisors, township trustees, town or city councils or commission, as the case may be, as provided in said section three (3), shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00) and costs of prosecution."

Amend by adding thereto the following as section 11: "This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published at Sioux City, Iowa."

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the amendment to Section 8, found on page 423 of the Senate Journal, by inserting between the words "complaint" and "has" the words "in writing, specifying the section where uncut weeds exist,"

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 199, by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the Board of Supervisors of each county to cause to be cut, burned, or otherwise entirely destroyed all noxious weeds on the public roads in such county under the county road system as defined in Section Two (2) thereof, at such times in each year and in such manner as shall prevent the said weeds from blooming or coming to maturity and to keep the said roads free from such growths of other weeds and brush as shall render said roads unsafe for public travel or shall interfere in any manner with the proper construction or repair of said roads, and shall cause to be cut near the surface all weeds and brush on said roads between the first day of July and the first day of August of each year, but nothing herein shall prevent the land owner from harvesting the grass growing upon the roads along his land, in proper season, or from cutting the weeds at such time as he may desire.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of the township trustee in each township of the state to cause to be cut, burned or otherwise entirely destroyed all noxious weeds as defined in Section Two (2) hereof, on such roads

as are under their supervision and control, at such times in each year and in such manner as shall prevent the said weeds from blooming and coming to maturity, and keep the said roads free from such growths of other weeds and brush as shall render said roads unsafe for public travel or shall interfere in any manner with the proper construction or repair of said roads, and shall cause to be cut near the surface all weeds and brush on said roads between the first day of July and the first day of August of each year, but nothing herein shall prevent the land owner adjacent to said road or roads from harvesting the grass growing upon the roads along his land in proper season or from cutting the weeds at such time as he may desire.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the town council or Board of Commissioners, if within the limits of the incorporated town or city, to perform the same duties within the limits of such incorporated city or town as are prescribed to be done by the Board of Supervisors in Section One (1), hereof, or the township trustees in Section Two (2) hereof.

SECTION 4. The following weeds are hereby declared to be noxious weeds: Quack grass (*agropyron repens*), Canada thistle (*cirsium arvense*), cocklebur (*xanthium canadense*), wild mustard (*brassica arvensis*), sour or curled dock (*rumex crispus*), smooth dock (*rumex altissimus*), buckthorn or ribbed plantain (*plantago lanceolata*), wild parsnip (*pastinaca sativa*), horse nettle (*solanum carolinense*), velvet weed or button weed (*abutilon theophrasti*), burdock (*arctium lappa*), shoo fly (*hibiscus trionum*), wild carrot (*daucus carota*), and Russian thistle (*sal-sola Keli I. var. targus*).

SECTION 5. It shall be the duty of all officers directly responsible for the care of public highways to make complaint to the proper Board of Supervisors, Township Trustees, Town Council or Commissioners, as the case may be, whenever it shall appear that the provisions of Section One (1) hereof may not be complied with in time to prevent the blooming and maturing of noxious weeds or the unlawful growth of weeds and brush.

SECTION 6. Any member of the Board of Supervisors, Township Trustee, Road Officer or other officer, who neglects or fails to perform the duties incumbent upon him under the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

SECTION 7. Sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Senator Chase moved that further consideration be postponed until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow and made a special order for that time.

Senator Helmer moved to amend the motion by making the time for special order Thursday at 11 a. m.

Carried.

The motion as amended prevailed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 66, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two (932) of the code, relating to the transfer of public squares or other plats of ground deeded or dedicated to the public, to be used for school purposes.

Also :

Senate File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize ordinances numbers two hundred (200) to two hundred twenty-one (221) of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa.

Also :

Senate File No. 16, a bill for an act additional to and amendatory of the law as it appears in title III, chapter 5B, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for medical and surgical treatment and hospital care of children who are afflicted with any malady or deformity which can probably be remedied, whose parents, or other persons chargeable with their support, are unable to provide such treatment and care, providing for payment of the expenses thereof, and conferring upon juvenile courts jurisdiction and certain powers in such cases, and conferring additional powers upon the Board of Control of State Institutions and the State Board of Education relative to the commitment of inmates of institutions under their control to the Medical College of the State University.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 66, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two (932) of the code, relating to the transfer of public squares or other plats of ground deeded or dedicated to the public, to be used for school purposes.

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H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 11, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-three hundred eight (3308) of the supplement to the code, nineteen hundred thirteen (1913), relating to releasing liens by foreign administrators, executors, and guardians.

Also :

House File No. 55, a bill for an act to legalize decrees obtained prior to January fifteenth, nineteen hundred fifteen (1915), in cases against unknown claimants, defendants, where the notice was entitled in the initial or initials of the plaintiff instead of his Christian or given name.

Also :

House File No. 118, a bill for an act to require pawnbrokers, junk dealers or dealers in second hand goods to report to the police the purchase or receipt of certain classes of goods by such broker or dealers, and providing that certain classes of goods shall not be sold for a specified time and shall be kept where same can be seen or inspected, and providing

a penalty for the violation of the provisions herein contained and providing that under certain conditions the person buying or receiving such goods shall be liable to the owner thereof for their full value.

Also:

House File No. 161, a bill for an act to amend paragraph five (5) of section four hundred twenty-two (422) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the building or repair of county buildings, to require advertisements, bids, written contracts, bonds, and plans and specifications in certain cases, and to fix the requirements thereof.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President pro tem Crist announced that as president pro tem of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 16, 66 and 124.

President pro tem Crist announced that, as President pro tem of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 11, 118, 161, and 55.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for special order No. 3, on motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of forty-five thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues, and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof. (Additional to chapter 7 of title 5 of the code and amendments thereto), was taken up for further consideration.

By unanimous consent, Senator Farr withdrew the following amendments to section 8, offered by him on March 8th:

Amend Senate File No. 143 by striking from Section 8 of said bill the following: "An annual tax for a term of not exceeding ten years" in lines

two and three of said Section 8 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "A tax not exceeding 10 mills on the dollar".

Amend by inserting the words "of all" between the word "cost" and the word "of" in the fourth line of Section 8 of the printed bill, and by adding the letter "s" to the word "improvement" in the fourth line of Section 8 of the printed bill, and by inserting the word "all" between the words "in" and "the" in line five of Section 8 of the printed bill, and by adding the letter "s" to the word "district" in the same line.

By unanimous consent, Senator Kimball withdrew the following amendment offered by him on March 8th:

Amend the bill as amended by inserting the words "for ten years" after the words "on the dollar" and before the words "nor succeeding" in the third line of Section 8 in the printed bill as amended.

By unanimous consent, Senator Balkema withdrew the following amendment offered by him on March 8th:

Amend section 8 of the bill by inserting between the article "a" and the word "tax" in line two of the printed bill the word "total".

Senator Farr offered the following amendment as a substitute for section 8 of Senate File No. 143 and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out section 8 and substituting the following therefor:

SECTION 8. Such city shall have power after the completion of any improvement contemplated in this act, to levy upon all taxable property in said city contained, an annual tax for the purpose of paying that portion of the cost of such improvement not borne by the special assessments levied against the lots and tracts of land embraced in the paving district established therefor, but the aggregate of all such levies shall not exceed ten mills, nor shall such levies in the aggregate, exceed one mill for any one year.

A committee from the House appeared and notified the Senate that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint session.

Senate proceeded to the House under the direction of the sergeant-at-arms.

JOINT SESSION.

In accordance with law and concurrent resolution duly adopted, the joint session was called to order, President pro tempore Crist presiding.

The roll was called and the following members responded:

Anderson of Davis, Anderson of Greene, Anderson of Montgomery, Anderson of Winnebago, Atkinson, Ball, Bauman, Becker, Bingham, Boe, Brady, Brammer, Bronson, Buxton, Clark, Coakley, Cochrane, Craven, Crozier, Darrah of Franklin, Darrah of Lucas, Doran, Durant, Eggleston, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Freeman, Garton, Gilbert, Gilmore, Grason, Gray, Greene of Clinton, Greene of Grundy, Griffin, Grout, Hadley, Hale, Hall, Helmer, Helming, Holbert, Horchem, Ingwersen, Jackson, Jamison, Jessen, Johnston of Lucas, Jones of Dickinson, Jones of Montgomery, Kimberly, Klinker, Kopp, Larrabee, Lee, Lenocker, Lindly, Lueders, McDermid, McFarlane, McFerren, Mackie, Michael, Moore, Munro, Murray, Nicholson, Nordyke, Nye, Oldenburg, Petersen, Pitt, Purdy, Rayburn, Ream, Rees, Reese, Richards, Ring, Roberts, Robinson, Rogers, Rone, Rowles, Schmedika, Shortess, Slaughter, Smith, Spotts, Steelsmith, Stokes, Stone, Sullivan, Swain, Taylor of Buchanan, Tucker, Turner, Wayman, Wenstrand, Whitmore, Wilson of Appanoose, Wilson of Cherokee, Wilson of Louisa, Wilson of Mahaska, Witthauer, White of Benton, White of Iowa—110.

Those absent were:

Allen, Arney, Bailey, Balkema, Barry, Bruce, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Coast, Crist, Doze, Elwood, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Herman, Hilsinger, Johnston of Humboldt, Jones of Cerro Gordo, Kane, Kelso, Kepple, Kimball, Laffer, Miller, Neff, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Sawyer, Schrup, Shaeffer, Sheean, Swenson, Taylor of Van Buren, Thomas, Thompson of Decatur, Thompson of Des Moines, Voorhees, Wigdahl, Wilson of Mitchell—48.

Taylor of Buchanan moved that a committee of two be appointed to escort Mr. Mott to the Speaker's desk.

Motion prevailed and the President appointed as such committee Taylor of Buchanan and Taylor of Van Buren.

The committee escorted Mr. Mott to the Speaker's desk.

President Crist presented Representative Taylor to the joint session.

Representative Taylor then introduced John R. Mott to the joint session, who addressed the joint convention as per previous invitation.

Bronson of Black Hawk moved that the address of Mr. Mott be printed in the Journals of the Senate and House.

Motion prevailed.

JOHN R. MOTT.

Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, Gentlemen of the Assembly:

I value more highly than I can express this privilege of meeting this body of men of wide outlook and of responsiveness to the highest ideals and purposes that are working in our generation; and it is an added honor to be permitted to come at a time like this when so many men are associating themselves in constructive measures, which have commended, not only the attention, but the sympathetic approval and convictions of discerning men throughout our nation. I confess that my heart beats a little more quickly, and the emotions of patriotism become more intense as I find myself back after varied wanderings in the state with the associations of my boyhood and my young manhood, those never to be forgotten vision-forming and character-building days. And I think, coming back from my work in some forty to forty-five different nations abroad, I have an added appreciation of what is being wrought out in this commonwealth in the upper Mississippi valley. I have often said in other quarters, in my judgment, the hope of the largest measures, for the expansion of the faith and of the principles which we most value in America, lies in the upper Mississippi valley. That has come to me more and more through my world-wide travels; and I ever honor this great commonwealth, from the days when I had the rare privilege of the fellowship and tutelage of Governor William Larrabee, one of the most proficient, wise, constructive and disinterested men in the long line of public characters in this state, and I have ever been proud of the peoples of this state and commonwealth in our nation and in their outreach in the world. In these recent months I had the sacred privilege, as well as the sad privilege, of being in the war zone of Europe; and I will say that I have come back here much older than I was a few months ago. I would be a hypocrite were this not the case. No man could see what I have been obliged to see without being a changed man; and no man could listen to what I have listened and not have the springs of vitality sapped. I have been going to Europe every year for twenty-five years, but I have never known Europe until this time. I have come to see that you cannot know a nation, just as you cannot know an individual, until you see that nation subjected to an impossible strain. Then you see the lines of least resistance; then you become aware of the weaknesses, as well happily, as their strength and power. I have looked into the very soul of the great European peoples, and I say

it reverently—"I have entered into fellowship with their sufferings." Naturally I received impressions of them just as you would here of nations at long range. I was impressed in each nation by the fact that the people of that nation are perfectly united. There may be rifts of divisions—in my judgment there are rifts of division beneath the surface—in each nation now at war, but they are not apparent. Everywhere you are impressed with the solidarity of the nations. In France I found Roman Catholics, Jews, Protestants, agnostics, blending their age-long differences in a common loyalty and devotion. In Germany I could hardly believe what I found, in view of my earlier experience, that the democrats and the autocrats of the imperial government, had formed a wondrous unity. So in each of the other nations, I received the impression that in each country the people are not only perfectly united, but absolutely determined. If you ask me to name the nation which gave me evidence of having the least will power, I would be unable to answer your question, because nowhere did I find evidence of flabbiness of will, weakness of purpose, or want of staying power. That lends tragedy to the situation.

Take France. I read a book written by a Roman Catholic ecclesiast, entitled "France Herself Again." The writer was showing how in recent years France has reverted to her best type, and how tremendously the events of the recent months have accentuated his main contention instead of that old emotional, changeable, volatile, talkative France with which you and I are familiar with on earlier visits. I found a people characterized by wonderful poise, calm, not speaking, fixed in their purpose, steady,—but not more than any other nations which I visited on both sides of the struggle. In each country I found the people not only perfectly united and absolutely determined, but fully confident. I did meet here and there a German who doubted as to their success on the sea, but I never met a German who had any doubt whatever as to their success on the land, nor have I since heard of one. In each country I found the people trying to justify their positions before all the other nations of the world, and in particular before the United States of America. They seem to look upon us as a supreme court. And by the way it impressed me with our tremendous responsibility. Among the thousands of conversations which I had with leading men of all these nations, as well as with men in humble walks of life, sooner or later an attempt was made to discover what was the present or probable attitude of the American toward their particular position. When people tell you that this war gives evidence of the breaking down of Christianity, they are not thinking straight. There has been no circumstance which has so revealed the fact that Christianity has been getting in its work. In connection with what previous war or occasion have we had such abundant proof that conscience has been educated, so that today one finds it troubled and seeking to justify itself. And that reminds me that today they are using the phrase "Holy War." If you were to ask me which country regards it as the most holy war, I might say Russia. In all my visits I have been impressed with the thought that the Russian people, as a whole, are among the most religious of people, possibly with the exception of the British Indians. I do not know that

I should make that exception. The Russians go literally from their knees to the war.

Likewise in France, how different it seemed, for instead of finding as I have in all my earlier visits, that the educated classes and the governing classes, and the virile men in general, were indifferent concerning religion, this year I found not only the churches and chapels, but the cathedrals, packed to their outer limits, by all classes of men not called to the colors. I had a letter a week ago from a friend in Paris, a prominent representative of the government, who had just come back from the front, investigating a certain department of the war, and he had only one criticism to make, and he is an agnostic: "My only criticism at the front is that our soldiers are becoming too religious."

In Germany, not only on Sundays but on week nights, and often in the day time, you will find the churches and chapels thronged. No regiment thinks of going to the front without the holy sacrament. The song that I heard most, sung by the soldiers of Germany, and they were singing most of the time, was not "Die Wacht am Rhein," not "Deutschland uber Alles," but the Luther Hymn, and my attention was called to the fact of how they repeated over and over again the familiar second verse—you recall it.

The other day, coming down from Manchester, I was talking with an European soldier, invalided home, as a result of concussion from shell fire. A large number of men are wounded by shell fire. I have read that seventy per cent of the wounded are wounded by shell fire. But indifferent to this, many men, even of the strongest nerves, break down sooner or later, because of this steady shell fire, and are invalided home or sent back among the reserves for the time being. This was one of those men, a Christian man. He said to me: "It was awfully hard for us in a certain action to turn the machine guns on a German regiment as it came forward, when we got the familiar strains of the Luther Hymn."

The colossal dimensions of this war are everywhere in evidence. It is colossal, gentlemen, when it has called to the colors in the belligerent countries alone a little over twenty millions of men; and if you add the neutral countries where they have been mobilized, nearly four million more in Italy, the Balkan group, Switzerland, Holland and the Scandinavian group, the dimensions become colossal.

I crossed Germany the other day—a beautiful day. The sleeper service had been cut off, and I went all the way through by day. We passed over two hundred thousand soldiers. I was reminded of what Bismarck once said, that Germany will have three armies, one on the East, one on the West, and one on the Eisenbahn. Germany seems to move whole divisions in this war to the French and Polish borders, six hundred miles, with the same facility as in earlier wars they moved regiments from one position to another.

It is a costly war. Part of the time I was in Germany I was the guest of the under secretary of the finance department of the imperial government, a friend of mine of many years standing. I have come to the conclusion, and I have no reason to change my opinion, that the actual daily expenses for purely military and naval purposes,

since August first, in all the nations combined that are now at war, has been a little over thirty-seven million dollars gold, and some estimates are over fifty million dollars, and that is the smallest part of it. If you add the work of demolition in northern France, as one sees it everywhere in Belgium, still more in Poland, where over twelve thousand towns and villages have been utterly destroyed, then in Galicia, on the eastern borders of Prussia and in Russia, the price mounts. Then when you remember that nearly all of the armies outside of the British Isles are prescriptive, that is that all peasants bankers, doctors, lawyers, wealthy men, are invariably summoned to the ranks, and that you take out the productive, the constructive, the most virile, the most purposeful, and the best equipped men, the price mounts.

While crossing Germany the other day, where in my earlier visits to Westphalia I had known Breslau as a manufacturing town and where I had seen dense clouds of smoke from the factories, only one chimney remained in operation, and that was industrially connected with the war. In northern France I found that the provinces that produced more manufactured products than all the rest of France, were tied up absolutely. Belgium, the most highly organized industrial nation of the world, was tied up absolutely. In England, a little further removed from the center of the war zone, the great industries have been paused. Then when you think of our own nation, and every other neutral country, where you can point to activities that have been brought to a halt by this war, the price mounts. And if you add what it costs to produce a man and bring him up to the point where he is shot dead, and realize that over seven hundred thousand men have been killed, you begin to get a larger conception of the price that is being paid. Did I say seven hundred thousand? The number now is considerably over a million slain. When I called on our ambassador, Mr. Page, in London, I mentioned this to him, and he said "When a man says a village contains seven hundred inhabitants, I can take that in. If here is a division which had seventy thousand and at the end there are only thirty-two thousand left, I can comprehend that, for I lived in a village about that size. But when you come in and tell me seven hundred thousand have been killed, I cannot take it in." But, gentlemen, I begin to take it in.

The first home I visited in Europe was one in Germany. My host said thirty-one of his family had been called to the war, and that nine of the thirty-one had been killed. And the last home that I visited was Lord Balfour of Burleigh. He thought his older son was captured, but he learned that he had been killed five weeks before. He received a letter of condolence while I was there. As he read he choked up and he said "Mott, finish it for me." So it was, going from one house to another in Europe.

It is a suffering Europe. Before I left there over three million had been wounded. A large portion have what they call clean wounds, and are therefore patched up and sent into the fight again, but making all allowance for this, the numbers which have been added since I left,—I am well within the facts, as I can prove,—make nearly four millions of wounded. Can we take that in? A friend of mine in

eight days counted in Belgium one hundred fifty-one railway trains, averaging twenty railway carriages each, or over three thousand railway cars, filled with the German wounded, moving eastward. It reminded me of rivers of pain. When I was at the seat of the great German gunworks, I found that all through trains to Berlin run in two sections. There are similar trains in Austria-Hungary. I have seen those rivers of pain in France, and there are more of those trains in Russia than in any other country in this war. I have seen them in England.

The other day in Paris a friend of mine took me to the French lines. We went through the beautiful valley of the Marne, to the valley of the Aisne, within sound of the great guns by the trenches. I counted the fifteenth hospital,—there are more than that,—and I saw the rivulets and the gushing torrents coming out,—rivers of pain. But there is another kind of pain over there; it is that dull pain, that insistent pain, that pain ever present in every conscious moment, and therefore working in the unconscious moment that causes mothers, daughters, sisters, even little children, to start in the night.

In Berlin every German state has a foreign office, and by going to this office you may receive advance intelligence regarding the casualties. We came by the military college. They brought me into a room almost like this, and the first thing that I saw was this sign "Walk Softly, Speak Softly." One side of the room was an alphabetical list, and a man could go forward, point to a certain letter and find out things in advance. Women came with children clinging to their skirts. A friend told me that the other day a young German wife came to the station to bid farewell to her husband. She did not weep; she even tried to cheer him. The train left the station, and she fell dead on the platform. It was this fortitude, this repression, this bearing the cross that got into my consciousness. Truly it is a suffering Europe. It is stretched on a cross; but thank God it is an unselfish Europe.

I was expecting to enter into a difficult negotiation on the continent, and Mr. Page suggested that I ask certain people for help. I asked Mr. Page if it would not be a difficult thing for me to secure help from strangers, and he said "You will not find a selfish man or woman in Europe." I suppose they do not think it out, but if they do they probably think it this way: "While millions are stretched on beds of pain, God help us to do something to help relieve the strain and suffering."

I reached Holland two days after the fall of Antwerp. They had already taken in over one million Belgian refugees. They were not complaining; they were not boasting of their lot; they were rising to the occasion. I have never seen a whole nation unselfish before. Town after town had more Belgian refugees in it than Dutch. I went into a Belgian village and they were bringing in cans of milk and placing them down that the refugees might have their milk without price. Before I left England they were arriving in that country eight or nine thousand a day, and the English, Welsh and Scotch were eager to get them. They had given over twenty million dollars for benevolent funds, and have given vastly more since. Imagine my feelings

when I landed in New York, when I saw in the New York Times that up to that time our aggregate gifts had been one or two million dollars. We have been doing better recently. Thank God that we have raised it to about twelve million dollars. We are beginning to get under the load.

What are the effects of this war? No doubt you have read them between the lines. Gentlemen, you cannot spend each day for purely military and naval purposes, more than all the Protestants, Roman Catholics and missionary societies in the world are spending in a year on the expansion of the Christian religion, without cutting into the present and future resources of civilization; and you cannot turn the machine guns on the most virile men of the strongest nations of Europe, and keep them turned one,—they do not stop, it is a solid siege; they have spent more days fighting than we did in the Civil war. My friend in Paris said we make sixty thousand bullets per day, and we use fifty thousand per day. Something leads me to believe that this war will not last beyond another winter. There has been a little more than forty thousand men a day killed, wounded and imprisoned, more nearly forty-five thousand. You cannot stand this shell fire indefinitely.

I had a letter from this friend asking if we might not have some men from the neutral countries who might form plans for peace.

I said that would be possible if we could assemble the right men, and if they could command the confidence of all the belligerent countries. I said a second thing essential is, that we would have to wait until the psychological moment comes. It is coming, but I added that they have got to suffer more. I do not like to say it; I do not want to say it, but it is my belief now.

It was a sad night in Germany to see four hundred eighty thousand in their new uniforms. They distributed these beautiful boys twenty years of age to the two fronts, and put them in with the veterans, and there they were mowed down like wheat. And it brought tears to my eyes in England and Scotland, to see the flower of those British Isles sent to certain death, to a disproportionately large measure. The man who says these are not adverse results is thinking superficially. They are cutting down the leaders, not only of the present but of the next generation.

I am grateful to add there are favoring considerations in connection with this war. One is, that this war has demonstrated, as nothing else has done, the strength of the international Christian bonds, as manifested in movements like the Y. M. C. A., the Students' Christian movement and the missionary movement. During my twenty-five years trips over there I have built up an acquaintance of thousands in those countries, including leaders, and therefore I can bring you accurate word that I know by name men who have the confidence of millions in each of these countries, who have entered into an agreement that in these Christian enterprises, after they have fought out as citizens their political differences, they will instantly resume constructive co-operation after the war.

I have seen the greatest miracle that the world has ever seen. "Behold how these Christians love one another." I know people on both sides of this struggle. By what they are doing behind each others backs, I know that there is something in the world that Christ released when he said "Love your enemies." I do not find it springing up from any other source.

Another favoring consideration is, that it is revealing the helpfulness of international bonds. How I have seen the strong nations helping the weak nations. I have seen the neutral countries springing to the relief of the belligerent countries. The little countries put us to shame: Switzerland, Holland, Denmark.

Another favoring consideration is, that it is revealing the necessity for those international Christian bonds. This war will not be followed by over forty years of international revenge as in the Franco-Prussian war; neither will it be followed, as in our Civil war, by the division of whole churches, which are still rent in twain. It will be followed by an instant rebuilding of the great international structure.

Another favoring consideration is, that this war is revealing the shortcomings of the nations, and it is always well to know our shortcomings. This reflection is with me, gentlemen, by day and by night. What might we not have done if all leading citizens of our nation, in common with the other nations, had been busy throwing down strands of international friendship, busy magnifying the good points of other nations, busy moulding right attitudes between nations and other peoples! Would we have drifted to these rocks? Certainly not. We will not drift to them again, if I understand the nations today.

Another favoring consideration is, that it has revealed the capacities for vicariousness, for suffering, for sacrifice and a heroism of which we have not dreamed. I have been criticized for saying that it will take twenty thousand of the best young men and women from our colleges to evangelize the world in this generation. You will never hear me make such a low estimate. In Canada, in three of their greatest universities, half of the students have volunteered. Before I left England, fifty-six per cent of the students, and sixty-six per cent of the Christian students, and ninety per cent of the officers of the Christian Associations, had volunteered. Gentlemen, we have not been putting hard enough things on the students. There is a danger of bringing up another soft generation, in ease and extravagance. It is time to appeal to the heroic. They will respond, and we will save our nation, and we will take our part in the world's work. This war is trying the faith of men by fire. I come to you to say that faith is being purified, that superstition is being burned out. Men are not believing as many things, but the things they do believe are the things that count. The faith of Europe is being rebuilt as never before, not on a vague, shadowy influence, but on the Lord Jesus Christ.

Another favoring consideration is that this war is revealing the unparalleled opportunity for helpfulness and reconstruction. A year ago when I returned from the old world, I said in Iowa what I never thought I would live to say, that Egypt, Russia and Turkey are now plastic. And I say that Europe is now in the melting pot.

I spent a day with President Wilson not long ago, and in answer to his inquiry as to the outcome of the war, I said: "Mr. President, as your faith, so be it unto you." And by you I meant America. When this war is over, the nations now engaged in it will be exhausted economically, exhausted vitally, and I am afraid I must say exhausted largely in hope, in faith, in courage. Then America, with unspent energies, with the spirit of prophecy, with courage, not afraid of her strength, not afraid of her idealism, if she is sufficiently unselfish, may help meet, as we have never dreamed, even in the days of our fathers, the needs of the nations. May we not be found wanting at a time like this, when whole nations are stretched on a Calvary cross. How uncourageous it would be for America to drift into zones of selfishness. Rather may she preserve a true neutrality. Keep her moral powder dry until the psychological moment, and then not be afraid of her destiny.

Ring of Linn moved that the joint convention be now dissolved.

Motion prevailed and the joint convention was dissolved.

Senate returned to the Senate Chamber and resumed its sitting.

The Journal of March 8th was taken up, corrected and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Savage, Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145), one hundred forty-six (146) and one hundred fifty-four (154) of the code relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147) of the code and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-14 (2215-f-14), twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-15 (2215-f-15) and twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-16 (2215-f-16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 437, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections ten hundred seventy-two (1072) and twenty-seven hundred forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and compensation of a county superintendent of schools.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 438, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand two hundred twenty-seven (4227), chapter four-A (4-A) of title twenty-one (21), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a paragraph providing for payment of costs and expenses of restoring missing public records.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 439, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred thirty-six (136) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of the Iowa Academy of Sciences.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on educational institutions.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 440, a bill for an act to authorize boards of park commissioners of cities having a population of over twenty-five thousand (25,000) to locate and acquire single blocks of ground in different parts of such city for public play grounds and public squares for park purposes; to establish a park district comprising property benefited thereby and to assess the costs of acquiring such block of ground to the property so benefited.

Read first and second time and referred to the committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 441, a bill for an act relating to levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, additional to chapter two (2), title ten (X), of the code, and amendments thereto, and to chapter two-A (2-A), title ten (X), supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto and amending section one thousand nine hundred eighty-five-a (1985-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and amending section one thousand nine hundred eighty-six (1986) supplement to the code, 1913, and amending and additional to section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a52f (1989-a52f) supplement to the code, 1913, and additional to section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a52d (1989-a52d) supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Ream, Senate File No. 442, a bill for an act to legalize the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Wright, Mahaska county, Iowa.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Organization of the Consolidated Independent School District of Wright, Mahaska County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, on May 18, 1914, a petition duly approved by the County Superintendent of Mahaska county, Iowa, was filed with the Board of Directors of Maple Grove, Mahaska county, Iowa, which contained signatures of the legal number of qualified voters, asking for the establishment of a consolidated independent district, including the following sections, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the southeast quarter (1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15), Township Seventy-five (75); thence south to the southeast corner of southwest quarter (1-4) of Section Thirty-five (35), Range Fifteen (15), Township Seventy-five (75); thence west to the northwest corner of the northwest quarter (1-4) of Section Two (2), Township Seventy-four (74), Range Fifteen (15); thence south to the southwest corner of the southwest quarter (1-4) of Section 11, Township Seventy-four (74), Range Fifteen (15); thence east to the southeast corner of southeast quarter (1-4) of Section Eight (8), Township Seventy-four (74), Range Fourteen (14); thence north to the northeast corner of northeast quarter (1-4) of Section Five (5), Township Seventy-four (74), Range Fourteen (14); thence east to the southeast corner of southwest quarter (1-4) of the southwest quarter (1-4) of Section Thirty-three (33), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fourteen (14); thence north to the northeast corner of southwest quarter (1-4) of the northwest quarter (1-4), Section Thirty-three (33), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fourteen (14); thence west to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter (14) of the northwest quarter (1-4) of Section Thirty-three (33), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fourteen (14); thence north to the northeast corner of the northeast quarter (1-4) of Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fourteen (14); thence west to the southeast corner of the southwest quarter (1-4) of the southeast quarter (1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Seventy-five, Range Fifteen (15); thence north to the northeast corner of the northwest quarter (1-4) of southeast quarter (1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fifteen (15); thence west to the northwest corner of northwest quarter (1-4) of southeast quarter (1-4), Section Twenty-four (24), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fifteen (15); thence north to the northeast corner of southeast quarter (1-4) of northwest quarter (1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fifteen (15); thence west to the northwest corner of southeast quarter (1-4) of northeast quarter (1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fifteen (15); thence south to the southeast corner of southwest quarter (1-4) of the northeast quarter (1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Seventy-five (75), Range Fifteen (15); thence west to beginning, did declare the said district and territory to be the Consolidated Independent School District of Wright, Mahaska County, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Directors of the Independent District called an election that was held June 2, 1914, at which election the following

question was submitted, "Shall the proposed Consolidated Independent District of Wright be established?" and a majority of the votes cast at said election were in favor of establishing the said consolidated district, and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the organization of said Consolidated Independent School District; therefore

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That said Consolidated Independent School District of Wright, Mahaska County, Iowa, be and the same is hereby declared to be fully and legally organized and incorporated, with the boundaries as established by said election and the Board of Directors of said Maple Grove Township, the same as though all the provisions of the statute regulating the organization of Consolidated Independent School District had been fully complied with; and the said district is hereby declared to have all the power, right and privilege that would have belonged to said district, had the same been legally organized on the second day of June, 1914.

SEC. 2. All the acts of the de facto officers of said Consolidated Independent School District are hereby confirmed, and are declared to have the same force and effect as though said organization had been fully and legally completed on the second day of June, 1914.

SEC. 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after the date of its publication in the Des Moines News and Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 443, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-six (296), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees of the clerk of the district court, and enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 444, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred seventy-two (1072), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election of county superintendent of schools.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 445, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b (2734-b), and twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b1 (2734-41), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to qualifications of county superintendents,

and the method of filling vacancies in the office of county superintendent.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Arney, by request, Senate File No. 446, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred-1 (2600-1), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of dentistry.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 66, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two (932) of the code, relating to the transfer of public squares or other plats of ground deeded or dedicated to the public, to be used for school purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize ordinances numbers two hundred (200) to two hundred twenty-one (221) of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 16, a bill for an act additional to and amendatory of the law as it appears in title III, chapter 5B, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for medical and surgical treatment and hospital care of children who are afflicted with any malady or deformity which can probably be remedied, whose parents, or other persons chargeable for their support, are unable to provide such treatment and care, providing for payment of the expenses thereof and conferring upon juvenile courts jurisdiction and certain powers in such cases, and conferring additional powers upon the Board of Control of State Institutions and the State Board of Education relative to the commitment of inmates of institutions under their control to the Medical College of the State University.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Senator Taylor moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 10, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Roy N. Spooner, pastor of the M. E. church, Lorimor, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Cincinnati, Iowa, regarding change in game laws.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator White of Benton presented a remonstrance of citizens of Norway, Iowa, against House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White of Benton presented a petition of citizens of Tama county, regarding investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Arney presented a petition of merchants of Marshalltown, Iowa, favoring passage of the wage exemption bill.

Referred to committee on commerce and trade.

Senator Taylor presented a remonstrance of citizens of Van Buren county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Taylor county urging the enactment of a law providing for the Torrens system.

Referred to committee on judiciary No. 1.

Senator Lindly presented a remonstrance of citizens of Washington county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Enger presented a remonstrance of citizens of Winneshiek county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Perkins presented a remonstrance of citizens of Independence, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 234, relating to the issuance of bonds by cities and towns.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Perkins presented a remonstrance of citizens of Petersburg, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, relating to the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Perkins presented a petition of citizens of Hopkinton, Iowa, for amendment of House File No. 276, relating to practice of medicine.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Calhoun county favoring the granting of funds to the railroad commission to prosecute cases now before the interstate commerce commission and to make a physical valuation of Iowa railroads; also against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Cedar county relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas county relative to weights and measures.

Referred to committee on dairy and food.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas county endorsing House File No. 282, relative to roads and bridges.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Allen presented a remonstrance of citizens of Calhoun county against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Calhoun and Buena Vista counties urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Wright and Hamilton counties urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Sheean presented a remonstrance of citizens of Cedar county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Calhoun county urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Appanoose county relative to investigation of the state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Butler county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on fish and game, Senate File No. 447, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four (2544), twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two

(2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562) and twenty-five hundred sixty-two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and placed on the Calendar.

By Senator Schrup, Senate File No. 448, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 449, a bill for an act authorizing the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, prescribing the method of granting the authority therefor, the regulation of such traffic, and the punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 450, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand ninety-one-c (2091-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of districts and the voting of taxes to construct any trolley, or electrified railroad, or to electrify any steam railroad.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate Joint Resolution No. 16.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION Directing the State Highway Engineer to Inspect the Bridge and River Conditions at Eddyville, Iowa, and Make Report Thereon.

WHEREAS, it appears that the current of the Des Moines River is changing, and has been for some time past, at or near what is known as the Eddyville Bridge crossing the Des Moines River at or near the town of Eddyville, Wapello county, Iowa, and which bridge extends from said town across said Des Moines River, over to and into Monroe county, the west end of said bridge being located in Monroe county and the east end of said bridge being located in Wapello county, at or near the northeast corner of Wapello county, and the southeast corner of Mahaska county, and,

WHEREAS, by reason of the changing of said current in said river, it is imperiling the piers and abutments at the west end of said bridge, and the stream threatening to cut a new channel, thereby destroying a large area of valuable farming land at, near and adjacent to the west end of said bridge located in Monroe county, as aforesaid. Therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the State Highway Engineer be and he is hereby empowered, authorized and directed to view, inspect and survey said premises, if necessary, and make a report to the Thirty-seventh General Assembly of his findings, together with such recommendations as he may deem necessary to avoid destruction to the lands and bridge aforesaid, by reason of the conditions set forth in the foregoing.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 451, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the organization of consolidated independent districts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the commissioner of insurance.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 453, a bill for an act to protect the live stock interests of this state against the spread of infectious, contagious, or other diseases among live stock.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 454, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-eight hundred twelve-c (2812-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to school funding bonds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 455.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Construction of a Combined Municipal Electric Light and Waterworks System in and by the Town of Lu Verne, Iowa, and Bonds Issued for That Purpose and the Resolution, Acts and Proceedings Relating to the Authorization of the Construction of Such Plant and the Issuing of Such Bonds.

WHEREAS, there was, on February 3, 1914, filed with the Town Council of the Town Lu Verne, in the counties of Humboldt and Kossuth, in this State, a petition signed by certain qualified electors of said town asking said Council to call an election and submit thereat the proposition of issuing the bonds of said town in sum not to exceed \$15,000, the money to be derived from the sale of said bonds to be used to construct a combined waterworks plant and electric lighting system; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of said Town of Lu Verne did submit to the electors of said town at the regular town election held in said town March 30, 1914, the proposition for the construction of a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system and the proposition for the issuance of bonds in sum not to exceed \$15,000, for a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system purposes; and

WHEREAS, more than a majority of the electors of said town voting upon the two several propositions aforesaid, and a number of electors larger than a majority of all the votes cast at the last preceding municipal election held in said town, did vote in favor of each of the said several propositions; and

WHEREAS, certain proceedings have been had and taken anticipatory of the construction of a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system in and for said town and the issuance of the Six Per Cent Water and Light Bonds of said town, dated January 1, 1915, due \$1,000 on January 1, 1925, \$500 on January 1st of each of the years 1926 to 1934 inclusive, and \$9,500 on January 1, 1935, for the purpose of paying the cost of the construction of said system; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the regularity and compliance with pertinent statutory provisions of the proceedings had in respect to the submission of said two several propositions at the election aforesaid, and the legality of the construction of such combined municipal electric light and waterworks system and the issuing of said bonds in the amount of \$15,000, therefore

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the proceedings of the Town Council of the Town of Lu Verne, in the Counties of Humboldt and Kossuth, concerning and providing for the submission to the qualified electors of said town of the proposition to construct a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system in said town, and of the proposition for the issuance of bonds in sum not to exceed \$15,000 for a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system, at regular election held in said town March 30, 1914, the time, form and giving of, notice of the submission of such propositions at said election, the form of the ballot

used at said election, the returns and canvass thereof, the declaration of the results thereof, and all acts and proceedings of said Town Council prior and subsequent to said election, and the submission of said proposition thereat, whether herein presently specified or not, had and done in relation and in reference to said propositions be and they are hereby legalized and validated as if the law had in all things been fully and technically complied with in every respect and said Water and Light Bonds in the sum of \$15,000, dated January 1, 1915, whether issued or to be issued shall be and constitute the valid and binding obligations of said town of Lu Verne.

SECTION 2. In effect. This act being deemed of immediate import shall take effect from and after its publication in "Des Moines Valley News," a newspaper published in the County of Kossuth, Iowa, and in the Register and Leader, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 456, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-eight (2578) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the cancellation of certificates of physicians for unprofessional conduct and defining the same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Francis, by request, Senate File No. 457, a bill for an act to prescribe the conditions and restrictions under which public vaults, crypts or mausoleums for the permanent entombment of human bodies, may be constructed, and fixing penalties for failure to comply therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 458, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred sixty-one (261), chapter six (6), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to changes of venue from superior courts, on grounds of non-residence.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Doran, Senate Joint Resolution No. 17.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 17.

JOINT RESOLUTION For the Purpose of Protecting the Live Stock Interests of the State of Iowa Against the Combination of Outside Packing Houses, United States Veterinarians, and Railroads.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

WHEREAS, the State of Iowa is the greatest meat producing country in the world in proportion to its area, and

WHEREAS, the meat producers of Iowa lost within the past six months millions of dollars, estimated to be enough to build and equip stock yards, packing houses, switches, and yards, to slaughter all the meat producing animals of the entire state, all on account of our inability to reach a market within our own state, now therefore,

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That a proposition to levy a two per cent tax upon the assessed value of all the property of the State be submitted to the voters of this State at an election to be held on the second Tuesday of June, 1915, to be held as regular state elections are held.

Be It Further Resolved, That in case the proposition is carried affirmatively, the tax shall be levied and collected as other state taxes are levied and collected, and when so collected, shall be subject to the order of the President of the State Board of Agriculture, countersigned by the Secretary of said board.

Be It Further Resolved, That jurisdiction is hereby lodged in the State Board of Agriculture with the advice and consent of the Executive Council to purchase land near such railroad centers as they deem best for the construction of all stock yards, slaughter houses, refrigerators, and other buildings necessary to do a live stock, slaughtering, meat packing, and selling business for the State of Iowa, and to buy, sell, or rent for this State all material and equipment and employ all the necessary labor and clerical help, and do all things necessary to carry on a general meat slaughtering, selling and packing business in this State, and to suitably reward all slaughterers doing a general slaughter house business in this State.

Be It Further Resolved, That this tax is authorized as a defense fund to protect the live stock industry of this State from destruction by a condition over which the meat producers have no control, upon which the material welfare of this State so largely depends.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 361, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 369, a bill for an act to create a bureau of poultry as a branch of the department of agriculture, to provide for the organization thereof and making an appropriation therefor, and to amend sections sixteen hundred fifty-seven-b and sixteen hundred fifty-seven-k, supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

House File No. 357, a bill for an act to amend section eighteen hundred seventy (1870) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the limit of liabilities to state and savings banks.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 177, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-three (1527-s3) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment of the county road system and the improvement thereof, and the construction of bridge and culvert work thereon.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

House concurrent resolution.

WHEREAS, There exist along the state line separating Iowa and Minnesota important areas of the very richest of agricultural lands which remain partially or wholly unproductive because the present laws provide no means for co-operative interstate drainage, therefore

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Iowa, the Senate concurring, That the Governor is hereby requested and empowered to appoint a commission of three members to act in conjunction with a like commission to be appointed by the Governor of Minnesota, or other contiguous state, for the purpose of jointly agreeing upon a bill to be presented for enactment by the legislatures of the states concerned, said bill to provide for the formation, financing, construction and maintenance of interstate drainage projects. The commission to act without expense to the state.

On motion of Senator Francis, the resolution was taken up, considered and concurred in.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 233, a bill for an act to repeal paragraph two of section three hundred one of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the duties of the county attorney, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 302, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section 411, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 88, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Eversmeyer moved the report of the committee be adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 88 be recommitted to the committee on suppression of intemperance with instructions to consider same in connection with Senate File No. 420 and report both back March 17th, 1915, and at the same time return Senate Files Nos. 418, 419, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426 and 427 to gether with such recommendations, if any, as it may have to make.

Adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has requested the return of the following bill:

House File No. 212, a bill for an act to regulate the business of plumbing.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 405, a bill for an act relating to the equipment of street railways.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 336, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred fifty-one (751), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to streets and public grounds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 376, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881) of the code, relating to the report of the condition of banks by the auditor of state to the governor, and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 374, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, including cities under special charter and cities operating under the commission form of government, to provide for the establishment of sanitary districts and districts for street sprinkling, flushing and cleaning and the establishment and maintenance of garbage disposal plants.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 146, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section 9 of article 1 of said constitution, and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for trial by jury and prohibiting the taking of life, liberty or property without due process of law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report was adopted and the bill referred to the committee on constitutional amendments.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 306, a bill for an act to amend section 2963-1 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the legalization of conveyances of real estate in certain cases, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 362, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon in Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 264, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants

of the city of Bloomfield, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Substitute for Senate File No. 58, a bill for an act to amend section 2415 of the code, relative to the payment of costs in search warrant cases, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 395, a bill for an act to repeal section 4775-3a, supplement to the code, 1913, and enact the following substitute therefor relating to the carrying of concealed weapons, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 293, a bill for an act to amend section 5040 of the code with reference to breach of Sabbath by increasing the penalty provided for a breach thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

On request, and by unanimous consent, placed on the Calendar.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Substitute for Senate File No. 6, a bill for an act to repeal section one (1) of chapter one hundred six (106) of the acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly of the State of Iowa, and to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-eight (2478), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors.

Adopted.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Substitute for Senate File No. 6, a bill for an act to repeal section one (1) of chapter one hundred six (106) of the acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly of the State of Iowa, and to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-eight (2478), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Senator Thompson from the committee on rules submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on rules in regard to the Rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, respectfully report that the committee recommends that the rules of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly be adopted as the rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, with the following rule added thereto:

Rule 31-a. The Chairman or Clerk of a Committee to whom a bill is referred shall note thereon the date of its reference and it shall be the duty of each Committee to report back all bills in its hands, within fifteen days after the order of reference, unless a different time is granted by a vote of the Senate.

FRANK E. THOMPSON,

Chairman Committee on Rules.

Passed on file.

SENATE FILE SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate File No. 6.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, joint resolution disallowing claims of certain citizens of the kingdom of Greece for damages alleged to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29th, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 287, a bill for an act to amend section twelve hundred ninety-a (1290-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers appointed to appraise property for the assessment of collateral inheritance tax, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 315, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred eighty ten a (2480-10 a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone systems in mines, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 184, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-a (2963-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, legalizing instruments and the record thereof affecting real estate titles recorded or spread upon the records of the recorder in the county, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE FILE NO. 184.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Repeal Section Twenty-nine Hundred Sixty-Three-a (2963-a), Supplement to the Code, 1913, and to Enact a Substitute Therefor, Legalizing Instruments and the Record Thereof Affecting Real Estate Titles Recorded or Spread Upon the Records of the Recorder in the County in Which the Real Estate Described is Located, Prior to January 1, 1905, the Acknowledgments of Which are Defective or Which May Not Have Been Acknowledged.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-a (2963-a), supplement to the code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

That any instrument in writing affecting the title to real estate within the State of Iowa, to which is attached no certificate of acknowledgment or to which is attached a defective certificate of acknowledgment, which was, prior to January first, nineteen hundred five, recorded or spread upon the records in the office of the Recorder of the county in which the real estate described in such instrument is located, is, together with the recording and the record thereof, legalized and declared as valid, legal and binding as if such instrument had been properly acknowledged and legally recorded.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities having a population of forty-five thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues, and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof. (Additional to chapter 7 of title 5 of the code and amendment thereto), was taken up for further consideration.

The following substitute for section 8, offered by Senator Farr, was before the Senate for consideration:

Amend by striking out section 8 and substituting the following therefor:

SECTION 8. Such city shall have power after the completion of any improvement contemplated in this act, to levy upon all taxable property in said city contained, an annual tax for the purpose of paying that portion of the cost of such improvement not borne by the special assessments levied against the lots and tracts of land embraced in the paving district established therefor, but the aggregate of all such levies shall not exceed ten mills, nor shall such levies in the aggregate, exceed one mill for any one year.

Senator Farr moved the adoption of the substitute amendment

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend Senate File No. 143 by striking from line 7 of section 3 of the printed bill, the following words: "In this act," and substituting therefor the following: "In Chapter 7, Title V of the Code, and acts amendatory thereto."

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 12 by striking out all after the words "the" in line 2, and inserting in lieu thereof, "The Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux City Tribune, a newspaper published at Sioux City, Iowa."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File 143 as follows: By striking out of the first and second lines of the title the words "having a population of 45,000 or more" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of the first and second class."

Also by striking out of the first and second lines of Section 1 the words "having a population of 45,000 or more" and inserting in lieu thereof the words " of the first and second class."

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Laffer, Perkins, Sheean, Taylor, Whitmore—22.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Francis, Grout, Hilsinger, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Savage, Thomas—9.

Amendment adopted.

Senator Doran offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move that the tax contemplated in this bill be levied upon moneys and credits the same upon visible property.

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Clarkson, Doran, Gillette, Greene, Henigbaum, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, White of Benton, Whitmore—10.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Iowa—27.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Francis, Grout, Hilsinger, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Thomas, Thompson, Wilson—13.

Amendment lost.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding after the word "improvements" in line 3 of Section 11, the following:

This act shall not apply to cities acting under special charter.

Adopted.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out of the first and second lines of Section 1 the words "of the first and second class" and insert the words "having a population of 10,000".

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—25.

The nays were:

Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Ream, Sheean, Whitmore—15.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Enger, Farr, Francis, Grout, Hilsinger, Kimball, Parker, Savage, Schrup—10.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. 5 of the pending measure by striking out of line 2 thereof the words "twenty days" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "such".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of the first and second lines of the title the words "ten thousand" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirty-five hundred".

Also by striking out of the first and second lines of Sec. 1 the words "ten thousand" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirty-five hundred".

Senator Clarkson raised the point of order that an amendment had already been adopted fixing the population of cities to which this measure would apply and the amendment, therefore, was not in order.

President held point not well taken.

On the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Helmer, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Perkins, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Whitmore—18.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—26.

Absent or not voting:

Francis, Hilsinger, Kimball, Parker, Savage, Thomas—6.

Amendment lost.

Senator Frailey offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by substituting for the words "forty-five" in line one (1) of the title thereof, the word "eight" and by substituting for the words "forty-five" in line one (1) of Section one (1) thereof, the word "eight".

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Green, Quigley, Ream, White of Benton—8.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Farr, Francis, Hilsinger, Nye, Parker—6.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by striking out the word "eight" (8) and insert in lieu thereof the word "two" (2).

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore—26.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—20.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Francis, Hilsinger, Parker—4.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Allen moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 143 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Doran offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding as Section 14 "this bill shall exclude all working people's homes and farm lands from the tax contemplated by this bill."

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Doran, Greene—2.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Fleck, Gillette, Hilsinger, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Thomas, White of Iowa—15.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

"Amend by striking out section 13 of Senate File No. 143."

Adopted.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section one of the pending measure by striking out the first and second line of section one of the pending bill as amended and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Cities having a population of two thousand or more shall have power to construct."

Adopted.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out Section 8 of the bill.

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Greene—4.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Foskett, Gillette, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, White of Iowa—11.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section eight by inserting after the word "property" in line 3 the words "excepting moneys and credits".

Adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—32.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Wilson—15.

Absent or not voting:

Hilsinger, Parker, Voorhees—3.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title of the pending measure by striking out the words "of the first and second class" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "(other than special charter cities) having a population of two thousand or more".

Adopted.

This bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended agreed to.

The Journal of March 9th was taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval Substitute for Senate File No. 6, a bill for an act to repeal section one (1) of chapter one hundred six (106) of the acts of the Thirty-fourth (34th) General Assembly of the State of Iowa, and to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-eight (2478), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

A committee from the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association appeared and announced that the association was in session, and extended an invitation to the Senate to be present at the sessions of the association.

Senator Whitmore moved that the invitation extended the Senate by the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association be accepted and that the president appoint a committee of three to visit such session.

Carried.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Whitmore, Chase and White of Iowa.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 459, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section 409-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the care of charity patients in the advanced stages of tuberculosis, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 460, a bill for an act to authorize soldiers' relief commissions to procure and furnish metal markers for the graves of soldiers, sailors or marines, and to pay for the same out of the soldiers' relief funds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 461, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred sixty-four (164), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the executive council.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public buildings.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 462, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section seven hundred fifty-eight (758) of the code, and sections seven hundred fifty-eight-a (758-a), seven hundred fifty-eight-d (758-d) and seven hundred fifty-eight-e (758-e) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 463, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the duties of county attorneys as the same appears in section three hundred one (301) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 464, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred eight (308) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the compensation of county attorneys.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Darrah, Senate File No. 465, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-b-six (2634-b6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 466, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-six (726) of the code relating to municipal bonds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 467, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation acts and proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company of Keokuk, Lee county, Iowa:

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Incorporation, Acts and Proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company, of Keokuk, Lee County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, on the twenty-second day of August, 1914, the articles of incorporation of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company of Keokuk, Lee County, Iowa, were by the incorporators thereof duly filed in the office of the recorder of Lee county, Iowa, at Keokuk, and said articles were thereafter on the twenty-third day of August, 1914, filed in the office of the Secretary of State at Des Moines, Iowa, and a certificate of incorporation was issued to said Baker-Dodge Theatre Company by the Secretary of State of the state of Iowa, and

WHEREAS, through a misunderstanding, no notice of incorporation of the said Baker-Dodge Company was published, but the said Baker-Dodge Theatre Company has, since the date that said certificate was issued, assumed to act as a corporation, and

WHEREAS, because of the said omission, the legality of the corporate existence of the said Baker-Dodge Theatre Company may be questioned: *Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company, of Keokuk, Iowa, and all of its acts and proceedings, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be as legal, sufficient and binding in all respects as if the notice of the incorporation thereof had been published, and proof of such publication filed in the office of the Secretary of State, as provided by law, and all other requirements of law had been fulfilled.

SECTION 2. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect pending litigation.

SECTION 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Gate City, a newspaper published at Keokuk, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 468, a bill for an act to amend section six hundred eighty-three (683) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the adoption of ordinances and resolutions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 469, a bill for an act amending section one thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (1258) code of 1897, relating to removal of municipal officers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Lindly, Senate File No. 470, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred and thirty-three (333) of the code relative to exemption from jury duty.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Lindly, by request, Senate File No. 471, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and seventy-two (1072), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election of coroner.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Lindly, by request, Senate File No. 472, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of board of supervisors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

On request of Senator Larrabee leave of absence was granted Senator Hilsinger for today and tomorrow.

Senator Frailey moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 p. m., President Harding presiding.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Crist presented a petition of citizens of Clarke county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Grout presented a remonstrance of graduate nurses, physicians and registered nurses of Black Hawk county, against the passage of House File No. 324, in relation to registered or graduate nurses.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Balkema presented petitions of citizens of Sioux and O'Brien counties asking the granting of funds to the railroad commission to prosecute cases now before the interstate commerce commission, and to make a physical valuation of Iowa railroads; also against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Balkema presented petitions of citizens of Sioux and Lyon counties favoring the passage of Senate File No. 309, relative to the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Osceola county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Nye presented a remonstrance of citizens of Taylor county against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Mitchell county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshall county favoring passage of House File No. 68, providing for an appropriation for an Iowa exhibit at the half-century anniversary of negro freedom to be held in Chicago.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Boone county relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of West Point, Iowa, relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Centerville, Cincinnati and Moravia, Iowa, favoring passage of fire insurance bill.

Referred to committee on insurance.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Gillette presented a remonstrance of citizens of Cherokee county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Carroll county relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Helmer presented a remonstrance of citizens of Greene county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White presented a petition of citizens of Iowa county relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Robinson presented petitions of citizens of Franklin and Wright counties favoring House File No. 282, providing for the abolition of the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Hampton, Iowa, favoring Senate File No. 261, providing for the development of the poultry industry.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Guthrie Center, Iowa, favoring passage of a law requiring daily Bible reading in the public schools.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Foster presented a remonstrance of citizens of Guthrie county against Senate File No. 365, relative to increased passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Audubon and Guthrie counties relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee county relative to the office of state printer and binder.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Gillette presented a remonstrance of citizens of Ida county against increased passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator White presented a remonstrance of citizens of Johnston county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White presented a remonstrance of citizens of Iowa county against passage of House File No. 47, providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Page county favoring passage of House File No. 282, providing for the abolition of the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of \$5000.00 to indemnify George D. Shaw, for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital of the insane at Clarinda, Iowa, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett moved the adoption of the following amendment.

“Strike out the words and figures five thousand dollars (\$5000.00) in line three of Section 1 of the original bill and substitute in lieu thereof the words and figures twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00)”.

Adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Fellows, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Ream, Savage, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Boe, Senate File No. 101, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated independent school districts as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Boe moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting a comma following the numbers (2794-a) in the third line of the title and striking from the last line of said title the words “of the”, and by inserting a comma following the numbers (2794-a) in the second line of section one and striking from said line the words “of the”.

Amend by changing the period at the end of section one of said bill to a comma and adding the following:

And by inserting after the comma following the word "age" in line eleven (11) of said subdivision "b" the following: "except that where an accredited high school course is maintained in such school the levy may be sixty dollars for each person of school age."

Amend by striking therefrom section two and substituting as section two the following:

"This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Marshalltown Times-Republican, a newspaper published in Marshalltown, Iowa."

Senator Boe offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by substituting the word "approved" for the word "accredited" in the amendment.

Senator Boe moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Parker, Schrup, Thompson—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 106, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the code, 1897, relative to the salaries of railroad commissioners, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Boe, Chase, Farr, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Thompson, Voorhees—15.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Hilsinger, Parker—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Helmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Motion lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Henigbaum, Senate File No. 360, a bill for an act to amend section five thousand seventy-one (5071) of the code, relating to the unlawful wearing of badges, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Henigbaum moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Chase, Grout, Hilsinger, Kimball, Parker, Ream—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 377, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f4 and 2215-f14, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—47.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Hilsinger, Parker, Schrup—3.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 80, a bill for an act to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg anniversary commission created by the thirty-fifth general assembly in carrying out the provisions of chapter three hundred thirty-five (335) acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by striking out section three (3).

Adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

EXPLANATION.

I ask to be excused from voting on Senate File 80 for the reason that I was one of the citizens who contributed to this fund, and while favoring other citizens receiving back their contribution, I do not want my own subscription paid back to me.

C. H. THOMAS.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

Larrabee—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Clarkson, Farr, Heald, Hilsinger, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Thomas—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, House File No. 27, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-eight (2778), supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting after the word "Assembly" in the enacting clause the words "of the State".

Amend by striking out of section one (1) of the bill all the words after the word "years" in the eighth (8th) line of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following "who shall execute the orders and regulations of the board and have such powers and duties as they may prescribe, with such duties and powers as are now or may hereafter be prescribed by the laws of the state, provided, however, that no such contract be made until a superintendent has served at least one year in the position to which it is proposed to elect him for the longer period."

Amend section two (2) by striking out of said section the words "Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Muscatine News-Tribune, a newspaper published in the city of Muscatine, Iowa."

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Perkins, Quigley—7.

Absent or not voting:

Francis, Hilsinger, Jackson, Parker, Taylor, White of Benton—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 291, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Hilsinger, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Schrup, Taylor—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent resolution relative to extending an invitation to the Pioneer Law Makers Association to meet with the House and Senate in joint session Thursday, March 11, 1915, at 9:30 a. m., in the House Chamber, and that a joint program committee of four be appointed.

Committee on the part of the House: Ball of Jefferson and Brammer of Polk.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Upon motion of Senator Whitmore, and by unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and concurred in.

President appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Whitmore and White of Iowa.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had, on March 9, 1915, signed Senate Files Nos. 16, 124 and 66.

Senator Laffer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock A. M., tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 11, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Richard R. Newby, Pastor of the Friends Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of citizens of Muscatine county, favoring passage of House File No. 282, abolishing the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of citizens of Wapello county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshall county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Enger presented a remonstrance of citizens of Fort Atkinson, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Fayette county urging passage of Senate File No. 309 providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Crist presented a petition of citizens of Warren county relative to the investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Grundy county relative to the investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Fayette county relative to the investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Helmer presented a remonstrance of citizens of Carroll county, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Maxwell, Iowa, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Webster county, favoring passage of House File No. 282, abolishing the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Larrabee presented a remonstrance of citizens of St. Lucas, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Jones presented a petition of citizens of Montgomery county relative to the investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Allen presented a remonstrance of citizens of Pocahontas county against passage of House File No. 47 providing for the inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File No. 309 providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Perkins presented a petition of citizens of Buchanan and Delaware counties, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Perkins presented a remonstrance of citizens of Ryan, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 269, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-a (1661-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 206, a bill for an act to establish a board of accountancy, to provide for granting certificates to those public accountants who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 57, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the time within which appeals may be taken to the supreme court.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 473, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the division of the state into judicial districts and the election of judges.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, by request, Senate File No. 474, a bill for an act to amend an act of the thirty-sixth general assembly, entitled an act to amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred thirty-seven (937) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities, being House File forty-five (45).

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 475, a bill for an act requiring manufacturers and dealers selling road building machinery and equipment, and metal culverts, and all other road building material, not of a general character, to townships and counties of Iowa, to take out a license; and to authorize the state highway commission to grant such license, and to fix the fees therefor, and the terms and conditions of such license.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 476, a bill for an act to provide for the branding and labeling of mattresses and comforts, and to provide against the use of unsanitary, unhealthy, old or second-hand material in the manufacture of mattresses and comforts and to provide against the sale of mattresses or comforts containing such unsanitary, unhealthy, old or second-hand material.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on manufactures.

By Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 477, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-twelve-a (2489-12a), supplement to the code, 1913, requiring the owner, lessee, operator or person in charge of a mine to file annual reports of accidents.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on mines and mining.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 478, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the voting of taxes in aid of railroads, as the same appears in sections two thousand ninety-one-b (2091-b) and two thousand ninety-one-c (2091-c), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Whitmore from the special committee submitted the following programme which was ordered printed in the Journal-

PROGRAMME.

Joint Session of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of Iowa
with the

Pioneer Law Makers Association of Iowa, In the House Chamber,
Thursday, March 11, 1915, at 9:30 A. M.

1. Sergeant-at-Arms announces the presence of the Pioneer Law Makers Association.
2. President of the Senate instructs the joint program committee, consisting of Senators Whitmore and White of Iowa, and Representatives Ball and Brammer, to escort the President and members of the P. L. M. A. to seats reserved for them.
3. President of the Senate announces that Senator Joseph R. Frailey will make the Address of Welcome on behalf of the joint session, to the Pioneer Law Makers Association, and introduces Senator Frailey, who delivers the Address of Welcome.
4. Hon. Lot Abraham, Acting-President and Vice President of the P. L. M. A. then introduces the Hon. G. L. Dobson, member of the P. L. M. A., who responds to the Address of Welcome.
5. Address—by Senator Daniel C. Chase, on behalf of the Senate.
Address—by Representative Herbert C. Ring, on behalf of the House of Representatives.
Address—by Col. W. T. Hepburn, on behalf of the P. L. M. A.
6. Vocal Music—Male Quartette.
7. Acting-President and Vice President Lot Abraham, of the P. L. M. A. thank the joint session, which then dissolves.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 269, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-a (1661-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

House File No. 206; a bill for an act to establish a board of accountancy, to provide for granting certificates to those public accountants who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House indefinitely postponed Senate File No. 57, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the time within which appeals may be taken to the supreme court, as the same appears in section forty-one hundred ten (4110) of the code, and section fifty-four hundred forty-eight (5448) of the code as amended by chapter two hundred twenty-eight (228) of the acts of the thirty-third (33d) general assembly.

House File No. 374, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, including cities under special charter and cities operating under the commission form of government, to provide for the establishment of sanitary districts and districts for street sprinkling, flushing and cleaning and the establishment and maintenance of garbage disposal plants.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 405, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section seven hundred sixty-eight-c (768-c), section seven hundred sixty-eight-d (768-d), section seven hundred sixty-eight-e (768-e), and seven hundred sixty-eight-f (768-f), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the equipment of street railways, and to provide penalty for violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

House File No. 336, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred fifty-one (751), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to streets and public grounds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 376, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881) of the code, relating to the report of the condition of banks by the auditor of state to the governor, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED.

The following communication was received, read and ordered printed in the Journal:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34.

Protesting Against the Allowance by the Interstate Commerce Commission of Increased Railroad Freight and Passenger Rates.

WHEREAS, The railroads of this country are making a united effort to induce the Interstate Commerce Commission to establish increased interstate freight and passenger rates over practically all of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Interstate freight rates in this part of the country are already abnormally high as compared with rates in force in other parts of the country; and further

WHEREAS, Interstate passenger rates through this state are higher than the local rates, and it has never been shown by the railroad companies operating in this state that the local rates are not sufficiently remunerative for the service furnished by such railroads,

Therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas, the Senate thereof concurring therein:

SECTION 1. That we hereby protest against the allowance by the Interstate Commerce Commission of any increase in any passenger or freight rate over any or all of the railroads operating in or through the state of Kansas.

SEC. 2. The secretary of state is hereby instructed to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to each member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and to the speaker of the house and president of the senate of each of the following states: Nebraska, Missouri, Iowa, Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Colorado.

I hereby certify that the above Concurrent Resolution originated in the House and passed that body February 24, 1915.

ROBERT STONE,
Speaker of the House.

I. E. LAMBERT,
Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the Senate March 4, 1915.

W. Y. MORGAN,
President of the Senate.

BURT E. BROWN,
Secretary of the Senate.

Approved March 8, 1915.

ARTHUR CAPPER,
Governor.

STATE OF KANSAS.

Office of Secretary of State.

I, J. T. BOTKIN, Secretary of State of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a correct copy of the original enrolled bill now on file in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal, this 9th day of March, 1915.

J. E. BOTKIN,
Secretary of State.

By E. A. CORNELL,
Assistant Secretary of State.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 248, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred seven (1407) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of a delinquent tax collector and providing a method of payment thereof and to enact substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out the words "immediately after" in the fourth line and insert in lieu thereof the word "when"; and after the word "corporation" in the fifth line insert the words "are or may".

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Robinson was called to the chair at 10:20 a. m.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 162, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred three (1303) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes for general county fund, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 196, a bill for an act to amend section 1056-a26 and section 1056-a 32 (d), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the placing of chiefs of police in cities operating under the commission plan of government under civil service, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 117, a bill for an act to amend section 792-g of the supplement to the code, 1913, and authorizing cities to create paving districts for street improvements and to spread assessment over such districts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent placed on the Calendar.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:25 a. m.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 118, a bill for an act to amend section 792 of the code, relating to assessing cost of improvements, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on board of control, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 177, a bill for an act making appropriations for the Iowa School for the Deaf at Council Bluffs, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Robinson the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 281, a bill for an act providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state, and for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, and for appurtenances and connections thereto, as shall be determined upon by the Board of Control of State Institutions, etc., and repealing acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Robinson the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its option:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 64, a bill for an act to amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-two (4999-a-32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of pure drugs.

Also:

House File No. 122, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand two hundred ninety-a (1290-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Committee from the House appeared and notified the Senate that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint session.

Senate proceeded to the House under the direction of the sergeant-at-arms.

JOINT SESSION.

In accordance with law and concurrent resolution duly adopted, the joint session was called to order, Hon. W. L. Harding, President of the Senate, presiding.

By unanimous consent the roll call was dispensed with, it being evident that a quorum was present.

The members of the Pioneers Lawmakers' Association were escorted to seats on the west side of the House chamber by the program committee composed of Senators Whitmore and White, and Representatives Ball and Brammer.

Senator Frailey delivered the address of welcome from the members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

President Harding presented the Hon. Lot Abrams, President of the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association, to the joint session, and Mr. Abrams introduced Hon. G. L. Dobson who responded to the address of welcome.

Senator Chase then addressed the joint session on behalf of the Senate.

Representative Ring addressed the joint session on behalf of the House.

The Hon. W. P. Hepburn addressed the joint session on behalf of the Pioneers Lawmakers' Association.

A vocal solo was rendered by Mr. Thomas Dyer.

Thompson of Des Moines moved that the addresses delivered before the joint session be printed in the journal.

Motion prevailed and the addresses were ordered printed in the journal.

SENATOR FRAILEY.

Mr. President, Members of the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association, Members of the Joint Assembly, Ladies and Gentlemen:

In my endeavor to carry out the commission which you have so kindly entrusted to me today I shall not hope to rise to the exalted station demanded by this occasion, and yet I hope that my shortcomings will be attributed to the head and not to the heart. I cannot quite understand why I was selected to make this address. I say this, because these visiting lawmakers do not understand the situation. I understood that the address was to be made by a lawmaker. I want to state frankly that I am not a lawmaker. I think that about seventy-five per cent of the bills that I voted for have been defeated and about seventy-five per cent of the measures that I voted against have been passed and will become a law.

It is no small honor to welcome here these legislators of the past generation who have made the history of this state,—they and their prede-

cessors who have given to us of this generation and to the future that which we so proudly call the history of Iowa, and gentlemen, it is a marvelous history that you have given us, this history of our state, a history whose title page is written in the blood of sacrifice, a history of a powerful people who, in less than half a century overran this domain between the Missouri and the Mississippi rivers; the history of a people who, standing steadfast to the ideals that inspired the pilgrim fathers at Plymouth Rock. standing steadfast to the ideals that made those starving regiments in rags, barefoot in the snows of winter, immortal at Valley Forge; standing steadfast to the ideals that made Yorktown a possibility and Appamattox a certainty. In this state of Iowa in the very heart of the Mississippi valley they have built up this commonwealth that today more nearly reflects the fundamental ideals of our fathers than does that of any other state in the union; a history of soldiers and of sailors who, in field and flood and savage wilderness, have borne the flag triumphant even to the gates of the sunset; a history of statesmen who, in the wisdom of their legislating, have guided themselves to majesty and might; a history of seers and prophets and historians who have given to the early generations of the earth a haven and a hope; a history of a state whose cradle song was the confluent murmur of two of the greatest rivers on this continent, whose constitution is the guaranty of civil and religious liberty to all mankind, the stamp of whose imperishable knighthood is noble, honest toil and whose crowned jewels are a Kirkwood and a Larrabee, an Allison, a Dolliver, a Gear and a Harlan, and gentlemen, with all this marvelous history behind us, we are prompted in this generation to more strenuous endeavor, more glorious achievement. It is indeed eminently fitting and proper that we of this Thirty-sixth General Assembly should set aside this morning to do honor to you men of the generations past.

The study of the beginnings of representative government, no matter in what part of the world, seem to me to be the most interesting study that can attract the human intellect, notwithstanding that so much of it is legendary and so obviously false, and I have sometimes wished that some great historian, some divinely gifted man or woman might write down for us the marvelous history of the beginning of this state of Iowa, might take us back to the beginning of things, might show us the people and the pioneers of those early days, the houses in which they lived, the languages they spoke, and their lives as they lived them, for, gentlemen, it is a marvelous study, the early history of this state, and the significant thing to us today is, that it was you pioneer lawmakers and the generation that preceded you, beginning away back in the first territorial legislature in Burlington, coming on to Iowa City and then to Des Moines; it was these early pioneer lawmakers who laid deep and firm and true the foundation stones upon which we are building today and upon which the generations of the future will build tomorrow.

And so, gentlemen, it is not only the past that belongs to you, but the future as well, you who have been the moulders of our future, and it takes no prophet's vision to behold the future of this glorious state of ours, to see the home of the happy millions of people who rise up every morning to vast hives of industry and thrift; her country side the treasure vault

from which her wealth is drawn, her streams everywhere buzzing with the whirr and hum of the wheel and the shuttle, her fields tranquil in the white and gold of the harvest, her hilltops resound with the music of the bells as her flocks and herds go forth from the folds; her rulers honest and her people contented; her homes happy and her hearthstones bright and her conscience clean. Peace and sobriety walking hand in hand in her borders; honor in her midst, straight and simple faith in the hearts and the faces of her sons and daughters and sunshine everywhere and all the time. That, gentlemen, is the Iowa that you pioneer law-makers have given to us and to the future, and now, makers of our past, moulders of our future, on behalf of this Thirty-sixth General Assembly I bid you welcome to the fellowship and deliberation of this occasion.

HON. G. L. LOBSON.

Mr. President and Members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

I haven't words sufficient to thank you for the address of welcome that has been tendered the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association. Go back, as we did yesterday, to the time when Iowa was a territory, when the western part of Iowa was part of the great American desert, and then as we come on down, there are men here who helped plan and lay the very foundation of this great state, as the Senator spoke of, men who could surely look a long way into the future when they planned this beautiful capitol. Go back for a half century in Iowa, and who could ever have dreamed that the time would come within a half century when we would stand first and foremost of all the states in the union in regard to agricultural products.

Friends, I am informed that I have just five minutes and so I will have to condense what I have to say, but we do thank you people for this address of welcome. We did what we could in our ways many years ago to build for the future, and yet what little conception we had of what was coming. I remember only eighteen years ago as a member of the executive council of the state we had turned over to us by the Genral Assembly of that time fifty thousand dollars which we were instructed to spend for the building of a complete historical building and buy the grounds besides, and when we met to spend that money we said we did not know how to spend it, and so we refused to spend a dollar and waited until the next legislative assembly came and then the beautiful west wing of the present building was put up. In all cases where money has been spent in Iowa for public buildings, homes for the unfortunate, schools of every class, criticism was made at the time, but, friends, there isn't an intelligent man in Iowa today who would want one stone taken out of that building and put a poorer stone in its place or have the least part of one of those buildings taken down.

We have but little conception, friends, of what Iowa has in store for her. I go back in my early days when you could get a homestead in north-western Iowa where there was no railroad, for a very small figure. When land came to ten dollars an acre we thought it had about reached the limit, but yet, friends, in my judgment, in the next ten years you will see land go to five hundred dollars an acre, and you want to look ahead and build with that in view. Nothing is too good for Iowa, and I am glad,

friends, to meet with a body of men at a time when the day of partisanship is gone. Thank God. Back in my day no measure of importance came up scarcely in regard to the common welfare of the people but that it was made a partisan measure and it was fought out on partisan lines, but today, gentlemen, when I come to look into the faces of the men of both great political parties and see you standing shoulder to shoulder, battling for the interests of common humanity, battling for the best there should be in Iowa, friends, I thank God that I have been permitted to see this day, when I can look into the faces of the men who are doing the very best they can for the good of humanity from the very lowest strata of society, for the cast out, to lift them up and give them a chance in this great magnificent state.

As we come here to spend these few moments Iowa is continually marching on; she is at the forefront; she should be at the forefront, and when men come to Des Moines from the remotest parts of the state in the next ten years they will behold the most magnificent grounds surrounding any capitol in the union, and I am glad I had a part in making it the most beautiful spot on all this continent, and you will be proud of the day and we as old members of the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association are perfectly willing to pay whatever taxes you think are necessary for us to pay to carry out this great program for a larger Iowa and a greater Iowa.

And again, friends, just a word more. You are on the right track. And oh! friends, when it is possible to forget that we belong to parties when we are battling for the good of humanity, "it is a wonderful thing. You could not have been made to believe that ten years or twenty years ago, but it is on hand now. You have great plans here for the future bettering of Iowa in every part of it and you are going on with them. This broad, healthy spirit has gone out from this state, reaching every other state. Men say in Maine, "I would like to come to Iowa, for there they are planning great things for the future." Down south they say, "I like to come to Iowa, as I have heard them say that their men are planning great things for the future." And so, friends, do not be afraid of the critic that will come up and assail you. I remember when we built the wall around the state house that a great howl went up because we were spending the people's money, and so it will come up on all great questions. Look at what is for the best interests of the future and you will be glad you served in the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

SENATOR CHASE.

Mr. President, Gentlemen of the Association:

I am very glad, indeed, to assist in tendering a welcome to the Pioneer Lawmakers of Iowa. It gives me greater pleasure because I believe that I am eligible to a membership in the association. I had the honor to serve in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth General Assemblies as a member of the House. I came back after an interval of twenty years as a member of the Senate. I intended to come back sooner, but with some assistance I kept putting it off. However, when after this lapse of years I returned to the capitol, I saw some ancient landmarks. I recognized on the calendar the old repeal of the labor exemption, which was on the calendar when I was here. I remembered a few familiar faces among

the doorkeepers, and occasionally I would see a lady committee clerk, which like the college widow had withstood all changes and was still smilingly on the job. But that which impressed me most was a matter which was referred to by the eloquent speaker who has just addressed you. When I became first a member of the Twenty-third General Assembly, it was the occasion of the famous deadlock. There was a tense feeling of political excitement. The republicans sat on one side and the democrats on the other, and they were equally divided. And the feeling ran so high that no pairs could be arranged, and it is a fact that members were brought in on stretchers in order to answer to roll call so that no advantage could be taken, and it was six weeks before any organization was made.

On my return I find there is practically no political alignment. There are democrats and republicans as formerly, but it is largely a descriptive term. It is put into what has been called the herd book the same as a man's religion or the place of residence, but there are today classifications running on other lines. In this legislature there has been a classification of wet and dry, and moist, which is somewhere betwixt and between, like Mohammet's coffin, which is suspended half way between heaven and earth. And in the newspapers I have seen some classified as outlaws or insurgents. I prefer the latter because it is a little milder, and I am somewhat of an insurgent myself. As I understand the term, that simply represents different stages and different degrees of intelligence.

It seems to me that sometimes we do not properly recognize the obligation that we are under to the great men who laid the foundations deep and broad for the great commonwealth of Iowa. Some distinguished man has said that the present is the lineal descent of the past, and, if there be such a thing as conscience in law making,—which I understand is a matter somewhat in doubt and dispute,—it would seem to consist in a sort of evolution. We derive our ideas from those who have gone before us; and I say this state has been peculiarly fortunate in those men who formed it in the beginning. There is one thing particularly that we can say for the state of Iowa and its early lawmakers. In the entire period of its history. there has never been a time when there was any accusation that any lawmaker in Iowa had ever violated his trust; there has never been a time when there was a taint of bribery or a suspicion of men being bought. Where there has been so much scandal in surrounding states, that is a matter of universal congratulation that from the first General Assembly down, the record has been absolutely straight and clean in that respect. I do not know but what I heard a whisper over here about the word "graft" that has been used from a high and distinguished source in the recent past, but I want to say that that does not in any way deteriorate from my remark. As I understand it, this word was used, not in a dictionary sense, but purely, gentlemen, in a Pickwickian sense. I want to repeat and emphasize and accentuate that one thought, that throughout the history of this state there has never been a member of the legislature against whom the charge has been brought of being unduly influenced.

It has been made possible for us today, owing to the foundations that were laid deep and broad by these gentlemen and those before them, to go on legislating safely upon a firm foundation and building wisely upon what they did; and, therefore, it seems to me proper and fitting that we should recognize the immense obligation that we and all who follow us must owe to you. It is with pleasure that I add my mead of praise, for I realize, and realize fully, as a sort of connecting link between these two generations what we owe to those who have gone before us who have made it possible that we shall have as a blessing in all the future generations from this experience no blood on our escutcheon, but that we shall continue to build up a greater and a better Iowa.

HON. HERBERT C. RING.

Mr. President, Members of the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association and Members of the Joint Convention:

I am glad the president of this convention called attention to this unequal balance of power,—one plebeian and two from the other side. I noted the remark of the gentleman from the House of Lords that he had heard a strange and unfamiliar word "graft". I wish to say to him and to those whom he represents that the air in this chamber and the members are as clean and as pure and as wholesome as the breath of an early June morning and no graft abides on this side, and I listened with utter amazement, gentlemen, to his statement that in the Twenty-third General Assembly or some preceding General Assembly it was necessary to bring in some members on a stretcher. I am glad that I belong to the Thirty-sixth General Assembly and that prohibition is coming. Aren't you? And then I listened to Mr. Dobson as he pointed out the beauty of the Iowa farms, the capitol extension, of which some of you have heard, and you know truly, gentlemen, back in my home county I heard some remarks on the other side during the campaign that didn't sound a bit like his. But I am glad we did it.

Yesterday the committee from the House having this matter in charge asked me if I would speak a few words at this session on behalf of the House. I have answered that call and am glad to stand before these pioneers this morning, as well as those who are here in the Thirty-sixth General Assembly. I will confess to you that I didn't quite understand what the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association stood for and I took opportunity to investigate. Perhaps all of you were familiar with the situation, but I alone may not have been. I found that former officers of state, former members of the General Assembly, judges of the federal and state courts, members of the board of education and distinguished attorneys who began their period of service twenty years or more prior to this time are eligible to membership in that organization. And so this morning, when there seems so much that summons us to work, when every hour seems freighted with its every load of care, when there is so much pending here, like there was those twenty or more years ago, that summons us to work, it seems to me that it is altogether fitting that we should pause for this hour and in a figurative sense tender to each one of these members of the Pioneer' Lawmakers' Association an American beauty perfumed with our love and respect and esteem, and on behalf of

the House of Representatives of this Thirty-sixth General Assembly, Mr. President and members, I am glad to be the bearer of that message.

Gentlemen, you belonged in a way to the nineteenth century in your activities, perhaps. We belong to the twentieth. Those closing days of the nineteenth century had problems of their own, and yet many of them were problems that were age long in their importance. Many of these problems are yet with us and will be with every assembly through all coming time. And yet, as I look back over those years and know something of the measures then pending, I cannot help but understand that each succeeding assembly has new problems that it must face.

Two years ago it was my good fortune and privilege as a member of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly to be here when our junior United States Senator, Kenyon, delivered that splendid address upon the life and the character of a former governor of this state, Mr. Larrabee, and I remember that in that address he quoted these words from Lowell: "There are men with empires in their brain." Gentlemen, I would not speak untruly, but I am of the opinion that there were men in the beginning of the history of this state, men who were pioneers, such as you men, who did have empires in their brain, and you did build wisely and well. No monuments will mark their pathway that the visible eye can see, but if you will look into the records of the different offices of government here, if you will turn to the statute books, if you will turn to the decisions of the judges of our courts, you will find there the record of the progress through the years, and I repeat again that we have men in Iowa who did have empires in their brain.

Men of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, it would be presumptuous for me to advise you, my fellow members, but I do not and will not now refrain from this statement: We ought not alone in our legislation to look today, but we ought to turn and look through the years with prophetic inspiration and say, what import will our acts have upon the twenty years that are to come? And if we shall do as well here and now as you did in the days that are gone we shall have done wisely and well. Seated by my side, listening to the addresses here, was one of the Senators of this Thirty-sixth General Assembly, and he said, "Where will we be twenty years from now?"

Members of the Pioneer Lawmakers' Association, I doubt not, in fact I know, that many of your associates have gone to plead the justice of their cause before that bar where justice is administered with a mercy that is unknown in the administration of earthly affairs, and members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, when twenty years shall have come and gone, we shall have aged correspondingly, many of our members will have gone before that same court; and while we are busy with these affairs here that seem so large and seem so important, let us, remembering the past, not forget the finer things that, after all, go to make up life and real manhood.

Gentlemen, again on behalf of the House, permit me, as its humble representative this morning, to bear to your our tribute of love and respect and veneration.

COL. W. P. HEPBURN.

Gentlemen of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

It has never been my good fortune to be permitted to address either one of the houses of our legislature, although I had some connection in an official way with the sixth and seventh General Assemblies, and while I have not been permitted to address the legislature of Iowa, I have witnessed, as a boy and man, something of its transactions since the first territorial legislature met in 1841 in the then new capital of the territory. I knew Iowa when the territorial limits of Iowa included all of the present state, all of Minnesota west of the Mississippi river, and probably something more than half of the two Dakotas. In all that vast empire there were then a little more than 43,000 people—43,000 where now there are seven millions of people. My father's cabin was very near to the 91st meridian. West of that line, only a few miles from our door, you could not have found in all the United States as it then appeared upon the maps the homes of five thousand white families. From our cabin, moving westward to the border line of our state, you would have traveled without the sight of the smoke from a single chimney. It was a wilderness that God had planned to invite the coming of the men who have built the commonwealth. In those early days there were no railways, very few stagecoaches; probably not more than two lines of daily mail. Of course, the telegraph, the daily paper, the telephone and all those modern means of communication were unknown, and when the ambitious men of Iowa sought acquaintance, when they had some message to deliver to their fellow men, they came to the capital, and meetings of the legislature and meetings of the various conventions always brought throngs of men who wanted to aid. It was a custom in those days to organize the third house of the General Assembly, to which all of these members were eligible and where they discussed those grave questions so important when the foundations of a state were being laid. My stepfather was the clerk of the supreme court. He had his office in the then old capitol, and it was my fortune to see very many of these early patriots, and when old enough, to hear very many of their discussions. I remember very distinctly the discussions that occurred when men of progressive thought were striving to change the old English common law with regard to domestic relations, to give to the wife the right to own real estate without the intervention of a trustee; to give to a wife the power to own and control her own property; to take from the husband the right to own whatever of hers he reduced to possession; to give to the wife equal control and right of custody of the children. I remember the discussion when it was proposed to emancipate capital from the conditions under which it was held, when corporations were decried, and when each stockholder of a corporation was liable for all indebtedness of the corporation. I remember some of these discussions and I remember with veneration, Oh! with gratitude, those grand men who effected these changes and reduced from thralldom burdensome indeed those who suffered under the old system.

I listened to a gentleman here today thanking God for the absence of partisanism and apparently decriing parties. I sympathize with no thought like that. I look back and I find that every step of progress made

in a state and nation, every law lifting humanity higher, every law bringing blessing to mankind, has been wrought out by partisans and parties. I believe that that state or nation is best governed when there are two contending parties, each with ideas and each in turn responsible for the good or bad that comes to the state. Can you think, gentlemen, of any great step, any progress of any great movement that has lifted mankind higher or has brought us civic blessings, that was not wrought out through the intervention and instrumentality of parties? There are today and always will be where there is stable government, parties political. There is not a government or a dynasty today in this universe that is not sustained by a dominating and controlling party. The Czar of Russia could not hold his throne or maintain his crown a month without behind him there was a dominating party, and so it is, and so in my judgment it always will be.

I sometimes hear gentlemen say lamentingly that the era of opportunity is past for the individual and for the legislator. Our governor, who yesterday delivered a most admirable address to the association, spoke of a past period as the heroic period, giving peculiar advantages to the men of that day because of questions of great moment presenting themselves that they were able to solve. I was not content to believe that in all respects his judgment was well founded. I believe, men of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, that before and before your successors there are as grave questions to be settled yet as were ever settled during the period when Abraham Lincoln as a blessing from God was permitted to preside over the destinies of this nation. We thought then that we had solved the one great question that stood as a menace before the prosperity of the nation. There are as grave questions for you to settle. The great labor question is before you and your successors to settle; the control of enormous capital is for you to settle; the management of the great agencies of commerce and manufacture are not settled yet. They are for you to settle. And there are innumerable questions in the present and the future to arise, giving place and scope for the genius, the learning and patriotism of the men of the day of their uprising. We often hear of the extraordinary virtues of those who preceded us. Undoubtedly they have played their part well and accomplished that that was set before them to do, but it is my earnest belief that the genius of the American people has not deteriorated, that the patriotism of this day is not excessive in comparison with the patriotism of the days past, that the ability for legislation is not buried with the days of the past, but that this generation has its full quota of genius, of patriotism, of worth, with the advantage of the larger accumulating experience that comes to you. I am not one of those who feel discouraged or lose hope in the republic. I expect from my grandchildren a great superiority over their ancestors. I expect you younger men to more than equal your fathers, and your children you will be proud of.

There is one word further that I would like to say, and that is, I want to raise my voice here on this very occasion, and I hope each one of you will do it, against those detractors, those creatures of venom, spite, hate, falsehood, who are constantly decrying men whom their neighbors selected as their public servants. Read the magazines, read a certain class

of journals, and all public men, as soon as they receive expressions of confidence from their neighbors who have known them, at once become grafters and thieves. Animated only by selfish desires, intent only upon rapine and spoil. How ridiculous it seems to one who stops a moment to think. Men who occupy your positions are men who have the confidence of the men who knew them best; men who have a knowledge of your capacities; men who are willing to trust to you the highest business of government—and yet legislators are the ones who seem to be most often selected by these blighted moral monstrosities.

There is one further suggestion that I would like to make, that in our state legislature those that were selected to make our laws are under serious difficulty. You are selected in November. You receive official notice of your election in December. You are called upon to enter upon the discharge of your duties early in the following month. The great majority of you gentlemen have had no experience, either in law making or law construction. The probabilities are, that a great majority of the gentlemen do not even know the process by which a thought is crystallized into a statute. Probably not one man, not half the men that come here, know the process through which that paper we call a bill must go before it becomes a law. A great many of you are not lawyers and perhaps had not read the law closely or critically that you are expected to amend. In addition to the difficulties of that kind, you find the rules on parliamentary law, something that you probably never thought of, consisting of a comparatively few pages, twenty maybe, but if all of the constructions that had been placed upon those rules during the life of the state and the territory by the presiding officers and by the chairmen of your various committees of the whole, were included, it would make a half dozen immense volumes. About all of that the average legislator knows nothing and he has got to learn it, because his efficiency is not of the highest standard without he has a knowledge of parliamentary law and what his rights on the floor are and what his duties may be. Those are difficulties. The best thought of a civilization ought to find reflection in the laws of the land. We boast of our civilization and the best efforts of the most intellectual of our nation and state have been addressed to the advance of our civilization as it may be reflected in our laws, or to reflect in our laws our civilization. And yet I am told that the last General Assembly enacted three hundred forty-six public statutes, every one of them a criticism upon that civilization of which we boast. Every new law is a criticism upon the existing civilization. It is a suggestion that it is not perfect and we are going to make it perfect. I sometimes think that we engage in too much hasty law making and I cannot but think that you gentlemen would be able to perform your duties much more satisfactorily to yourselves if your activities began some months later in your term of office. If I had my way with my view of the matter, I would have a short session where you have your one session for the members to become acquainted, to familiarize themselves more or less with processes—in other words, to learn the hang of the schoolhouse—and then I would give an interval for the purpose of studying, learning more of the duties and more of the better methods of accomplishing them, and I would have a long session later in the term, and I believe it would effectuate an improvement in our legislation, without criticising in the slightest degree the legislation that we have had.

Gentlemen, I know that the members of our Pioneer Lawmakers Association feel very grateful to you, indeed, for the gracious manner in which you have received us, for the very kindly expression that you have made for those entitled to membership in our organization, and in expressing, as I know that I do, the very earnest gratitude of all of our members, I thank you.

Thomas of Union moved that the joint session be now dissolved. Motion prevailed and the joint session dissolved.

Senate returned to the Senate chamber and resumed its sitting.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 126, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, making any person found to be a bootlegger guilty of committing a misdemeanor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 173, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand three hundred and thirty-eight (4338), of the code of 1897, providing that fines and forfeitures in a liquor case shall go to the general fund instead of the school fund, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 216, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to intoxicating liquors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent, placed on Calendar.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time for special order No. 1 having arrived, on motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a two (254-a2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the reimbursement of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters for their actual transportation and expenses

while in the discharge of their official duties away from their places of residence, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Kimball moved that the consideration of Senate File No. 183 be made a special order for 10:30 a. m., Tuesday, March 16, 1915.

Carried.

The time having arrived for special order No. 2, on motion of Senator Senate File No. 199, a bill for an act to repeal sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), and one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the destruction of noxious weeds and other weeds and brush upon lands, highways and other places; assessing the costs and expenses of the same to the lands and owners thereof; and providing funds with which to destroy the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, was taken up for further consideration.

The following committee amendments to Senate File No. 199 were pending:

Amend section 7 by striking from the second line of the original bill the word "May" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "June."

Amend section 8 by inserting after the word "who" in the second line of the original bill a comma (,) and also the following: "after complaint has been made to him as provided for in section three (3) of this act."

Amend by numbering section 9 as section 10 and inserting the following as section 9: "Any person liable for the destruction of weeds under section three (3) of this act who fails or neglects to comply with an order of the board of supervisors, township trustees, town or city councils or commission, as the case may be, as provided in said section three (3), shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00) and costs of prosecution."

Amend by adding thereto the following as section 11: "This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des

Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published at Sioux City, Iowa."

Senator Balkema moved the adoption of the committee amendments.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment to the amendment offered by him on March 9th and moved its adoption:

"Amend the amendment found at the bottom of page 615 and the top of page 616 of the journal of March 9, 1915, by striking therefrom the word "two" and figure "(2)", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four" and figure "(4)".

Amend the same amendment by striking from the third (3d) line of Section Two (2) thereof the word "two" and figure "(2)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four" and figure "(4)".

Amend the same amendment by adding after the figure "(1)" the punctuation, words and figures to-wit: ", Section Two (2), and Section Three (3) thereof".

Adopted.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment as a substitute for the amendment offered by Senator Wilson on March 9th and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 1 of the printed bill by adding after the word "maturity" in line 7 of the bill, the words "providing that the highway is leveled so that the weeds can be cut with an ordinary farm mowing machine".

The following amendment offered by Senator Wilson on March 9, was pending:

Amend Senate File No. 199, by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the Board of Supervisors of each county to cause to be cut, burned, or otherwise entirely destroyed all noxious weeds on the public roads in such county under the county road system as defined in section two (2) thereof, at such times in each year and in such manner as shall prevent the said weeds from blooming or coming to maturity and to keep he said roads free from such growths of other weeds and brush as shall render said roads unsafe for public travel or shall interfere in any manner with the proper construction or repair of said roads, and shall cause to be cut near the surface all weeds and brush on said roads between the first day of July and the first day of August of each year, but nothing herein shall prevent the land owner from harvesting the grass growing upon the roads along his land, in proper season, or from cutting the weeds at such time as he may desire.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of the township trustees in each township of the state to cause to be cut, burned or otherwise entirely destroyed all noxious weeds as defined in section two (2) hereof, on such roads as are under their supervision and control, at such times in each year and in such manner as shall prevent the said weeds from blooming and coming to maturity, and keep the said roads free from such growths of other weeds and brush as shall render said roads unsafe for public travel or shall interfere in any manner with the proper construction or repair of said roads, and shall cause to be cut near the surface all weeds and brush on said roads between the first day of July and the first day of August of each year, but nothing herein shall prevent the land owner adjacent to said road or roads from harvesting the grass growing upon the roads along his land in proper season or from cutting the weeds at such times as he may desire.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the town council or Board of Commissioners, if within the limits of the incorporated town or city, to perform the same duties within the limits of such incorporated city or town as are prescribed to be done by the Board of Supervisors in Section One (1), hereof, or the township trustees in Section Two (2) hereof.

SECTION 4. The following weeds are hereby declared to be noxious weeds: Quack grass (*agropyron repens*), Canada thistle (*cirsium arvense*), cocklebur (*xanthium canadense*), wild mustard (*brassica arvensis*), sour or curled dock (*rumex crispus*), smooth dock (*rumex altissimus*), buckthorn or ribbed plantain (*plantago lanceolata*), wild parsnip (*pastinaca sativa*), horse nettle (*solanum carolinense*), velvet weed or button weed (*abutilon theophrasti*), burdock (*arctium lappa*), shoo fly (*hibiscus trionum*), wild carrot (*daucus carota*), and Russian thistle (*salsola Keli I. var. targus*).

SECTION 5. It shall be the duty of all officers directly responsible for the care of public highways to make complaint to the proper Board of Supervisors, Township Trustees, Town Council or Commissioners, as the case may be, whenever it shall appear that the provisions of Section One (1) thereof may not be complied with in time to prevent the blooming and maturing of noxious weeds or the unlawful growth of weeds and brush.

SECTION 6. Any member of the Board of Supervisors, Township Trustees, Road Officer or other officer, who neglects or fails to perform the duties incumbent upon him under the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

SECTION 7. Sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred

sixty-five-i (1565-i), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Senator Gillette moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 p. m. President Harding, presiding.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 479, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 480, a bill for an act to repeal section ten hundred fifty-six-a eleven (1056-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to examiners of municipal accounts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 481, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred-a (100-a), one hundred-b (100-b), one hundred-c (100-c), and one hundred-d (100-d), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to state examiners for counties and municipalities, examination of offices and accounts, and uniform systems of accounting for counties and municipalities.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Voorhees, Senate File No. 482, a bill for an act to require railway companies to protect pedestriains and others traveling in the streets and public highways crossing the track of said railway company at grade.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 483, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 484, a bill for an act to regulate the sale of alcohol to registered pharmacists, physicians, veterinarians, hospitals, colleges and certain manufacturers and and repealing sections 2385, 2387, 2389, 2391, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399 and 2401 of the code and the law as it appears in sections 2386, 2388, 2390, 2393, 2394, 2400, 2401, 2401-a, 2401-b, 2401-c, 2401-d, 2401-e, and 2401-f of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the issuance of permits to registered pharmacists for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 64 and 122.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 199, a bill for an act to repeal sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), and one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the destruction of noxious weeds and other weeds and brush upon lands, highways and other places; assessing the costs and expenses of the destruction of the same to the lands and owners thereof; and providing funds with which to destroy the same and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

On the adoption of the substitute amendment offered by Senator Allen, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Foster, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Kimball, Savage, Taylor, Whitmore—13.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—36.

Absent or not voting:

Hilsinger—1.

The amendment was lost.

On the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Wilson, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Thomas, Wilson—15.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—30.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Foskett, Hilsinger, Ream, White of Iowa—5.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section one of the printed bill by adding after the word "maturity", in line 7 of the printed bill, the words "providing that the highway is leveled so that the weeds can be cut with an ordinary farm mowing machine."

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment as a substitute for the amendment offered by Senator Allen:

"Provided that road officers in the building of roads, bridges and culverts shall keep the roadsides in as smooth and even condition as possible in order that no unnecessary burdens may be added to the cutting of weeds."

Senator Farr raised the point of order that the amendment offered by Senator Allen had already been offered and voted upon.

President held the point not well taken as amendment had been offered as a substitute and not as an amendment.

Senator Savage moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Motion lost.

Senator Allen moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until tomorrow at 10 o'clock a. m.

Motion lost.

The substitute amendment by Senator Balkema was lost.

On the adoption of the amendment by Senator Allen, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Laffer, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Thompson, Wilson—18.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—28.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Hilsinger, Quigley, White of Iowa—4.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 1 by inserting after the word "maturity" in line 7 of the printed bill the words "provided that road officers in the building of roads, bridges and culverts, shall keep the roadsides in as smooth and even condition as practicable, in order that no unnecessary burdens may be added to the cutting of weeds along such roadsides.

Adopted.

Senator White of Benton offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by striking out the following words, as the same appear in the printed bill:

1. "and brush", following the word "weeds" in line 5, Section 1; also, the words "and brush" in line 11, Section 1, following the word "weeds".
2. "and brush", following the word "weeds" in line 7, Section 3.
3. "and brush", following the word "weeds" in line 13, Section 3.
4. "and brush", after the word "weeds" in line 18, Section 3.

Amendment lost.

Senator Robinson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking from line 8 of Section 4 of the printed bill the words "or other weeds and brush".

Adopted.

Senator Robinson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking from the bill as amended all of Section 9.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the words "provided that" as same appears in line 7, Section 1 of the printed bill as amended and substitute therefor the word "the".

Senator Savage moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 12, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. E. M. Holmes, Pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Corydon, Iowa.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 9:05 a. m.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Clarkson presented a petition of citizens of Marion county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Centerville, Iowa, regarding exemption laws.

Referred to committee on commerce and trade.

Senator White of Benton presented a petition of citizens of Tama county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Fremont county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Farrague, Iowa, urging the enactment of a law to protect the farmers and poultry raisers.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Fremont county favoring passage of House File No. 282, abolishing the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Missouri Valley, Iowa, urging passage of the teachers' retirement fund bill.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Franklin county relative to the investigating of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Wayne and Lucas counties, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Fellows presented a remonstrance of citizens of Clermont, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 234, providing for issuance of bonds by cities and towns.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Fayette county, favoring passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Fayette county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Woodbury county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator White of Iowa, presented a petition of citizens of Iowa and Johnson counties, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator White of Iowa presented a remonstrance of citizens of Marengo, Iowa, against House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Guthrie county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File No. 137 relative to the occupation of barbering and the proper sanitation of barber shops.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Altoona, Iowa, favoring passage of House File No. 282, abolishing state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Parker presented a remonstrance of citizens of Polk county against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Polk county relative to the investigating of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Hagemann presented a remonstrance of citizens of Butler county against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Parkersburg, Iowa, relative to the investigating of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Butler county, urging passage of House File No. 7 relative to the election of county superintendent.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Black Hawk county favoring an appropriation to defray the expenses of an Iowa exhibit at the Half Century Anniversary of Negro Freedom to be held in Chicago in August, 1915.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of the Cherokee Commercial Club, favoring passage of House File No. 423, in regard to exemption laws.

Referred to committee on commerce and trade.

Senator Balkema presented a remonstrance of citizens of Sioux county, against Senate File No. 236, granting aid to colleges for training teachers.

Referred to committee on educational institutions.

Senator Balkema presented a remonstrance of citizens of Sioux county, against increase in freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Hancock county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Story county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Schrup presented a petition of citizens of Dubuque county, urging investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Badger, Iowa, favoring the granting of funds to the railroad commission to prosecute cases now before the Interstate Commerce Commission, and for making a physical valuation of Iowa railroads; also, against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Larrabee presented a remonstrance of citizens of Fort Dodge, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Webster county, for amendment of House File No. 276 relating to practice of medicine.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Grundy county, relating to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of nurses of Iowa, against House File No. 324, relating to length of training of nurses.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Winnebago county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Mitchell county, favoring the granting of funds to the railroad commission to prosecute cases now before the interstate commerce commission, for making a physical valuation of Iowa railroads; also, against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Francis presented a petition of citizens of Dickinson county, favoring passage of House File No. 282, abolishing the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Francis presented petitions of citizens of Clay and Dickinson counties, favoring the granting to the railroad commission of funds to prosecute cases now before the Interstate Commerce Commission and for making a physical valuation of Iowa railroads; also, against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Francis presented petitions of citizens of Kossuth and Dickinson counties, urging passage of House File No. 367, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By ways and means committee, Senate Joint Resolution No. 18.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION.

JOINT RESOLUTION Agreeing to a Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa, Authorizing the General Assembly to Provide for the Exclusive Taxation of Classes of Property for State Revenue Purposes.

WHEREAS, by House Joint Resolution number four (4) of the resolutions of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly which resolution was approved April 16th, 1913, an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the House of Representatives of the said Thirty-fifth General Assembly and entered upon its journal at page five hundred five (505) thereof, and was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate of said General Assembly and entered upon its journal at pages nineteen hundred eighty-seven (1987) and nineteen hundred eighty-eight (1988) thereof, and,

WHEREAS, the said resolution has been published as provided by law and has now been referred to this, the Thirty-sixth General Assembly; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa as contained in the proposed House Joint Resolution number four (4) of the Resolutions of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, which resolution including its title was and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

"Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, authorizing the general assembly to provide for the exclusive taxation of classes of property for state revenue purposes.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

"SECTION 1. That the following amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa be, and the same is hereby proposed: To add, as section thirty-nine (39) to article three (3) of said constitution the following, to-wit:

"SECTION 39. For the purpose of providing revenue for state purposes the general assembly may provide for the exclusive taxation of such classes of property as it may deem proper. When any class of property is exclusively taxed for state revenue purposes, such class shall not be otherwise taxed for general county, township or municipal purposes."

"SEC. 2. That the foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa be, and the same is hereby referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election for members of the general assembly, and that the secretary of state cause the same to be published for three months previous to the day of such election, as provided by law.

"*Resolved further*, that should said proposed amendment be agreed to by a majority of the members of the said succeeding general assembly, the said proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state of Iowa at the general election in the year 1916"; and the same is hereby agreed to, adopted and enacted.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

By retrenchment and reform committee, Senate File No. 485, a bill for an act creating the office of state document editor prescribing the method of selecting the state document editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties.

Read first and second time and placed on the calendar.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 486, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred ninety-six (2596) of the code, relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on pharmacy.

By Senator Thomas, by request, Senate File No. 487, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 238, a bill for an act to repeal the taxation of moneys and credits, bank stocks, and banking capital law as the same appears in chapter sixty-three, laws of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 296, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred nineteen (1419) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation for publication of notice of the time and place of tax sales, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

CORRECTION OF JOURNALS.

Journal of March 10th and 11th were taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 83, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to the widow and heirs of Greenberry Stephens, for a tract of land in Muscatine county, Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 83, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to the widow and heirs of Greenberry Stephens, for a tract of land in Muscatine county, Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

President pro tem Crist announced that as President pro tem of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate File No. 83.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the request of the House for the return of House File No. 212 be granted.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File 199, a bill for an act to repeal sections one thousand five hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-b (1565-b), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-c (1565-c), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-d (1565-d), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-e (1565-e), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-f (1565-f), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-g (1565-g), one thousand

five hundred sixty-five-h (1565-h), one thousand five hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), and one thousand five hundred sixty-five-j (1565-j), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the destruction of noxious weeds and other weeds and brush upon lands, highways and other places; assessing the costs and expenses of the destruction of the same to the lands and owners thereof; and providing funds with which to destroy the same, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

By unanimous consent Senator Clarkson withdrew the amendment offered by him on March 11th and appearing on page 690 of the Senate Journal.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Strike out the amendment adopted as a part of line 7, Sec. 1, and insert the following at the end of Sec. 1: "The road officers in the building of roads, bridges and culverts, shall keep the roadsides in as smooth and even condition as reasonably practicable.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. 1 by adding thereto the following: "Where the roadsides are in such condition that they cannot be mowed with an ordinary farm mowing machine, the owner or occupant shall be allowed twenty cents per hour for the time actually employed in cutting the same. Such owner or occupant shall file a sworn statement with the county auditor, setting forth the nature of the service rendered and the time employed, which claim shall be audited as other claims and paid from the county road fund.

President Harding resumed the chair at 9:40 a. m.

Senator White of Iowa moved the previous question on the amendments and the bill.

Motion lost.

On the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Allen, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Laffer, Nye, Ream, Robinson, White of Benton, Wilson—18.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—23.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Frailey, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Whitmore—9.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 4 by striking from line 8 of the printed bill the word "invested" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "infested."

Adopted.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 3 by striking from line 6 of the printed bill the words "complaint made" and insert in lieu thereof the words "written notice". Also by striking from the word "members" in the same line the letter "s".

Adopted.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 5 by striking from line 2 of the printed bill the words "make complaint" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "give written notice".

Adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Fellows, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Laffer, Nye, Wilson—9.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Frailey, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Quigley, Ream, Schrup—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Upon request unanimous consent was given for the filing of the following amendments:

Senator Francis filed the following amendments:

Senate File No. 2.

I move to amend the bill by adding thereto the following as Sections 2, 3 and 4:

"SEC. 2. The Executive Council shall inspect and investigate the various lakes of the state affected by this act and classify them into three classes as follows, to-wit:

1. Lakes which should be preserved.
2. Lakes which should be drained, the state retaining ownership of the lake bed.
3. Lakes which should be ordered drained, and the lake beds sold.

Said inspection and investigation shall be made and completed prior to January 1, 1917, and full written report made for submission to the Thirty-seventh General Assembly upon convening and not later than January 15, 1917, which report shall contain the findings and recommendations of said council covering the following matters:

1. As to lakes to be preserved, a general statement as to the lake, the improvements required and the estimated cost thereof.
2. As to lakes to be drained, the state reserving title, a general statement as to acreage of lake bed, cost of drainage and estimated value when drained and reasons for drainage rather than preservation.
3. As to lakes to be drained and beds sold, a general statement as to acreage, cost of drainage, value when drained, estimated price at which same should be sold and reasons for drainage and sale rather than preservation or drainage, the state retaining title.

Sec. 3. The Executive Council is hereby authorized to use any employees of the engineering department of the State Agricultural College at Ames or of the engineering department of the State University of Iowa at Iowa City when such employees are not in the judgment of said executive council required at said colleges, in making such inspection and investigation and in making any surveys required in such inspection and investigation and in preparing the report above mentioned. Students of

said institutions may be permitted to aid in said work. The Executive Council may appoint as chief in charge of said work, any of said employees or the state engineer and any other competent employee of the state may be designated to aid in such work when in the judgment of said council not elsewhere needed and this provision shall take precedence over all other provisions of law as to specific employment. When any of the persons herein designated are engaged in said work at a place other than at the place of regular employment, their actual expenses shall be audited by the executive council and paid by the state from the general fund.

Sec. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall become effective upon publication in the Des Moines Capital and the Register and Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa."

Senator Helmer filed the following amendment to Senate File No. 2:

"Amend Senate File No. 2 by inserting after the word "drain" and before the word "and" in the fifth (5th) line of Section one (1) of the printed bill the words "or lakes included within drainage districts heretofore established by order of the board of supervisors of the county in which the same is situated."

Senator Helmer filed the following amendment to Senate File No. 3:

Amend Senate File No. 3 by inserting after the word "water" and before the word "which" in the second line of section one (1) thereof the words "not ordered drained, or included within drainage districts established prior to the passage of this act,".

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 330, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s2), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the state highway commission, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson,

Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Frailey, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Quigley—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 331, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standard specifications, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Quigley—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 332, a bill for an act to provide funds for assisting in eliminating dangers at rail-

road crossings, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting after the comma following the word "crossings" in the second line of Section One (1) of said bill the following: "pursuant to an agreement reached by negotiations between the railroad officials and the board of supervisors or trustees, or upon an order and finding of the railroad commission."

Amend by inserting between the words "in" and "constructing" in the sixth line of section one (1) the words "so assisting in".

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting the punctuation and word ", relocating" in the fifth line, after the word "straightening".

Adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—29.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Greene, Helmer, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Voorhees, White of Benton—12.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Fellows, Frailey, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Quigley, Shean, Wilson—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 26, a bill for an act to amend section 1571-m 17, supplement to the code, 1913, providing for signal lights on buggies, carriages, spring wagons and

other vehicles, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee rejected.

Senator Taylor offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 26, by striking out all after the word "following" in line two of Section 1 thereof and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Every buggy, carriage and other light vehicle driven upon the public highways, shall during the period from one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise display one lighted lamp of such magnitude as to be visible to approaching vehicles two hundred (200) feet away."

Adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time, now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Shean, Taylor, Voorhees, Whitmore—18.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—27.

Absent or not voting:

Frailey, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Ream, Schrup—5.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 49 in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 51, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Sutter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and concurred in Senate concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution in which the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to furnish the Enrolling Clerk and the Engrossing Clerk of the Senate, each a copy of the code and supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 27 in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 12, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the code of 1897, relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code of 1897, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

Greene, Quigley, Thompson—3.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, House File No. 145, a bill for an act limiting the time within which actions to set aside, cancel, amend, declare void or invalid, or to redeem from certain tax deeds, guardians deeds, executors deeds, receivers deeds, referees deeds, assignees deeds, administrators deeds, or trustees deeds and declaring such deeds and all proceedings upon which they are based conclusively presumed to be in all things valid and unimpeachable and effective to convey title, according to the purport thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By changing the word and figures "sixteen (1916)" in the ninth and twelfth lines to the word and figures "seventeen (1917)"; and by adding the words "sheriffs' deed" between the words "assignees deed" and "which" in the fourth line.

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Enger, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Ream, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, a joint resolution disallowing claims of certain citizens of the kingdom of Greece for damages alleged to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29th, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Arney, Clarkson, Crist, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Thomas Voorhees—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 310, a bill for an act to amend section 1571-m 23, supplement to the code, 1913, changing the offense of a person operating a motor vehicle while in an intoxicated condition from a misdemeanor to a felony and providing punishment therefor, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Senator Grout, Senate File No. 302, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section 411, supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindiy, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Quigley, Ream, Thomas—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 315, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred eighty-ten a (2480-10a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone systems in mines, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Foskett, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Quigley, Ream, Thomas—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 395, a bill for an act to repeal section 4775-3a supplement to the code, 1913, and enact the following substitute therefor relating to the carrying of concealed weapons, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Foster, Frailey, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Thomas—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Gillette moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 302 passed the Senate.

Carried.

Senator Gillette moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 302 passed to its third reading.

On request, and by unanimous consent, the bill was again placed on the Calendar.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, House File No. 146, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette,

Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Caswell, Foskett, Frailey, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Ream, Savage, Thomas—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, House File No. 184, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-a (2963-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, legalizing instruments and the record thereof affecting real estate titles recorded or spread upon the records of the recorder in the county in which the real estate described is located, prior to January 1, 1915, the acknowledgments of which are defective or which may not have been acknowledged, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Foskett, Frailey, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Ream—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Chase offered the following resolution :

Be It Resolved, By the Senate, the House concurring, that in view of the splendid address by the Hon. W. P. Hepburn, and the knowledge he possesses of the early history of Iowa, that he be requested to prepare a written review of his recollections of earlier Iowa, for the archives of the State, to be printed and paid for out of the State Treasury.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the Senate request the House to return to the Senate, Senate File No. 17.

Carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Thomas, from the committee on food and dairy, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on food and dairy, to whom was referred Senate File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter thirteen (13) title twelve (12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the dairy and food commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended be referred to the committee on appropriations, with recommendation for passage.

Striking out all of Sec. 2 from the printed bill; and also by striking out the word "other" from line twelve of section 3 on page 2 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "foreign". Also amend sec. 6 of the printed bill by inserting in line 27 on page 4 immediately following the words "Iowa Butter" and before the period the following: "License No.....". Also strike out from line 28 after the word "Quality" the period and the words "License No.....". And to renumber the sections of said bill.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Thomas the report of the committee was adopted and the bill referred to committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on food and dairy, to whom was referred Senate File No. 218, a bill for an act to encourage the dairy industries of the state of Iowa and to aid in providing instruction in practical and scientific methods and making an appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend that the bill be referred to committee on appropriations with recommendation favorable to its passage.

Strike out the words "the president of the Iowa State Buttermakers' association" in line 3 of sec. 3 in the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the Secretary of the Iowa State Dairy Association."

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

On motion of Senator Thomas the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 382, a bill for an act legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction and reconstruction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar river in said city, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 213, a bill for an act to prevent manifest technical defects and clouds of titles from becoming incorporated in the public title records, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 61, a bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to investigate the Torrens system of land registration, and to report on the expediency of the adoption of such system or modification thereof, by the State of Iowa, beg leave to report they

have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute, and when adopted as a substitute that as said substitute carries an appropriation, same be reported to committee upon appropriations for consideration by said committee.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 206, a bill for an act providing for the relocation of railroad tracks upon streets of certain cities so as to permit of the construction and operation of interurban railways on said streets, and for the use by interurban railways of said railroad tracks on said streets if the same are not relocated and the making of alterations in railroad tracks and the, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings for renewals of corporations for pecuniary profit, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 128, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-eight hundred eighty-five (3885) of the code by dispensing with the requirement for attachment bond where the defendant is a non-resident, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 12, a bill for an act to provide for municipal

courts in certain cities, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows:

1. By inserting after the comma following the word "proclamation" in the fifth line of section 2 the following:

"published once a week for three consecutive weeks in two newspapers of general circulation published in said municipality, or, if two such newspapers be not published, then in one such newspaper."

2. By striking out of the amendment at the close of section 3 that part of same reading:

"provided, that in cities of less than thirty thousand (30,000) under the commission form of government, the mayor, by and with the consent of the council, shall have power to appoint the judge, clerk and bailiff of the municipal court."

3. By striking out the amendment after the comma (,) following the word "provided" in the 11th line of section 6, reading:

"except as provided by section 3 hereof."

4. By striking out the amendment in the first line of section 12 reading:

"except as provided by section 2" and changing the word "all" in said line to read "All"

5. By striking out the amendment following the first line of section 16 reading:

"except in cities of less than thirty thousand (30,000) population under commission form of government"

6. By inserting preceding the word "Judiciary" in the 5th line of section 13 and in the 6th line of section 14, the word "Municipal"

7. By striking out of line 3 in section 18 the words, characters and figures "five hundred (\$500.00) dollars," and by substituting therefor the words, characters and figures: "One thousand (\$1000.00) dollars".

8. By striking out of line 5 in section 18 the following: "foreclosure of mechanics' liens and real estate mortgages" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "those directly affecting the title to real estate".

9. By inserting at the end of section 43: "challenges for cause shall be the same in the district court."

10. By inserting at the end of section 46 the following: "where judgments are not transcribed the Municipal Court shall have jurisdiction of proceedings auxiliary to execution".

11. By inserting at the end of section 17 the following:

"Grounds for, and the practice governing the correction, vacation, or modification of final judgment or order of said court, and the granting of new trial, shall be the same, so far as may be, as in the district court; and the jurisdiction of said court shall be considered as retained by it for correction of errors of the court, or in the record, for a period of ten days following the entry of final judgment, except that execution may issue upon the entry of final judgment unless stayed

by order of court for a period not exceeding such ten days, or unless stayed by appeal perfected by notice and supersedeas".

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 338, a bill for an act relating to fees of clerks of district court acting as referees in probate under appointment by a judge of the district court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 83, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to the widow and heirs of Greenberry Stephens, for a tract of land in Muscatine County, Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 488, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 489.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Acts and Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Emmetsburg, Iowa, Relative to the Permanent Improvement of Certain Streets Therein and the Contract Entered Into for Said Improvement, and Assessment of Benefits to be Made Against Property Benefited Thereby.

WHEREAS, the City Council of Emmetsburg, Iowa, did upon its own motion on the 9th day of September, 1914, propose a resolution for the improvement by grading, guttering and paving of certain portions

of Broadway Street, Main Street, Tenth Street and Court Avenue, Eleventh Street and Court Avenue, Lake Street, Union Street and Grand Avenue, all in said city with either Bithulithic, Sarcolithic, Mineral Rubber or Asphaltic Concrete, Portland Cement Concrete, Brick Block or Creosoted wood block paving and Portland Cement curbing and guttering, and

WHEREAS, said proposed resolution was published in Emmetsburg Democrat, for four successive weeks the last of which was on October 7th, 1914, naming November 2nd, 1914, at 8 o'clock P. M. as the date upon which objections, if any, would be heard and said proposed resolution either amended and passed or passed without amendment, and

WHEREAS, said resolution of necessity was on November 6th, 1914, at a meeting adjourned from November 2nd, 1914, duly passed by council of said city, and

WHEREAS, in said proposed resolution as published it stated that property abutting said improvement and adjacent thereto will be assessed to pay for said improvement, meaning thereby that property within 300 feet as provided in Acts of General Assembly 1913, Chapter 76, Page 68-69 should be considered adjacent property, and

WHEREAS, afterwards on January 22, 1915, notice was given that bids would be received on February 15th, 1915, and proposals for doing said work were received on said date by the City Council of Emmetsburg to be constructed according to plans and specifications which in addition to said paving, curbing and guttering provided for construction of underground drainage or sewer costing approximately \$7500.00; that in the plans and specifications said underground drainage was designated as a sewer; that the said underground drain or sewer is considered by the City Council to be a necessary part of said improvement, and

WHEREAS, there is in said resolution of necessity a provision for grading in connection with said improvement amounting to approximately \$4,700.00, and

WHEREAS, the city of Emmetsburg having entered into contract for struction of said improvement with brick paving according to said plans and specifications including underground drain or sewer, and grading; that the said contract for said work was let to the lowest bidder, and

WHEREAS, there is some doubt as to the legality of the said proceedings had by the City Council of Emmetsburg and of the contract entered into for construction of said improvement and assessments to be made against the property benefited by said improvement, Now therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That all acts, resolutions and contract made by the City of Emmetsburg, Iowa, concerning and providing for construction of said paving, curbing, guttering, grading and drainage of Broadway street from fourteenth to eighth street; Main Street from Lake to Monroe Street; Tenth Street and Court Avenue from Lake Street to Tenth and Monroe Streets; Eleventh Street and Court Avenue from Lake Street to

Eleventh Street and Monroe Street; Lake Street from Tenth Street to Main Street; Union Street from Court Avenue to Main Street; Grand Avenue from Tenth Street and Court Avenue to Eleventh Street and Court Avenue, all in said city are hereby declared valid and binding the same as if the law had in all respects been strictly followed and complied with. This act shall not effect pending litigation.

SECTION 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines Capital, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Emmetsburg Democrat, a newspaper published at Emmetsburg, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 490, a bill for an act regulating the sale and use of certain habit forming drugs; defining the same; prohibiting unlawful possession of the same; providing for the keeping of records and making report; providing for labelling of containers; providing for issuing of licenses; providing for issuing prescriptions by health physicians; providing for the commitment and treatment of drug patients to public hospitals; providing for the revoking of licenses of licensees who are addicted to the use of the drugs mentioned or for violations of this act; providing for the enforcing of this act; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and repealing laws in conflict therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on pharmacy.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate Concurrent Resolution, concurrent resolution in which the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to furnish the Enrolling Clerk and the Engrossing Clerk of the Senate, each a copy of the Code and supplement to the code, 1913.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Senator Foskett moved that the Senate concur in the House amendments to the concurrent resolution.

Amend by inserting after the word "Senate" in the fourth line the words "and the Enrolling Clerk and the Engrossing Clerk of the House".

Carried.

Senator Larrabee offered the following resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be it Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the Secretary of State is hereby authorized to issue one copy of the Code of Iowa to Senator John H. Ream.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor stating that he had this day approved Senate Files Nos. 83 and 6.

Senator Clarkson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 13, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. Edward Kirbye, Pastor of the Plymouth Congregational Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Clarkson presented a petition of citizens of Marion county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Clarkson presented a petition of citizens of Lovilia, Iowa, urging repeal of the primary law.

Referred to committee on elections.

Senator Crist presented petitions of citizens of Clarke and Warren counties relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Mitchell county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Perry, Iowa, relative to road law.

Referred to committee on highways

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Guthrie county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Audubon county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Osceola county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Page county favoring the "Poultry appropriation bill."

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Waterloo, Iowa, urging passage of bill relative to plumbers and steam fitters.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Cedar county relative to the investigating of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Gillette presented petition of citizens of Cherokee county relative to the investigating of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Jones presented a petition of citizens of Montgomery county relative to the investigating of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Fleck presented a petition of citizens of Jasper county relative to the investigating of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, favoring passage of the "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Nye presented a remonstrance of the nurses of Iowa against House File No. 324 relating to registered or graduate nurses.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Sac and Carroll counties relative to the investigating of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Lee county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Lee county, favoring the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Ream presented a petition of citizens of Mahaska county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has requested the return of the following bill:

Senate File No. 51, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 207, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-s (2341-s), twenty-three hundred forty-one-t (2341-t), twenty-three hundred forty-one-u (2341-u), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-v (2341-v), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, providing that owners or keepers of registered stallions or jacks shall have a lien upon the mare served and the progeny of such animal for the service fee, fixing the method of enforcing the lien and providing a penalty for certain violation of the law.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 32, a bill for an act to enable electors to vote at any general, special, primary, county, township, city or town election, where

the Australian ballot is used, when absent or anticipating being absent on the day of such election from the county in which they are electors, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 491, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 492, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-b (1798-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Jackson, by request, Senate File No. 493, a bill for an act to establish the standard width and to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of standard width draft sleighs, and to provide penalty for violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 494, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred sixty (4760) of the code relating to enticing a female child for the purpose of prostitution.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 495, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred eighty (2780), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the system of the common school and requiring monthly publication of expenditures made by certain schools.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 496.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize the Acts of the Incorporated Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, in Voting to Purchase or Erect an Electric Light and Power Plant in Said Town and as a Part Thereof, a Transmission Line from the Incorporated Limits of Said Town to a Junction With the Rich Potential Transmission Line of the Iowa Railway and Light Company Extending Between the Towns of Marshalltown and Tama; To Issue the Bonds of Said Town in the Sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars for the Purpose of Procuring Funds for the Purchase or Erection of Such Light and Power Plant and Transmission Line; and To Sell Such Plant To the Iowa Railway and Light Company.

WHEREAS, on the second day of November, A. D. 1914, there was submitted to the Town Council of the town of Gladbrook, Iowa, a petition signed by the majority of the qualified electors of said town, requesting said Council to submit to the qualified electors of the Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, the question of the contracting of an indebtedness of the said town in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for the purpose of procuring money with which to erect or purchase in the town of Gladbrook, an electric light and power plant, to consist of an overhead transmission and distribution system, for the transmission of electric current throughout said town, for light, heat, power and other purposes, and of a high potential transmission line from said town to a junction with the high potential electric transmission line of the Iowa Railway & Light Company, now extending from the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, to the city of Tama, Iowa, said high potential transmission line to be used for the purpose of conducting electric current from the said line of the Iowa Railway & Light Company to the overhead distribution system of the said town of Gladbrook, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the said petition, and pursuant to Section 1306-d of the Code Supplement of 1907, the Town Council of said town, at the next regular meeting of said Council, held upon the second day of November, A. D. 1914, did by resolution, call such election for the purpose of submitting such question to the qualified voters of such town, fixing the time and place of holding such election but did not in such resolution, state the polling places, and

WHEREAS, at such election held upon the 7th day of December, A. D. 1914, the said Town Council did submit to the qualified electors of the said town of Gladbrook, Iowa, the question as to whether or not the said town should incur an indebtedness in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of such electric light and power plant, and transmission line, and

WHEREAS, at such election the said town council did also submit to the voters of said town, the proposition as to whether or not the said incorporated town should purchase or erect an electric light plant to consist of an overhead distribution system within such town and a high potential transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the high potential transmission line of the Iowa Rail-

way & Light Company, extending between the cities of Marshalltown and Tama, Iowa, and

WHEREAS, at said election, the said town council did also submit to the voters of said town the proposition as to whether or not the said town should sell said plant if purchased or erected to the Iowa Railway and Light Company, which three said propositions as they appeared upon the official ballot at said election, were as follows, to-wit:

FIRST.

Shall the Incorporated Town of Gladbrook contract an indebtedness in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) which said indebtedness together with the present indebtedness of said town will be in excess of one and one-quarter (1 1-4) per centum of the actual value of the taxable property of the said Town of Gladbrook, as ascertained by the last State and County Tax List; said indebtedness to be contracted for the purpose of procuring money with which to erect or purchase in the Town of Gladbrook, an electric light and power plant to consist of an overhead transmission and distribution system for the transmission of electric current throughout said Town, for light, heat, power and other purposes, and of a high potential transmission line to Iowa Railway and Light Company, now extending from the City of Marshalltown, Iowa, to the City of Tama, Iowa, said high potential transmission line to be used for the purpose of conducting electric current from the said line of Iowa Railway and Light Company to the overhead distribution system of said Town of Gladbrook.

SECOND.

Shall the Incorporated Town of Gladbrook purchase or erect an electric light plant, said plant to consist of an overhead transmission and distribution system for the transmission of electric current for light, heat, power and other purposes, throughout the Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, and of a high potential transmission line from the Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, to a junction between said line, and the high potential transmission line of Iowa Railway and Light Company, extending between the City of Marshalltown, Marshall county, Iowa, and the City of Tama, Tama county, Iowa, and the other standard modern equipment necessary to be used in receiving and transmitting electric current from the said high potential line of Iowa Railway and Light Company, to the distribution system in the Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, and in transmitting delivering said current over said distribution system to the various residents of said Town?

THIRD.

Shall the Incorporated Town of Gladbrook sell to Iowa Railway and Light Company such electric light plant as may be purchased or erected by said Town, provided the questions of the purchase or erection of said plant and the contracting by said Town of the necessary indebtedness therefor, be carried by an affirmative vote of the electors of said Town as required by law, at the special election to be held December 7th, 1914, and that said plant pursuant thereto be purchased or erected, said sale to be for a price equal to the actual cost of said plant to said Town and

upon the following terms, to-wit: The said Iowa Railway and Light Company to pay said sums in installments equaling in amount and upon the same dates and with like interest as the said Town may obligate itself to pay upon the bonds issued by said Town in procuring funds for the erection of said plant, provided that if the purchase price exceeds the amount of said bonds, the excess shall be due and payable upon the date upon which the last of said bonds become due and payable.

And, WHEREAS, in the notice for the calling of election, it was provided that the election should be held upon the 7th day of December, 1914, in the usual polling place, which said usual polling place in said town was, and for many years had been, the Town Hall of the Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to such notice, such election was held on the date mentioned in said resolution and in said notice, and at said Town Hall of the Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, and there was cast upon each of the succeeding propositions, the following vote, to-wit:

Upon the first of said propositions above set forth, there were two hundred fifty-four (254) ballots cast, of which sixty-two (62) were cast by females, and of said vote there were cast in favor of the issuance of said Bonds, the votes of one hundred seventy-six (176) males, and sixty-two (62) females, making a total of two hundred thirty-eight (238) votes cast in favor of the issuance of said Bonds. Against the issuance of said Bonds there were cast the votes of eight (8) males; and there were eight (8) spoiled ballots. Said proposition for the issuance of said Bonds was duly carried by a majority of two hundred and thirty (230) votes.

Upon the second of said propositions, there were two hundred and two (202) ballots cast of which one hundred eighty-nine (189) were cast in favor of said proposition, and thirteen (13) were cast against such proposition, and said proposition was carried by a majority of one hundred seventy-six (176) votes.

Upon the third of said propositions, there were two hundred (200) ballots cast, of which one hundred and eighty-one (181) were cast in favor of said proposition, and nineteen (19) were cast against said proposition, and said proposition was carried by a majority of one hundred and sixty-two (162) votes.

And, WHEREAS, doubts have now been suggested and arisen as to the legality of the said proceedings and particularly as to the legality of the said resolution, calling said election, in that said resolution did not set forth therein the polling place, and as to the said notice of said election, in that said notice provided that the votes would be cast at the usual polling place, and as to the legality of submitting all three of said propositions at the same election and as to the legality of the said Town selling its said electric light and power plant to the Iowa Railway & Light Company, according to the terms of said proposition, so submitted upon said ballot as stated thereinbefore, Now, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the election held in the Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, upon the 7th day of December, 1914, is hereby declared to have been a valid and legal election, the same as though the law in every respect

had been strictly complied with in the form and content of the resolution calling the same, in the form and contents of the notice of said election, and in all other respects; and the said propositions so submitted at said election are declared to have been legally carried and adopted by a majority of the qualified electors of said town, and to be of the same force and effect in law, as though each of said propositions had been submitted and carried at separate and independent special elections, held for the purpose of voting thereupon, and the said Town of Gladbrook, Iowa, is hereby authorized to issue and sell its bonds in the said sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of an electric light and power plant as described in the propositions submitted upon said ballot and to either purchaser erect such plant and to sell the same to the Iowa Railway & Light Company, in the manner and at the price and upon the terms set forth in said proposition as submitted at such election, all as fully and completely as though the law in all things had been technically and fully complied with in every respect.

SECTION 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News and Register and Leader, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 497, a bill for an act to restrict and regulate the use of hog cholera virus or blood drawn from an animal suffering from hog cholera or swine plague; to provide for the quarantine of premises where hog cholera virus has been used in the simultaneous treatment for hog cholera or swine plague; to provide for the quarantining of premises where hog cholera or swine plague has been found to exist within the limits of the state of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 498.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Validate the Organization of the Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk, in Warren County, Iowa, and Proceedings Taken to Authorize the Issuance of Bonds of said District in the Amount of \$25,000.

WHEREAS, Proceedings have been heretofore had and taken to organize a consolidated independent school district under the provisions of Section Twenty-seven Hundred Ninety-four-a (2794-a), of the Supplement to the Code, 1907, as amended by Chapter One Hundred Forty-three (143) of the Acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, embracing certain territory in the townships of Linn and Greenfield in the County of Warren, and State of Iowa; and

WHEREAS, After completion of the proceedings and organization of the consolidated independent school district last mentioned, further proceedings were had and taken to organize a consolidated independent school district under the law aforesaid embracing the territory theretofore embraced in the consolidated independent school district organized as aforesaid and certain additional territory, the whole thereof being described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of section four (4), township seventy-seven (77), north, range twenty-five (25) west of the 5th P. M., Iowa; thence north on the half section line to the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section nine (9), township seventy-seven (77), north, range twenty-five (25), west of the 5th P. M., Iowa; thence west on the section line to the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said section nine (9); thence south on the quarter section line to the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said section nine (9); thence east on the half section line to the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section nine (9); thence south on the quarter section line to the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of said section nine (9); thence east on the section line to the southeast corner of said section nine (9); thence south on the section line to the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of section twenty-seven (27), Township seventy-seven (77), North, Range twenty-five (25), West of the 5th P. M., Iowa; thence east on the half section line to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section twenty-five (25), Township seventy-seven (77), North, Range twenty-five (25), West of the 5th P. M., Iowa; thence north on the Township line to the northeast corner of said Section twenty-five (25); thence east on the said Section line to the southeast corner of Section twenty (20), Township seventy-seven (77), North, Range twenty-four (24), West of the 5th P. M., Iowa; thence north on the Section line to the northeast corner of said Section twenty-five (25); thence east on the said section line to the southeast corner of Section twenty (20), Township seventy-seven (77), North, Range twenty-four (24), West of the 5th P. M., Iowa; thence north on the section line to the northeast corner of said Section twenty (20); thence east on the said section line to the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section sixteen (16), Township seventy-seven (77), North, Range twenty-four (24); West of the 5th P. M., Iowa; thence north on the quarter section line to the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of Section nine (9), Township seventy-seven (77), North, Range twenty-four (24), West of the 5th P. M., Iowa; thence west on the quarter section line to the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of said section nine (9); thence north on the quarter section line to the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said section nine (9); thence west on the quarter section line to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said section nine (9); thence north on the section line to the northeast corner of Section five (5); township seventy-seven (77), North, Range twenty-four (24), West of the 5th P. M., Iowa;

thence west on the county line to the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of Section four (4), township seventy-seven (77), North, Range twenty-five (25), West of the 5th P. M., Iowa, to place of beginning; and

WHEREAS, The territory last above described includes the territory prior to the date of the proceedings first hereinbefore mentioned, included in the Independent School District of Norwalk; and

WHEREAS, The town of Norwalk is the only incorporated city, town or village situated in the territory herein described; and .

WHEREAS, The consolidated independent school district organized as last aforesaid has been some times known and designated as "Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk;" and

WHEREAS, Subsequent to the proceedings last aforesaid, the following were elected directors of said Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk for the terms following their respective names;

H. J. Hughes and J. H. Rockfellow, for the term expiring the second Monday in March, 1915;

Fred Stiffler and C. A. Willett, for the term expiring the second Monday in March, 1916;

W. R. Thomas, for the term expiring the second Monday in March, 1917; and

E. E. Guthrie was elected Treasurer of said Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk, for the term expiring the second Monday in March, 1915; and

WHEREAS, Subsequent to the election of said officers certain proceedings were had and taken to authorize the issuance of School Building Bonds of said Consolidated Independent School District, in the amount of \$25,000 for purpose of procuring a school house site and building and furnishing school house thereon in and for said Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Directors of said Consolidated Independent School District has entered into a contract for the sale of said bonds at a price not less than the par value thereof and has directed that the same be dated December 1, 1914, be of denomination of \$500.00 each, numbered 1 to 50 inclusive, bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually and be due in numerical order \$1,000 on December 1, of each of the years 1917, 1918 and 1919, \$1,500.00 on December 1, of each of the years 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923, and \$16,000.00 on December 1, 1924, and that principal and interest be payable at the Merchants Loan and Trust Company, Chicago, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Questions have arisen as to the validity of the proceedings had and taken in the organization of said Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk, and as to the validity of proceedings had and taken to authorize the issuance of the School Building Bonds of said District aforesaid; and

WHEREAS, The best interests of the state and of the territory embraced within said Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk, and of the inhabitants thereof, demand that the organization of said District and the proceedings taken to authorize said bonds, be in all respects validated; now, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa.

SECTION 1. That all proceedings had in the organization of the Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk, embracing territory in the County of Warren, State of Iowa, described in the foregoing preamble, be and the same are hereby in all respects validated, legalized and ratified and the said territory declared to be duly organized as a consolidated independent school district under the provisions of Section twenty-seven Hundred Ninety-four-a (2794-a), of the Supplement to the Code, 1907, as amended by Chapter One Hundred Forty-three (143), of the Acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, under the name and title of Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk, and that the officers enumerated in the preamble hereof be and they are hereby declared to have been duly and properly elected to their several offices for the several terms in said preamble set forth.

SEC. 2. That all proceedings had and taken by the Board of Directors, officers and electors of said Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk, to authorize the issuance of School Building Bonds of said District in the amount of \$25,000 for the purpose of procuring a school house site and building and furnishing a school house thereon in and for said District, be and the same are hereby in all respects, legalized, ratified and confirmed and that the officers of said District be and they are hereby authorized to issue the School Building Bonds of said District described in the preamble hereof.

SEC. 3. This Act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the "Norwalk Free Press," a newspaper published at Norwalk, Iowa, and in the "Register and Leader," a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, such publication to be without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 or judiciary.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 49, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-b (1527-b) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways.

Passed on file.

Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Sutter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the Fifth P. M., Iowa.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

By striking out the word "of" after the word "North" in the fourth line of the title, and inserting a comma after the word "North" in said line; also amend the same by striking out the word "of" in the fifth line

of the preamble and insert a comma after the word "north" in said line; also amend the same by striking out the comma after the figures (85) in the fifth line of the title; also amend the same by striking out the word "of" after the word "north" in the sixth line of section one. Also amend the same by striking out section No. Two (2).

Passed on file.

Senate File No. 51, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

Passed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Whitmore, from the committee on military affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section 2215-f 42, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and military code of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same favorably and that it be referred to the committee on appropriations.

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Whitmore the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f 31 and 2215-f 36, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 378.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Thirty-one (2215-f 31), Supplement to the Code, 1913, and to Repeal Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Thirty-six (2215-f 36), Supplement to the Code, 1913, and to Enact a Substitute Therefor, Relating to the Militia and Military Code of Iowa, Arms, Equipment, etc., and to Absence of Soldiers Without Leave.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Thirty-one (2215-f 31), Supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "wilfully" in line eight (8) thereof.

SEC. 2. That Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Thirty-six (2215-f36), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"Every soldier absent from any tour of active service, parade, drill, encampment or inspection without leave or sufficient excuse, shall be fined two dollars for each day of absence; and for any unsoldierly conduct during any such service he may be fined not more than ten dollars. Such fines shall be collected by civil action in the name of the state for the use of the company to which the soldier fined belongs, and such action shall be prosecuted by the county attorney. Any company may impose such other fines upon its members as it may think proper in its by-laws, which may be enforced in the manner above provided. The findings of the court-martial provided in section thirty-nine of this act for the trial of soldiers charged with such offenses shall be conclusive evidence on the question of whether or not the soldier was absent without sufficient excuse or whether he was guilty of unsoldierly conduct or whether he was guilty of an infraction of the by-laws of the company. Upon the trial of the civil action above provided for, no evidence shall be competent on the part of the defendant except that he may show in defence that the court-martial that determined his guilt did not comply with the provisions of the law or was for any reason without jurisdiction to determine the question of his guilt. Whenever the governor, as commander-in-chief, has issued an order to the guard, or any portion thereof, to perform any military duty which may be required under the law and regulations, and any enlisted man fails to report for such duty, the sheriff or any peace officer shall upon a written request of the commanding officer of such troops accompanied by a copy of the order of the governor, arrest such enlisted man and deliver him in person to such commanding officer wherever he may direct. The sheriff or any peace officer shall be allowed the same fees and mileage for such service as is now allowed by law in criminal cases and the same shall be taxed accordingly."

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Senator Grout, from the committee on public health, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 262, a bill for an act to safeguard water supplies to prevent the discharge of sewage or the deposit of garbage into lakes, ponds, natural or artificial depressions or reservoirs, rivers or other water courses or upon land subject to overflow; to provide a plan for enabling cities and towns to provide sewage treatment for existing sewer systems, and to provide for the supervision, direction and care of sanitary installations, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred House File No. 142, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred ninety-one (1391) of the code of 1913, relating to the collection of penalty of interest upon delinquent taxes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 271, a bill for an act to provide for the assessment and taxation of Osage, willow and other hedge fences adjacent to public highways, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend section one (1) by striking out all after the word "not" in line six (6) and insert in lieu thereof the following "apply to trees growing along the highway at a distance of two (2) or more rods apart."

Amend section two (2) by striking out of lines ten (10) and eleven (11) all after the word "apportioned" and insert in lieu thereof the words "such tax to be paid into the county road fund".

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 311, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred thirty (430) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, widows and minor children and the erection of monuments for soldiers and sailors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on military affairs.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Allen, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on military affairs.

Senator Jones, from the committee on banks and banking, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred Senate File No. 247, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter (13-B) title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to

enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred House File No. 357, a bill for an act to amend section eighteen hundred seventy (1870), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the limit of liabilities to state and savings banks, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred Senate File No. 479, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

Senator Wilson, from the committee on labor, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on labor, to whom was referred Senate File No. 393, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473) of the code, relating to the duties of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, and relating to the meaning or definitions of the terms "factory," "mill," and other like terms, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on labor, to whom was referred Senate File No. 392, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a 5 (4999-a 5), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of safety appliances on machinery, beg leave to

report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Thompson, from the committee on rules, called up for consideration the resolution offered by him on March 10th, relative to a change in the rules to govern the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the proposed Rule 31a by inserting after the word "committee", in line one, the words and punctuation ", except of the appropriation committee,".

On motion, further consideration of the resolution was postponed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter 2-b, title 14, supplement to the code, relating to sale and leasing of meandered lake beds and for conservation of same, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Chase moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Strike from the seventh line the word "other" and by inserting after the word beds and before the word shall in the seventh line the words "not sold prior to January 20, 1915."

Adopted.

On request of Senator Chase, unanimous consent having been given the following lease was ordered printed in the Journal.

AGREEMENT.

This article of agreement made and entered into on this 14th day of June, A. D. 1913, by and between the executive council of the state of Iowa, party of the first part, and Fred R. Austin, party of the second part,

WITNESSETH: That the party of the first part has this day employed the party of the second part to drain and improve a certain lake known as Big Wall Lake, situated in sections 2, 3, 10, 11, 14 and 15, of township 90, north range 24, west of the fifth P. M., Iowa, which lake contains about eight hundred (800) acres. It is understood and agreed that the party of the second part shall have six years time from March 1, 1913, in which to properly drain and improve said lake bed, and if the same can be

drained, he is to expend of his own funds in draining and improving the same and in putting said land in condition for cultivation, the sum of not less than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). And in consideration of the party of the second part making said expenditure and draining said lake as hereinbefore provided, party of the first part hereby agrees to lease to the party of the second part the lands included within the high water lines of said lake for a period of twenty years, commencing on the first day of March, 1919, at the annual rental of two hundred dollars (\$200) per year, payable on the first day of March of each year, commencing with the year 1919.

It is further understood and agreed that the party of the second part shall have the option to cancel this agreement at any time prior to the first day of March, 1919, in the event that he finds it will be impracticable to drain and improve said lake bed, and that upon the cancellation of this contract, or at the expiration of the lease to be hereafter executed, the party of the second part is to surrender and turn over to the party of the first part all improvements made upon said lands. In the event that said lands are subjected to a drainage tax during any part of the time herein referred to then such tax is to be paid by the party of the first part.

The members of the executive council assume no personal responsibility herein but simply hereby contract with reference to and agree to lease such interest in said real estate as may now or hereafter vest in the state of Iowa.

It is further stipulated and agreed by and between the parties hereto that if the party of the second part shall default in the payment of any rent to become due and payable hereunder for thirty days time after said installment of rent shall become due and payable, as herein contemplated, or shall fail and default in carrying out any of his other agreements herein contained, then and in that case, the party of the first part and its successors may at its option declare this agreement and the lease agreement to be executed in accordance herewith, null and void, and in which case the party of the first part shall forfeit all his rights and accruing rights under and by virtue of these whole presents. This agreement is executed in duplicate.

Witness our hands this 14th day of June, 1913.

	G. W. CLARKE,
	W. S. ALLEN,
Party of the first part.	JOHN L. BLEAKLY,
	W. C. BROWN,

Executive Council.

Party of the second part.	FRED R. AUSTIN.
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State of Iowa, County of Polk, ss.

On this 14th day of June, A. D. 1913, personally appeared before me Fred R. Austin, party of the second part, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing instrument to be his voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein expressed.

(SEAL)

A. H. DAVIDSON,
Notary Public in and for Polk County.

State of Iowa, Polk County, ss.

On this 14th day of June, A. D. 1913, before me, A. H. Davison, a notary public within and for said county, personally came G. W. Clarke, W. S. Allen, John L. Bleakly and W. C. Brown, personally to me known to be the identical persons whose names are affixed to the above instrument as first parties and severally acknowledged the execution of the same to be their voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein expressed.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal at Des Moines, Iowa, on the day last above written.

A. H. DAVISON,
Notary Public.

(SEAL)

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 2 by striking from line 4 of the printed bill the word "may" and substitute therefor the word "has".

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the bill by adding thereto the following as Sections 2, 3 and 4:

SEC. 2. The Highway Commission shall inspect and investigate the various lakes of the state effected by this act and classify them into three classes as follows, to-wit:

1. Lakes which should be preserved.
2. Lakes which should be drained, the state retaining ownership of the lake bed.
3. Lakes which should be ordered drained, and the lake beds sold.

Said inspection and investigation shall be made and completed prior to January 1, 1917, and full written report made for submission to the Thirty-seventh General Assembly upon convening and not later than January 15, 1917, which report shall contain the findings and recommendations of said commission covering the following matters:

1. As to lakes to be preserved, a general statement as to the lake, the improvements required and the estimated cost thereof.
2. As to lakes to be drained, the state reserving title, a general statement as to acreage of lake bed, cost of drainage and estimated value when drained and reasons for drainage rather than preservation.
3. As to lakes to be drained and beds sold, a general statement as to acreage, cost of drainage, value when drained, estimated price at which same should be sold and reasons for drainage and sale rather than preservation or drainage, the state retaining title.

SEC. 3. The Highway Commission is hereby authorized to use any employees of the engineering department of the State Agricultural College at Ames or of the engineering department of the State University of Iowa at Iowa City when such employees are not in the judgment of said Highway Commission required at said colleges, in making such inspection and investigation and in making any surveys required in such inspection

and investigation and in preparing the report above mentioned. Students of said institutions may be permitted to aid in said work. The Highway Commission may appoint as chief in charge of said work, any of said employees or the state engineer and any other competent employee of the state may be designated to aid in such work when in the judgment of said commission not elsewhere needed and this provision shall take precedence over all other provisions of law as to specific employment. When any of the persons herein designated are engaged in said work at a place other than at the place of regular employment, their actual expenses shall be audited by the executive council and paid by the state from the general fund.

SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall become effective upon publication in the Des Moines Capital and the Register and Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

"Amend Senate File No. 2 by inserting after the word "drain" and before the word "and" in the fifth (5th) line of Section one (1) of the printed bill the words "or lakes included within drainage districts heretofore established by order of the board of supervisors of the county in which the same is situated."

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Whitmore, Wilson—19.

The nays were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—22.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Crist, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Schrup, Voorhees—9.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out of the bill the words in the fifth, sixth and seventh lines, "nor to such of said lakes or lake beds as the Executive Council has before January 20, 1915, ordered drained".

Senator Francis moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until 10:30 Monday morning, March 15th.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Whitmore—21.

The nays were:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Henigbaum, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—18.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Crist, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Ream, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees—11.

Motion carried:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Jackson, from the committee on insurance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 170, a bill for an act to amend the law, chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, securing the payment thereof, repealing certain sections of said chapter and enacting a substitute therefor, establishing a board of commissioners, defining their duties, responsibilities and powers, abolishing the office of labor commissioner and industrial commissioner, and transferring the duties and powers of such office to the board established by this act, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

GEO. H. JACKSON,
Chairman Pro Tem.

On request and by unanimous consent, placed on the calendar.

Senator Clarkson moved that consideration of Senate File No. 170 be made a special order for 10:30 a. m. Wednesday, March 17th.

Carried.

Senator Jones, from the committee on banks and banking, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred Senate File No. 219, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

In Section three, strike out line thirteen.

In Section ten, lines four and five, strike out all following the word "mortgaged" and add instead the words "for agricultural purposes".

In Section fourteen, after the word "date" on the second line, strike out the period and insert in place thereof a comma and add "on and after five years from the first interest paying date", and on line three of the same section strike out the words "one half of".

In Section seventeen, line four, insert the word "state" between the words "each" and "Farm".

In Section eighteen, line one, insert the word "state" between the words "the" and "farm".

In Section nineteen, line two, insert the word "state" between the words "the" and "farm", and in line seven of the same section strike out the word "deposited" and insert in place thereof the words "to deposit".

In Section twenty-one, line one, insert the word "state" between the words "the" and "farm".

In Section twenty-three, line seven, strike out the word "living".

In Section twenty-seven, line one, strike out the number "1881" and insert in lieu thereof the numbers "1878, 1879, 1880, 1881, 1882, and 1883".

F. F. JONES,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 380, a bill for an act to abolish the office of school treasurer and provide that the county treasurer shall perform the duties of said officer, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out of Section 7 of the bill after the word "shall" in the first line, and before the word "deposit" in third line of said Section, the words and comma "with the approval of the board of supervisors by resolution entered of record as to place of deposit."

Amend Section 20 by striking out the words "Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa," and insert in lieu thereof the words "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa."

L. W. BOE,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred House File No. 7, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the election of county superintendents of schools as the same appears in section one thousand seventy-two (1072), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent placed on calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 89, a bill for an act to provide free text books and supplies in all school districts of the state, to authorize the making of contracts therefor, and the terms, conditions and form thereof, to provide the terms and conditions under which publishers may lawfully contract to furnish such books, to fix the duties of school officers in reference thereto, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent placed on calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 388, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred fifty-four (2754), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the time of filing petitions for directors of school boards, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by substituting the word "full" for the word "clear" in the fourth line of the bill.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 465, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-b-six (2634-b 6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 454, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-eight hundred twelve-c (2812-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to school funding bonds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommended the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Be amended by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof, the following:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code, and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

(a) The county board of education shall consist of the county superintendent of schools, who shall be chairman ex-officio with power to call said board together at the county seat, a member of the board of supervisors, and four other persons named as hereinafter directed, two of whom shall be members of school boards in the county at the time of their appointment and chosen both for their business and educational qualifications, one from a rural school board and the other from a city or town school board, and two educators of standing who are engaged in teaching in the county at the time of their appointment, one of whom shall be a teacher in a rural school with not less than two years' experience in teaching, and one a teacher in a city or town school who has had not less than five years' experience in teaching, both of whom possess either a first grade uniform county certificate, or a regular state certificate, or a state diploma; but no two of these four members shall be from the same school corporation, or from the same civil township. Before entering upon their duties, they shall qualify by taking the oath of office.

(b) The board of supervisors sitting with the county superintendent of schools who shall act as chairman, and the county auditor, who shall act as secretary, and each having a vote, shall at the regular meeting of the board of supervisors in January, 1916, or if no meeting be held in January, then at the next regular meeting thereafter, choose

the five members of the county board of education as directed above, excepting counties now having uniform contracts under the law, it is provided that the county board of education shall not be chosen until the January session of the county board of supervisors next preceding the expiration of said contract.

The members of said county board of education shall serve for five years from the date of their appointment and until their successors are chosen and qualified, and shall be made permanent by new appointments in the same way at the close of each recurring five-year period. It is further provided that in case of a vacancy in the county board of education by removal from the county or by ceasing to be a member of the class from which such member was originally chosen or otherwise, it shall be filled by the same body provided above for naming its membership and from the same class in which the vacancy occurs.

The county auditor shall keep a full and complete record of all meetings called to select the county board of education in a book provided for that purpose.

(c) In all counties not now having uniform series of text books, as provided by law, said county board of education shall meet between January 1, 1916, and July 1, 1916, and shall select and adopt and contract for a uniform series of text books in and for said county, under such rules and regulations as they may adopt and in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-eight hundred twenty-eight (2828) supplement to the code, 1913. The text books thus selected shall be the latest editions and shall be used by the graded departments of all school districts in the county. It shall be the duty of the county superintendent with the approval of the chairman of the board of supervisors to order such additional books from time to time under this contract as may be necessary.

(d) Any bidder, or any person in behalf of any bidder, who gives, or offers to give, any member of the county board of education, any gift or favor of value, or attempts to influence the action of the members of said board, except by arguments, and any member of the county board of education who accepts from any bidder, or any person in the interest of any bidder, any gift or favor of value, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; and conviction of any member of said board shall disqualify him from further service on said board; provided that any member of the board may accept one copy only of any school text book upon which bids have been submitted by any person, firm or corporation.

(e) Any bidder, or any person in behalf of any bidder, who gives or offers to give any gift or favor of value, or attempts in any way to influence the selection of the county board of education, or any member of said appointing board who accepts any gifts or favor of value from any bidder, or from any person in behalf of said bidder shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

(f) In counties already operating under county uniformity law no adoptions shall be made until the expiration of the existing contracts.

(g) The compensation allowed the members of said board of education shall be the same mileage and per diem as is received by the board of supervisors for session work; provided that no member shall be paid two salaries for the same day's work.

SECTION 2. That the law as it appears in section twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832) supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

When a list of text books has been selected they shall be used in the elementary grades of all public schools of said county and the board of supervisors may arrange for such depositories and under such rules and regulations as they may deem best, and shall require such bond as may be necessary from said depositories to safeguard the public interest.

It shall be the duty of the county board of education to select the books necessary and to execute contracts for the same in triplicate; one copy of which shall be given to the successful bidder, one copy to the board of supervisors and one copy shall be mailed to the state superintendent of public instruction.

It is hereby made the duty of the county board of supervisors to pay for the books purchased under this contract out of the county fund upon itemized invoice bills approved by the county superintendent.

The books shall be sold by the depositories at the contract price at which they are obtained by the county.

The county superintendent shall have charge of such text books and the distribution thereof among the depositories selected by the board of supervisors and shall return monthly to the county fund all moneys received for the sale of text books.

It shall be the duty of the county superintendent to keep an account with each depository and to check up the books on hand at least once in every three months, and he shall render to the board of supervisors, at their January and June meetings, an account of his doings and shall be liable on his official bond therefor.

SECTION 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 412, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Onawa, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Caswell, House File No. 412, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Onawa, Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Fleck, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Savage, Schrup, Voorhees—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Sutter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Sheean moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

By striking out the word "of" after the word "North" in the fourth line of the title, and inserting a comma after the word "North" in said line; also amend the same by striking out the word "of" in the fifth line of the preamble and insert a comma after the word "north" in said line; also amend the same by striking out the comma after the figures (85) in the fifth line of the title; also amend the same by striking out the word "of" after the word "north" in the sixth line of section one. Also amend the same by striking out section No. Two (2).

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Chase, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Schrup, Voorhees—13.

The House amendments were declared concurred in.

On request of Senator Darrah leave of absence was granted Senator Arney for the day.

Senator Chase raised the question as to the accuracy of the roll call on the motion of Senator Francis to defer action until 10:30 Monday morning, March 15th.

The President ordered the roll again called on this motion.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Whitmore—19.

The nays were:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Henigbaum, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—21.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Fleck, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Ream, Schrup, Voorhees—10.

So the motion to defer was lost.

Senator Francis moved that further consideration of this bill be postponed until 10:45 a. m., Tuesday, March 16th.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate now adjourn until one o'clock this afternoon.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1 o'clock p. m., President Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two-b (2-b) title fourteen (XIV) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the drainage, sale and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds.

The motion of Senator Francis to defer action to Tuesday, March 16th, was before the Senate for consideration.

Senator Whitmore raised the point of order that the motion to defer having been made before and voted upon was not in order.

Point of order held not well taken.

On motion of Senator Francis to defer consideration a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor—17.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Fleek, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees—14.

The motion to defer was lost.

The following amendment by Senator Chase was before the Senate for consideration:

Amend by striking out of the bill the words in the fifth, sixth and seventh lines, "nor to such of said lakes or lake beds as the Executive Council has before January 20, 1915, ordered drained".

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment to the amendment offered by Senator Chase and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding at the end of said amendment the following "and by inserting in lieu thereof the words 'nor to such of said lakes or lake beds as the Executive Council has heretofore ordered drained, or such as may be included within drainage districts heretofore established.'"

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Whitmore—20.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—20.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Voorhees—10.

The motion was lost.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment as a substitute for the amendment offered by Senator Chase.

Amend the bill by adding: "This act shall not apply to lakes or lake beds embraced in whole or in part within any drainage district on which substantial drainage work has, prior to March 15, 1915, been prosecuted, or obligations contracted in good faith."

Senator Francis moved that Senate File No. 2 be re-referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

Motion withdrawn.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 2:00 o'clock p. m.

The substitute amendment offered by Senator Whitmore was withdrawn.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:10 o'clock p. m.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment as a substitute for the amendment offered by Senator Chase:

SEC. 4. This act shall not apply to lakes, lake beds or other like conditions where the Executive Council had made an order prior to January 20, 1915, and the work of draining entered upon and an expenditure of money had and made thereon or therefor in excess of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or wherein bonds have been issued or contracted therefor with reference thereto, but the title to the lands in or to such lake beds shall still remain in the state and shall not be divested thereof by reason of such drainage.

Amendment withdrawn.

On the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Chase, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Shean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—25.

The nays were:

Allen, Francis, Grout, Robinson, Whitmore—5.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Ream, Schrup, Voorhees—20.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

SEC. 4. This act shall not apply to lakes, lake beds or other like conditions where the Executive Council had made an order prior to January 20, 1915, and the work of draining entered upon and an expenditure of money had and made thereon or therefor in excess of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or wherein bonds had been issued or contracted therefor with reference thereto, but the title to the lands in or to such lake beds shall still remain in the state and shall not be diverted thereof by reason of such drainage.

Senator Farr moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock Monday morning.

Senator Thomas moved to amend by making the time of adjournment 10 o'clock instead of 9 o'clock.

Amendment lost.

Motion to adjourn was lost.

Senator Taylor moved to refer Senate File No. 2 to the committee on judiciary No. 2.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Whitmore—18.

The nays were:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Shean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—20.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Enger, Fleck, Grout, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Ream, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees—12.

The motion to refer was lost.

Senator Boe moved that further consideration of Senate File No. 2 be postponed until 11 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, March 16th.

Motion lost.

On the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Clarkson a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fleek, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Iowa—19.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by renumbering the sections to agree with the amendments as offered.

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the bill by striking therefrom sections one and four and substituting therefor the following as Section one:

SECTION 1. The law as it appears in chapter 2-b, title 14 of the Supplement to the Code 1913 be and the same is hereby repealed; provided however that this repeal shall not apply to any lake or lake bed, which, under authority of the executive council, has been already drained in whole or in part or in connection with the drainage of which the sum of \$500.00 has been in good faith expended or to lakes where the lake bed has been sold by the state under the provisions of said chapter, but no such accepted lake bed shall be hereinafter sold by the state.

Senator Darrah moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. Monday morning.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 15, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. H. Beveridge, Pastor of the Methodist Church, Woodward, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Wright county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Wright and Humboldt counties, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Wright county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Hardin and Hamilton counties, urging passage of law for the conservation of lakes and lake beds.

Referred to committee on public lands.

Senator Fellows presented a remonstrance of citizens of Fayette county against passage of House File No. 47 relative to investigation of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White presented a remonstrance of citizens of Iowa City, Iowa, against passage of House File No. 47 relative to investigation of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Arney presented a remonstrance of citizens of Iowa against increased passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Perkins presented a petition of citizens of Buchanan county against passage of House File No. 47 relative to investigation of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Lindly presented a petition of citizens of Henry county, favoring repeal of the primary election law.

Referred to committee on elections.

Senator Lindly presented a remonstrance of citizens of Henry county, against House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Lindly presented a petition of citizens of Henry county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Fellows presented a remonstrance of citizens of Lyncurgus, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Perkins presented a petition of citizens of Delaware county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Polk county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Taylor county urging the enactment of a law providing for the Torrens system.

Referred to committee on judiciary No. 1.

Senator Grout presented a remonstrance of citizens of Blackhawk county against passage of House File No. 47 relative to investigation of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Lucas county favoring Senate File No. 321 relative to establishing a medical department in the state library.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Wayne county urging passage of Senate File No. 230, relating to the duties of county recorder.

Referred to committee on county and township affairs.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Wayne county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator White presented a petition of citizens of Benton county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Franklin county, opposing advance in railroad rates and favoring appropriation for railroad commission.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Atlantic, Iowa, opposing advance in railroad rates and favoring appropriation for railroad commission.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Ida county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 499, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county superintendents.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 500, a bill for an act to provide for the erection of a memorial hall for the use and benefit of the members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Wo-

men's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Sons and Daughters of Veterans, the Sons and Daughters of Veterans of the American Revolution, Spanish War Veterans and other patriotic associations.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 396, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred forty-one-d (741-d), section seven hundred forty-one-e (741-e) and section seven hundred forty-one-f (741-f), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of city halls and the purchasing of ground therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 303, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the funds of cities and towns and to authorize cities and towns to transfer moneys from one fund to another by permission of court.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 308, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-seventeen (1571-m 17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the operation of motor vehicles upon the public highways and requiring that certain lights on such vehicles be shaded.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 390, a bill for an act to amend chapter six (6) of title XIV of the supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a provision relative to the establishment of titles to real estate when the county records have been burned.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

The House requests the return of Senate File No. 51, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

Senator Grout moved that the request of the House for return of Senate File No. 51 be granted.

Carried.

House File No. 207, a bill for an act to repeal sections twenty-three hundred forty-one-s (2341-s), twenty-three hundred forty-one-t (2341-t), twenty-three hundred forty-one-u (2341-u), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-v (2341-v), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, providing that owners or keepers of registered stallions or jacks shall have a lien upon the mare served and the progeny of such animal for the service fee, fixing the method of enforcing the lien and providing a penalty for certain violations of the law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

House File No. 32, a bill for an act to enable electors to vote at any general, special, primary, county, township, city or town election, where the Australian ballot is used, when absent or anticipating being absent on the day of such election from the county in which they are electors, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

House File No. 396, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred forty-one-d (741-d), section seven hundred forty-one-e (741-e) and section seven hundred forty-one-f (741-f), supple-

ment to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of city halls and the purchasing of ground therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 303, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the funds of cities and towns and to authorize cities and towns to transfer money from one fund to another.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 308, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m seventeen (1571-m 17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the operation of motor vehicles upon the public highways and requiring that certain lights on such vehicles be shaded.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

House File No. 390, a bill for an act to amend chapter six (6) of title XIV of the supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a provision relative to the establishment of titles to real estate when the county records have been burned.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury.

Senator Helmer moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

Amend the title by striking out the words "of the" before the word "supplement" in the second line of the bill and inserting a comma (,) in lieu thereof.

SECTION 1. Thirty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) supplement to the code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the word "provided" in the thirteenth (13) line thereof, also by striking out the comma following the word "provided" in the thirteenth (13) line and substituting therefor a period (.).

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Parker, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—17.

The nays were:

Balkema, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Henigbaum, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Iowa, Whitmore—19.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Sheean, Thomas—14.

So the Senate refused to concur in House amendments.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER VOTE.

I move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to concur in the House amendment to Senate File No. 34.

J. R. FRAILEY.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 41, a bill for an act to create the office of city manager, providing for the appointment, salary and term of office and prescribing the duties and powers thereof. (Additional to chapter two (2), title five (5) of the code), beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By adding to Section Three thereof the following words:

Whenever by ordinance or resolution of the council the powers and duties heretofore vested in any other appointive municipal officer are to be wholly performed by the said city manager, then no appointment of such other appointive officer shall be made, and any appointment of such other officer, made prior to the adoption of such ordinance or resolution shall be hereby cancelled.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 298, a bill for an act to amend section six hundred seventy-nine-b (679-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the board of police and fire commissioners, beg leave to

report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 303, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 474, a bill for an act to amend an act of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, entitled an act to amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred thirty-seven (937) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities, being House File Forty-five (45), beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Enger, from the committee on constitutional amendments, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, a joint resolution proposing to amend the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the number of members of the General Assembly and providing for their apportionment to the different counties and districts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

On request and by unanimous consent, placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa and pro-

viding for annual sessions of the General Assembly, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Enger the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two-b (2-b), title fourteen (XIV) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the drainage, sale, and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds.

By unanimous consent Senator Francis withdrew the following amendment offered by him on March 13th.

I move to amend the bill by striking therefrom sections one and four and substituting therefor the following as Section one:

SECTION 1. The law as it appears in chapter 2-b, title 14 of the Supplement to the Code 1913 be and the same is hereby repealed; provided however that this repeal shall not apply to any lake or lake bed, which, under authority of the executive council, has been already drained in whole or in part or in connection with the drainage of which the sum of \$500.00 has been in good faith expended or to lakes where the lake bed has been sold by the state under the provisions of said chapter, but no such excepted lake shall be hereinafter sold by the state.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by striking therefrom sections one (1) and four (4) and substituting therefor the following as section one (1).

SECTION 1. The law as it appears in chapter two-B (2-B), title fourteen (14), of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed; provided, however, that this repeal shall not apply to any lake or lake bed, which, under authority of the Executive Council has been already drained or in the draining of which the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) has been in good faith expended or to lakes where the lake bed was, prior to January 1, 1915, sold by the state under the provisions of said chapter, but no such excepted lake bed shall be hereafter sold by the state or leased for more than one year.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 10:25 a. m.

Senator Helmer moved the previous question.

Motion lost.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the consideration of special order relative to adjournment was postponed to immediately follow consideration of Senate Files Nos. 2 and 3.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:30 a. m.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment to the amendment offered by Senator Chase and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by adding the following:

Provided further that the state shall not be divested of title to such lake beds by reason of the assessment of special taxes or assessments.

Amendment lost.

The amendment offered by Senator Chase was adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson
—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Thomas
—7.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Strike out the word "of" in line 2 of the title and add the following words: "and to provide for an examination and classification of said lakes and report thereon to the next General Assembly."

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 3, a bill for an act to punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

By unanimous consent, Senator Helmer withdrew the amendment offered by him on March 12th and printed on page 711 of the Journal.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding the following: "Provided this shall not apply where the drainage was or is authorized by law."

Adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Thomas, Wilson—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

RESOLUTION FOR ADJOURNMENT CALLED UP.

The time having arrived for consideration of Senate concurrent resolution relative to final adjournment of the thirty-sixth general assembly, on motion of Senator Eversmeyer the resolution was taken up and considered.

Senator Whitmore moved to defer action on the resolution until March 22d.

Motion lost.

Senator Clarkson moved that the consideration of the resolution be made a special order for 10 o'clock a. m., April 1st.

Motion lost.

Senator Francis moved to amend the amendment offered by Senator Whitmore on February 22d, making time of adjournment April 9th.

Amendment withdrawn.

On the adoption of the amendment offered by Senate Whitmore, fixing time of final adjournment for April 17th, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Heald, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore—23.

The nays were:

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—18.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Francis, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Thompson—9.

The amendment was adopted.

The motion as amended was then adopted.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER FILED.

Senator Enger filed the following motion:

I move to reconsider the vote by which the concurrent resolution referring to final adjournment passed the Senate, March 15, 1915.

L. M. ENGER.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 91, a bill for an act to create a law and legislative reference and bill drafting department of the state library; providing for a director and subordinate officers and employees thereof; prescribing the duties and fixing the salaries thereof, and making an additional appropriation therefor, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Doran, Foskett, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—10.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Jackson, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore—27.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Crist, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Wilson—13.

So the Senate refused to adopt the report of the committee.

Senator Savage moved that Senate File No. 91 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Carried.

REPORT OF FINDLEY-LINDLY CONTEST COMMITTEE.

Senator Francis, from the special committee, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to consider and determine the contest of F. S. Finley filed against John M. Lindly, incumbent, beg leave to report that they have had said contest under consideration and have determined upon the rights of the parties.

Your committee finds that John M. Lindly, the incumbent, received of all legal votes cast, a majority of 34 votes over the contestant, F. S. Finley, and therefore recommend that said John M. Lindly be declared duly elected.

Your committee further recommends that the sum of \$100.00 for attorneys' fees be allowed said John M. Lindly and the same sum be allowed said F. S. Finley and that the fees of witnesses and the expense of shipping ballots to Des Moines and other expenses be allowed as per schedule hereto attached.

Your committee finally recommends that the bills here endorsed be referred to the committee upon appropriations for consideration.

Dated March 13th, 1915.

L. E. FRANCIS,
E. C. PERKINS,
CLEM F. KIMBALL,
W. D. SHEEAN,
G. M. GILLETTE,
Committee.

Witnesses.

Etha Dawson, 1 day, Washington, Ia., 118 miles.....	\$13.05
A. W. Ben, 1 day, Washington, Ia., 118 miles.....	13.05
A. L. Griffith, 1 day, Washington, Ia., 118 miles.....	13.05
H. E. Wright, 2 days, Mt. Pleasant, Ia., 139 miles.....	16.40
H. N. Wright, express on ballots, box, dray, lock, etc.....	6.15
John R. Hughes, 1 day, Mt. Pleasant, Ia., 139 miles.....	15.15
Geo. T. Hill, 1 day, Mt. Pleasant, Ia., 139 miles.....	15.15
Prof. Edwards, 1 day, Mt. Pleasant, Ia., 139 miles.....	15.15
Mr. Ely, 1 day, Mt. Pleasant, Ia., 139 miles.....	15.15
Mr. Stewart, 1 day, Mt. Pleasant, Ia., 139 miles.....	15.15

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thomposn, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Ream,
—7.

The report of the committee was adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 105, a bill for an act in relation to semimonthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Frailey moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend section one by striking out the word "three" in line eleven (11) thereof, and substituting the word "six" therefor.

Adopted.

Senator Frailey moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigmaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

Gillette, Lindly—2.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Savage—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

I desire the record to show, in explanation of my vote against Senate File No. 105, that I do not oppose semi-monthly payment of railway employes, but that I do not believe it is in the province of the General Assembly to interfere in contractual relations; unless the public safety, health or general welfare will be promoted by such legislation.

G. M. GILLETTE,

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 329, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct or maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 329 as follows:

1. Strike out the letter "a" following the letter "m" in the word "musical", line 23, section 2 of the original bill.
2. Strike out the letter "y" at the end of the word "party", line 4, section 5 of the original bill.
3. Strike out the letter "i" and substitute the letter "e" in the word "supplement", line 16, section 9 of the bill.
4. Strike out the figures "11" and substitute "10" designating the section.
5. Strike out figures "10" and substitute figures "11" designating section of the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 5 by adding after the word "use" in line nine the words "for any purpose, and so keeping it closed for a period of one year."

Adopted.

Senator Farr moved that further consideration of the bill be deferred and that it be made a special order for Tuesday, March 16th, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Carried.

On motion of Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 240, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred and six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the admission of soldiers' wives and widows to the soldiers' home, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator White of Benton moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 349, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s8), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to road funds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

Doran, Parker—2.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Savage—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Jones, from the committee on banks and banking, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred Senate File No. 85, a bill for an act to define a private bank and to require statements, and to provide for the examination of same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be placed on the calendar without recommendation.

The following amendment to Senate File No. 85 was recommended by the committee on banks and banking.

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE FOR SECTION TWO OF S. F. 85.

SEC. 2. No new private bank shall, after July 1, 1915, be permitted to engage in, and no private bank shall, after January 1, 1917, be permitted to continue in, any of the business mentioned in Section One of this act until it has furnished the Auditor of State with a satisfactory statement setting forth the character of the business, and which shall also contain:

1st. The name under which the business is to be transacted;

2d. The place of business;

3d. The capital, and of what composed, to be not less than Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars, employed exclusively in the business;

4th. By what officers and persons the affairs of the bank are to be conducted, and the estimated expenses to be paid annually from the business;

and has received from the Auditor of State a certificate authorizing it to commence or continue said business; which authorization shall be furnished upon compliance with the foregoing provisions. And no change shall be made in the name, ownership, place of business, or amount or character of capital, prejudicial to depositors, unless the same is authorized by the Auditor of State.

F. F. JONES,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Jones, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was placed on the calendar.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Wilson filed the following amendments and same were ordered printed in the Journal:

Amend Senate File No. 58 by inserting the words Section One just preceding the first word of the first line.

Amend by inserting after the word "cases" and before the word "unless", in the fourth line of the bill, the words "when instituted before a Justice of the Peace".

Senator White moved that the Senate adjourn until one o'clock p. m. today.

Senator Francis moved to amend, making time of adjournment 1:30 p. m.

Amendment carried.

Motion as amended prevailed.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 o'clock, President Harding presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Grout, Senate File No. 302, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411) supplement to the code, 1913, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Quigley—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Wilson, House File No. 264, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Bloomfield, Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Crist, Enger, Frailey, Francis, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, White of Iowa—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 159, a bill for an act to authorize, direct and enable W. S. Allen, Secretary of State, to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain lands.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 27, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-eight (2778), supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years.

Also:

House File No. 49, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-b (1527-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 159, a bill for an act to authorize, direct and enable W. S. Allen, Secretary of State, to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain lands.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Farr, House File No. 306, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand nine hundred sixty-three-1 (2963-1) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the legalization of conveyances of real estate in certain cases, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayés were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Crist, Enger, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Quigley, White of Iowa—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Balkema, House File No. 362, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon in Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—41.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Crist, Enger, Frailey, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Wilson—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 293, a bill for an act to amend section 5040 of the code, with reference to breach of Sabbath, by increasing the penalty providing for a breach thereof, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—25.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Jones, Lindly, Robinson, Taylor, Whitmore—17.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Crist, Enger, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Thomas—8.

So the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 307, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the exemption of certain property from taxation.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 139, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred and three (1303) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes for general county fund.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 383, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the allowance made for labor performed by dipsomaniacs and inebriates, as the same appears in section twenty-three hundred ten-a-thirty-seven (2310-a 37), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 280, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty-one (881) of the code and supplement to the code and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, necessary to control streams and surface water flowing into sewers, for sewer outlets, garbage disposal plant and dump grounds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Grout, Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, a joint resolution memorializing congress to call a convention for the purpose of amending the constitution of the United States, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the joint resolution was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Lindly, Nye, Robinson, Taylor, Wilson—19.

The nays were:

Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—23.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Crist, Francis, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Thomas—8.

So the joint resolution having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared lost

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 failed to pass the Senate.

JOHN C. VOORHEES.

On motion of Senator Fellows, Senate File No. 447, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four (2544), twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562) and twenty-five hundred sixty-two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, was taken up and considered.

Senator Fellows moved to amend Senate File No. 447 by striking out of the publication clause the word "Capital" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "News."

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the bill be referred to the judiciary committee No. 1.

Adopted.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 126, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, making any person found to be a bootlegger guilty of committing a misdemeanor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Crist, Fleck, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Thomas—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House File No. 139, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred and three (1303) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes for general county fund, was taken up and considered.

Senator Thompson moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read the second and third time the same day be suspended.

Carried unanimously.

Senator Thompson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Doran, Fleck, Helmer, Parker—4.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Chase, Crist, Francis, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Thomas—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, Senator Thompson withdrew from further consideration by the Senate, Senate File No. 162.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 248, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred seven (1407) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of a delinquent tax collector and providing a method of payment thereof and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendments :

Amend by striking out the word "immediately after" in the fourth line and inserting in lieu thereof the word "when"; and after the word "corporation" in the fifth line insert the words "are or may".

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Kimball moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 248 passed to its third reading be reconsidered.

Carried.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by inserting after the word "taxes", in the tenth line of the printed bill, the words "collected by such collector".

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend the bill by striking out the words "are or may become delinquent", in the fifth line of the bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "now or hereafter".

Further action deferred.

CORRECTION OF JOURNAL.

Journals of March 12th and 13th were taken up, corrected and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Francis, Senate File 501, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in sections 2794-a to 2794-g inclusive relating to consolidated independent school districts, extending state aid to school townships under certain conditions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 502, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seventy-nine-a (2479-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-four hundred eighty (2480) of the code; to repeal sections twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-c (2489-c) and twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-e (2489-e), supplement to the code, 1913, to enact substitutes therefor relating to the state board of mine examiners, their compensation, duties, powers and rules.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on mines and mining.

By Senator Parker, by request, Senate File No. 503, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter seventeen-b (17-b) of title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of optometry, providing for the creation of a board of examiners in optometry, regulating the practice of optometry, and providing penalties for the violation of said chapter.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 504, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns to license, regulate, prevent or prohibit the erection, maintenance or display of sign boards, bill boards and offensive advertisements and advertising matter, and repealing section seven hundred-b (700-b), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 505, a bill for an act authorizing the creation of an emergency street cleaning fund and the use of the same in cities of the first class, including cities acting under the commission plan of government, and providing for the levying of a tax and the issuance of certificates anticipating the same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 506, a bill for an act to require common carriers operating freight trains within the state of Iowa to carry passengers in cabooses on certain conditions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

On request of Senator Larrabee leave of absence was granted Senator Hilsinger for the day.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 16, A. D. 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. E. H. Sands, Pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Forest City, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Crist presented a petition of citizens of Clarke county relative to the investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Crist presented a petition of citizens of Warren county favoring passage of the "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Jones and Cedar counties favoring passage of "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Jones county relative to the investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Lieutenant Governor Harding presented a remonstrance signed by Mrs. Henry C. Taylor, Chairman Good Roads Committee Iowa Women's Clubs, against the repeal of the law which provides for a state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Floyd and Chickasaw counties relative to the investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Jackson presented a remonstrance of citizens of Floyd county against passage of House File No. 47 relative to investigation of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Chiskasaw and Floyd counties favoring passage of "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Jackson presented a remonstrance of citizens of Floyd county against passage of House File No. 324 relative to registered or graduate nurses.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Charles City, favoring an increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Thomas presented a petition of citizens of Ringgold, and Decatur counties relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Thomas presented a petition of citizens of Union county relative to the shooting of game.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator White presented a remonstrance of citizens of Iowa county against passage of House File No. 47, relating to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White presented a petition of citizens of Iowa county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Guthrie county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Secretary received a petition of citizens of Armstrong and Rock Valley, Iowa, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Fremont and Page counties favoring passage of "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Fremont county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Lucas county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Grundy county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Franklin county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Franklin county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Mason City, Iowa, favoring the proposed fire insurance measure.

Referred to committee on insurance.

Senator Robinson presented petitions of citizens of Cerro Gordo county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Fellows presented petitions of citizens of Fayette and Allamakee counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Schrup presented petitions of citizens of Dubuque county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of citizens of Wapello county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshalltown, Iowa, against House File No. 282, abolishing the state highway commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Lindly presented a petition of citizens of Henry county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Allen presented a petition of nurses of Iowa, requesting the deferring of action on House File No. 324, relative to the training of nurses.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Wilson presented petitions of citizens of Davis and Appanoose counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Perkins presented petitions of citizens of Buchanan and Delaware counties, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Eversmeyer presented petitions of citizens of Muscatine and Louisa counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of the Commercial Club and citizens of West Liberty, Iowa, favoring increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Iowa Falls, Iowa, urging passage of the bills providing for conservation of lakes.

Referred to committee on public lands.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Wright county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Doran presented petitions of citizens of Boone and Story counties, favoring the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Thompson presented petitions of citizens of Des Moines county, favoring the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Nye presented petitions of citizens of Taylor and Adams counties, favoring the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Ream presented petitions of citizens of Mahaska county, favoring the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Gillette presented petitions of citizens of Ida county, against advance in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee county, favoring House File No. 394, providing for the testing of milch cows.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Plymouth county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Greene presented petitions of citizens of Clinton county, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Enger presented a remonstrance of citizens of Winneshiak county against passage of House File No. 282 relative to roads and highways.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Helmer presented a remonstrance of citizens of Greene county against passage of House File No. 47 relating to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Sac county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Allen, by request, Senate File No. 507, a bill for an act to authorize judges of the district courts of the state of Iowa to assume jurisdiction of corporations on the showing of a minority stockholder or stockholders that the property is being wasted or managed in such manner as to interfere with the property rights of the minority stockholder.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on corporations.

RESOLUTION FOR SIFTING COMMITTEE.

Senator Wilson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the President of the Senate shall immediately before adjournment, Monday, March 22, 1915, appoint a sifting committee of seven members to which shall be referred all bills other than appropriation bills, and that, beginning Tuesday morning, March 23, no bills shall be considered except appropriation bills and bills then upon the Senate Calendar unless reported by said sifting committee. And no bills shall be reported or considered by the Senate that have been reported for indefinite postponement.

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 280, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty-one (881), of the code, and supplement to the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, necessary to control streams and surface water flowing into sewers, for sewer outlets, garbage disposal plant, sewage disposal plant and dump grounds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 383, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the allowance made for labor performed by dipsomaniacs and inebriates, as the same appears in section twenty-three hundred ten-a thirty-seven (2310-a 37), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 307, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and three hundred four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the exemption of certain property from taxation.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House is returning herewith the following bill, the return of which was requested by the Senate:

Substitute for Senate File No. 17, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, and the acts of the town council had and done in pursuance of such incorporation.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 36, a bill for an act providing that all common carriers operating trains within the state of Iowa and conveying live stock shall provide a car equipped with sleeping berths or bunks for the persons in charge of such live stock, and providing a penalty for failure to comply therewith.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 147, a bill for an act to provide information which shall serve as a basis for legislative appropriations.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 136, a bill for an act authorizing the board of health to isolate cases of whooping cough and measles.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 73, a bill for an act to repeal chapter fourteen (14) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, relating to the levy of a tax for and purchase of grounds, etc., for the extension of State Capitol grounds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Senator Allen moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Senator Hagemann moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell; Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Thomas—27.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Greene, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—17.

Absent or not voting:

Frailey, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Taylor, Voorhees—6.

So the report was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

SENATE AND HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate File No. 159 and House Files Nos. 27 and 49.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 336, a bill for an act making appropriation for the purchase of twenty thousand copies of the railroad commissioners' official maps to be distributed by the railroad commission, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections 145, 146 and 154 of the code relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law as it appears in section 147 of the code and sections 2215-f 14, 2215-f 15, 2215-f 16, supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking from line five in section 5 the words "three thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-seven hundred", and further amending by adding section 6 as follows: "This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be effective and in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Red Oak Express, a newspaper published in Red Oak, Iowa".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a 2 (254-a 2), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for special order No. 1, on motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a2 (254-a2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and

relating to the reimbursement of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters for their actual transportation and expenses while in the discharge of their official duties away from their places of residence, with report of committee on appropriation recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On motion of Senator Allen the consideration of special order No. 2 was deferred to immediately follow special order No. 1.

On the adoption of the report of the committee on appropriations a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Ream, Robinson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—14.

The nays were:

Boe, Chase, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—24.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Clarkson, Enger, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Savage, Schrup, Voorhees—12.

So the Senate refused to adopt the report of the appropriation committee.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a2 (254-a2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the reimbursement of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters for their actual transportation and expenses while in the discharge of their official duties away from their places of residence, with report of committee on county and township affairs recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of that committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the words "expenses incurred by reason thereof, including transportation, hotel and living expenses in all not to exceed the sum of three dollars (\$3.00) per day", in the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th lines of Sections one (1) and two (2) respectively and substituting therefor in each section the following: "hotel and living expenses not to exceed the sum of three dollars (\$3.00) per day and transportation expenses as shall be incurred".

Senator Kimball moved that action on this bill be deferred and that it be made a special order for March 17th at 11:30 o'clock a. m.

Carried.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Farr filed the following amendments, which were ordered printed in the Journal:

Amend by adding to Sec. 2, "Provided that this act shall not take effect until Jan. 1st, 1919."

Amend by striking out Sec. 3.

Senator Whitmore filed the following amendment, which was ordered printed in the Journal:

Insert in Sec. 2 of Substitute for Senate File No. 183, after the words "which account shall be itemized", the following: "and approved by the presiding judge of the district court".

On request of Senator Chase leave of absence was granted Senator Frailey for the day.

On request of Senator Larrabee leave of absence was granted Senator Hilsinger for the day.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time for consideration of special order No. 2 having arrived, on motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 329, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct or maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof, was taken up and considered.

Senator Farr moved that action on this bill be deferred and that it be made a special order for Friday morning, March 19th, at 11 o'clock.

Motion lost.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Greene, Kimball, Quigley, Sheean—5.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

I regret I cannot vote for this bill, not because I am not in harmony with the attempt to suppress lewdness and houses of ill fame; but this bill imposes a fine and tax upon persons entirely innocent and who are unfortunate enough to get tenants who commit a single act of lewdness. It is plainly unconstitutional and takes an innocent property owner's property without opportunity to be heard in court or make defense to the same and gives such property owner no defense and makes him a criminal for the wrongful act of another.

CLEM F. KIMBALL.

Senator Caswell moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 2:00 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 2:00 o'clock p. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 159, a bill for an act to authorize, direct and enable W. S. Allen, Secretary of State, to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain land.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 412, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Onawa, Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 146, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion County, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 282, a bill for an act to amend sections 2692 and 2691 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass: by striking out the words "of the" in line two of the title and the words "of the" in line two of section one and the words "of the" in line two of section two.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section 2794-g supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows: and when so amended the bill do pass; by inserting the word "annually" in

line six of section 1 after the word "appropriated" and by striking out all after the word "treasury," in line seven down to and including the word "thereafter" in line nine and inserting in lieu thereof the words "not otherwise appropriated."

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 109, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sustained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the Capitol ground, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend the title by striking out the word "capital" in line four and inserting in lieu thereof the word "capitol," and further amend by striking out the word "capital" in the preamble and inserting in lieu thereof the word "capitol" and amend section 1 by striking out in the third line thereof the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "six hundred seventy-five dollars (\$675.00)."

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 9, a bill for an act providing a punishment for persistent violators of the prohibitory liquor law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 9 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 11, a bill for an act regulating the shipment of intoxicating liquor into the state or between points within the state, regulating the delivery of such liquor, providing for the filing of statements with the county auditor showing such shipments and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act, beg

leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 11 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 88, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 88 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 163, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to notice of canvass and to the time of trial of appeals from the finding of the Board of Supervisors as to the sufficiency of statements of general consent for the sale of intoxicating liquors under the mulct law as the same appears in section 2450, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 167, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred fifty-two (2452) of the code of 1897, relating to the sufficiency of statements of general consent required in connection with the sale of intoxicating liquors under the mulct law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 164, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to statement of consent required in connection with the sale of intoxicating liquors under the mulct law as the same appears in section 2448 supplement to the code, 1913, and section 2452 of the code of 1897, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 418, a bill for an act requiring common carriers of intoxicating liquor to keep a daily record of such shipments; prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such records by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,

Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 418 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 419, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419), of the code, and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,

Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 419 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 420, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers, for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 420 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the calendar.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 2:25 p. m.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 421, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the prohibitory liquor law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out "and" at the end of line four (4) of section one and insert in lieu thereof a comma (,) and by inserting after the word "tried" in the fifth line thereof the words "and convicted".

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 422, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 422 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried and bill be ordered placed on the calendar.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:30 p. m.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 423, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale, etc., of intoxicating liquors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that the bill be placed on the calendar.

Upon request the bill was read for information.

On the adoption of the motion to place on the calendar, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa—11.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Enger, Farr, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Voorhees, White of Benton—10.

The motion prevailed and the bill was placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 425, a bill for an act prohibiting the collection of, or attempt to collect, or solicitation for, payment within

this state, for intoxicating liquor sold or shipped within this state for illegal purposes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 426 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 427, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax, statement by citizens, and enacting a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate File No. 427 be placed on the calendar.

Upon request the bill was read for information.

On the adoption of the motion to place on the calendar, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Frailey, Greene, Henigbaum, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—11.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Farr, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Voorhees—9.

The motion prevailed and the bill was placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 449, a bill for an act authorizing the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, prescribing the method of granting the authority therefor, the regulation of such traffic, and the punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That in view of the splendid address by the Hon. W. P. Hepburn, and the knowledge he possesses of the early history of Iowa, that he be requested to prepare a written review of his recollections of early Iowa, for the archives of the State, to be printed and paid for out of the State Treasury.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked:

House File No. 217, a bill for an act to provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to provide the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 352, a bill for an act to repeal chapter 40, acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and in lieu thereof to authorize the board of supervisors of each county to make provisions for the segregation, care and support of indigent persons afflicted with tuberculosis.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked:

House File No. 469, a bill for an act to legalize and cure the acts and proceedings of the independent consolidated school district of New Providence, Hardin county, Iowa, preliminary to a certain bond issue voted September 5th, 1914, and to legalize and validate such bond issue.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked:

House File No. 408, a bill for an act providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, this act being additional to title V, of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the Secretary of State is hereby authorized to issue one copy of the Code of Iowa to Senator John H. Ream.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-three (1527-s-3) of the supplement to the code,

1913, relating to the employment of county engineers, and fixing their terms of office and bonds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting after the word "provided" and before the word "and" in line thirteen (13) of section 1, the following words:

"but in case of a controversy between the board of supervisors and said engineer in matters involving professional or technical skill or knowledge, the same shall be immediately referred to the highway commission for final determination".

Amend by inserting the word "engineer" in the 13th line of section 1 between the words "each" and "shall".

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 284, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-nineteen (1527-s 19) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to final designation of county roads, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 285, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s seventeen (1527-s-17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to removal of obstructions from highways and notice thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 299, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section one thousand five hundred seventy (1570) of the code, relating to trimming hedges, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 94, a bill for an act to repeal section 254-a9 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of trustees of cemetery funds, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 229, a bill for an act to amend sections 2905, 2906, 2907, 2908, and 2910, of the code, relating to the transfer of personal property, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 230, a bill for an act to amend section 498 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the County Recorder, and providing for filing of chattel mortgages, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 322, a bill for an act to amend section 423, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 396, a bill for an act to repeal sections 1396 and 1397 of the code, relative to the County Treasurer giving information as to taxes due, and to enact substitutes therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 374, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of sanitary districts and districts for street sprinkling, and the establishment and maintenance of garbage disposal plants, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 292, a bill for an act to authorize cities and towns to regulate, license and tax livery stables and garages, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 223, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bids for street improvements, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out all following the enacting clause and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting the words "from the first publication" between the words "days" and "by" in the fourth line thereof.

SECTION 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in full force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines

News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Indianola Herald, a newspaper published in Indianola, Iowa.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 466, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-six (726) of the code relating to municipal bonds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 8, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a-thirty-two (1056-a-32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, powers and duties of the civil service commissioners in certain cities, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 435, a bill for an act to amend section 654, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of police matrons, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

CORRECTION OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of March 15th was taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE CALLED UP.

Senator Thompson called up for consideration the following report of the committee on rules:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on rules in regard to the Rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, respectfully report that the committee recommends that the rules of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly be adopted as the rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, with the following rule added thereto:

Rule 31-a. The Chairman or Clerk of a Committee to whom a bill is referred shall note thereon the date of its reference and it shall be the duty of each Committee to report back all bills in its hands, within fifteen days after the order of reference, unless a different time is granted by a vote of the Senate.

The following amendment offered by Senator Savage to the amendment offered by the committee on rules, and found on page 745 of the Senate Journal, was before the Senate for consideration:

Amend the proposed Rule 31-a by inserting after the word "committee", in line one, the words and punctuation ", except of the appropriation committee,".

Adopted.

The amendment as proposed by the committee on rules and as amended was adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment to Section 2 of the rules and moved its adoption:

"All permanent committees of the Senate shall be selected by a committee of seven senators, which committee shall consist of four members of the dominant party of the Senate and three members of the minority, said membership to be selected by party caucus and when reported to the Senate, to be subject to the approval of the Senate."

Senator Chase raised the point of order that this amendment was not germane to the subject; that these rules were to govern the Senate at this session and not for another session.

President held the point was well taken in that rules adopted now would apply to this Senate only.

Senator Francis asked permission to add the following words to his amendment: "provided, however, this provision shall not apply to committees already named."

Permission was granted.

Senator Allen called attention to the constitution of the state and made the point of order that the Senate of this session could not make rules for a succeeding session of the Senate.

The President held that in his opinion the point of order was well taken, but that he did not care to rule upon the point and would leave it to the Senate.

Senator Heald moved that further action on this matter be deferred to Monday, March 22d, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Senator Hagemann moved to lay the matter now before the Senate upon the table.

Motion lost.

Motion of Senator Heald to postpone action was lost.

Senator Hagemann moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Francis a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Grout, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—17.

The nays were:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—27.

Absent or not voting:

Fleck, Heald, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Ream—6.

The amendment by Senator Francis was lost.

On the adoption of the report of the committee on rules, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Darrah, Doran, Francis—5.

Absent or not voting:

Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Ream—4.

Report of the committee was adopted.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 73 was rejected.

G. L. CASWELL.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 187, a bill for an act making an appropriation to Mrs. Etta Jopling on account of the death of her husband, Robert Jopling, caused by assault upon him by inmates of the state hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to appropriate the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars to the Widow and Children of Robert Jopling, Deceased.

WHEREAS, On the 6th day of January, A. D. 1913, one Robert Jopling while an inmate of the state hospital at Mount Pleasant, Iowa, and while being treated therein was assaulted, beaten and mortally wounded by other inmates of said hospital, which said injuries caused his death on or about the 6th day of January, 1913, and

WHEREAS, The said deceased left surviving him as his widow one Etta Jopling, and as his children and only heirs at law Clyde Jopling and Faye Jopling, now therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That there is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars which shall be in full settlement of all claims against the state of Iowa by reason of the death of the said Robert Jopling; the same to be paid out upon the order of the board of control as follows: on the first day of the first calendar month after the taking effect of this act there shall be paid to Etta Jopling the sum of five (\$5) dollars, and a like sum on the first day of each calendar month thereafter until the full sum of two hundred (\$200) dollars has been paid to her; on the first day of the first calendar month after the taking effect of this act and after a guardian shall have been duly appointed for the said Clyde Jopling and the said Faye Jopling in the county in which they reside and after the said guardian has qualified as required by law, there shall be paid to the said guardian for the use and benefit of the said Clyde Jopling and the said Faye Jopling, in equal shares, the sum of twenty (\$20) dollars, and a like sum on the first day of each calendar month thereafter until the full sum of eight hundred (\$800) dollars has been paid.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Register and

Leader, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Colfax Clipper, a newspaper published in the town of Colfax, Iowa.

A. C. SAVAGE,

Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor stating that he has this day approved Senate File No. 159.

Senator Thomas moved that 250 copies of Senate substitute for Senate File No. 190 be printed in bill form.

Carried.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 17, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. F. Jamieson, Pastor United Presbyterian Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Davis county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of county superintendents, favoring uniformity of text books.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Wilson presented a remonstrance against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of citizens of Muscatine county, favoring House File No. 369, known as the poultry bureau bill.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Fayette county, favoring passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Nye presented a petition of county superintendents, favoring uniformity of text books.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Nye presented a remonstrance against House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Polk county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foster presented a petition of the Commercial Club of Stuart, favoring increase in railroad passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Foster presented petitions of citizens of Guthrie and Dallas counties, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of county superintendents, favoring uniformity of text books.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Thomas presented a remonstrance of citizens of Union county, against increase in railroad rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Arney presented a remonstrance of citizens of Marshall county, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Arney presented a remonstrance of citizens of Marshall county, against increase in railroad rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Lindly presented a remonstrance of citizens of Henry county against increase in railroad rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Chicksaw county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee and Ida counties favoring "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Foster presented a remonstrance against passage of House File No. 47 relative to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Lee county urging passage of House File No. 237 relative to the exemption of personal earnings.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Hagemann presented a remonstrance of citizens of Bremer county against passage of House File No. 47 relative to investigation of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Butler county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Butler county favoring "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee, Iowa, favoring an increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Chase presented a remonstrance of citizens of Eagle Grove, Iowa, against the repeal of the road law.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition of citizens of Scott county favoring "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition of citizens of Scott county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition from Princeton, Iowa, favoring "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Osceola county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Balkema presented a remonstrance against passage of House File No. 47 relative to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of Osceola county favoring passage of Senate File No. 335 relative to the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Balkema presented a petition of citizens of North Central Public School Association favoring Senate File No. 190 providing for uniformity of text books.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Helmer presented a remonstrance of citizens of Iowa against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Helmer presented petition of citizens of Carroll county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator White presented a petition of citizens of Benton county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator White presented a remonstrance of citizens of Iowa against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Jasper county favoring "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Allen presented a remonstrance against passage of House File No. 47 relative to investigation of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas and Buena Vista counties favoring "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas, Calhoun, Buena Vista and Humboldt counties relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Crawford county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Grundy county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of North Central County School Association of Black Hawk county favoring Senate File No. 190 providing for uniformity of text books.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Fleck presented a petition of citizens of Jasper county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 508, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-i (2477-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the regulation of employment agencies and bureaus.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

By Senator Boe, Senator File No. 509, a bill for an act providing for the organization of co-operative independent school districts, providing state aid for such districts, and making an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Parker, by request, Senate File No. 510, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of a department of bee

keeping in the department of agriculture in the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Parker, by request, Senate File No. 511, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-four hundred seventy-nine-a (2479-a), twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-c (2489-c), twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-d (2489-d), twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-e (2489-e) and twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-f (2489-f), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties, compensation, etc., of the board of examiners of engineers and firemen.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Chase offered the following concurrent resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, the completion of the Panama Canal has greatly lessened the cost of transportation on products and freight from coast points to coast points, and

WHEREAS, the products and freight of the Mississippi River Valley must at the present time be transported by rail and thus compete with this water rate, to the great disadvantage of the shippers and consumers of the Mississippi River Valley, and

WHEREAS, the Mississippi River and its tributaries have possibilities, if developed, for cheap water transportation of the freight of the Valley, to and from the markets of the world on an equality with the coast trade of our country, and

WHEREAS, Iowa is one of the great freight producing states of the country and vitally interested in transportation charges, and

WHEREAS, if the Mississippi River and its tributaries are to be made navigable it will require the co-operation of all the states of the Mississippi Valley,

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House Concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Governor of the state is hereby authorized to appoint a committee of twenty-five (25) citizens of the state, to cooperate with similar commissions or committees from other interested states in a general meeting to devise ways and means to develop navigation on the Mississippi River and its tributaries.

SECTION 2. That said members serve without pay from the state.

SECTION 3. That a copy of this Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Governors of Minnesota, Louisiana, Mississippi, Wisconsin, North Dakota, Missouri, Illinois, South Dakota, Arkansas, Tennessee, Nebraska.

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 352, a bill for an act to repeal Sec. 409-t, supplement to the code, 1913, and in lieu thereof to authorize the board of supervisors of each county to make provisions for the segregation, care and support of indigent persons afflicted with tuberculosis.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

House File No. 469, a bill for an act to legalize and cure the acts and proceedings of the independent consolidated school district of New Providence, Hardin county, Iowa, preliminary to a certain bond issue voted September 5, 1914, and to legalize and validate such bond issue.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 408, a bill for an act providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof. This act being additional to title V, of the code and all amendments thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 217, a bill for an act to provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to provide the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

House File No. 136, a bill for an act authorizing the board of health to isolate cases of whooping cough and measles, mumps or chickenpox.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

House File No. 36, a bill for an act providing that all common carriers operating trains within the state of Iowa and conveying live stock shall provide a car equipped with sleeping berths or bunks and toilet for the persons in charge of such live stock, and providing a penalty for failure to comply therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

House File No. 147, a bill for an act to provide information which shall serve as a basis for legislative appropriations.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House returns as requested substitute for Senate File No. 17, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, and the acts of the town council had and done in pursuance of such incorporation.

On request of Senator Clarkson and by unanimous consent, substitute for Senate File No. 17 was withdrawn from further consideration by the Senate.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 470, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred thirty-three (333) of the code relative to exemption from jury duty, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 152, a bill for an act to repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a fifty-two-a (1989-a 52-a), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 371, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand two hundred eighty-one (3281), of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the disposition of property where the devisee dies before the testator, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 323, a bill for an act to define and regulate the practice of civil engineering and land surveying in the state of Iowa, to create a board of examiners in civil engineering and land surveying and to fix penalties for violation of the regulations provided, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Thomas moved that the bill be placed on the Calendar.

Motion lost.

Report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 432, a bill for an act to amend section forty-eight hundred fifty-two (4852) of the code relating to the disposition of mortgaged property and providing a penalty for selling, concealing or otherwise disposing of property purchased under conditional contract of sale, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 406, a bill for an act adopting the "Supplement to the Code of Iowa, 1913," as the official publication of the laws of the

state therein contained, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 469, a bill for an act amending section one thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (1258), code of 1897, relating to removal of municipal officers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 54, a bill for an act authorizing the issue of bonds for the purpose of purchasing, erecting or maintaining and operating water works, by cities of the first class and cities acting under the commission plan of government, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 42, a bill for an act authorizing the issue of bonds for the purpose of purchasing, erecting or maintaining water works, by cities of the first class and cities acting under the commission plan of government, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 453, a bill for an act to protect the live stock interests

of this state against the spread of infectious, contagious, or other diseases among live stock, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Senator Doran moved that bill be placed on the Calendar.

Carried and bill ordered placed on the Calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 193, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of a sewer system and the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa State Fair and Exposition grounds, and to make appropriations therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be sent to the committee on appropriations with the recommendation that the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 193.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Provide for the Construction of a Sewer System on the Iowa State Fair and Exposition Grounds, and to Make Appropriation Therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. The State Board of Agriculture is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to cause to be constructed a sewer system on the Iowa State Fair and Exposition Grounds.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated to the Iowa Department of Agriculture, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$14,000.00) for the construction of the sewer system herein provided for.

SECTION 3. All moneys appropriated by this act shall be drawn from the State Treasury upon warrants issued by the State Auditor upon the order of the State Board of Agriculture, signed by the President and Secretary.

SECTION 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines News, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 237, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the appointment of assistant state veterinary surgeons as it appears in section twenty-five thirty-three (2533), supplement to the code, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Senator Doran moved that bill be placed on the Calendar.

Motion lost.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 75, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to the east thirty (30) acres of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-three (23) in township seventy-seven (77), north of range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth P. M. of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend House File 75 as follows:

By striking out the word "OF" following the word "NORTH" in line four (4) of the title thereof, also by striking out the word "OF" following the word "NORTH" in line five (5) of section one (1) thereof; by inserting after the parenthesis "(23)" in line five (5) of section one (1) a comma; and as amended do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 139, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 494, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred sixty (4760) of the code relating to enticing a female child for

the purpose of prostitution, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 405, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the town of Lenox, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Thomas, Chairman pro tem, from the committee on public libraries, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public libraries, to whom was referred Senate File No. 272, a bill for an act amending section 2888-h of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Library Commission, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By substituting for the words six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) the words seven thousand six hundred dollars (\$7,600.000) in the last two lines of the bill, and that the same be referred to the committee on appropriations.

C. H. THOMAS,
Vice-Chairman.

The report of the committee was adopted and bill referred to committee on appropriations.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 248, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred and seven (1407) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of a delinquent tax collector and providing a method of payment thereof, and to enact a substitute therefor, was taken up for further consideration.

By unanimous consent Senator Clarkson withdrew the following amendment offered by him and found on page 787 of the journal:

Amend the bill by striking out the words "are or may become delinquent" in the fifth line of the bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "now or hereafter".

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill as amended by striking out the words "are or may" before the word "become" and after the word "corporation" in the 5th line and inserting after the word "become" and before the word "delinquent" in the same line the words "or are".

By inserting after the word "taxes" in the 4th line the words "not collectible by the sale of real estate".

By inserting after the word "collector" and before the word "not" in the 14th line the words "or paid after notice from or action by such collector".

Adopted.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the word "Immediately" in line three (3) of section one (1) of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "On the first day of January".

Further action on Senate File No. 248 deferred on account of special order No. 1.

The time for special order No. 1 having arrived, on motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 170, a bill for an act to amend the law, chapter 8-A, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, securing payment thereof, repealing certain sections of said chapter and enacting a substitute therefor, establishing a board of commissioners, defining their duties, responsibilities and powers, abolishing the office of labor commissioner and industrial commissioner and transferring the duties and powers of such office to the board established by this act, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 10:32 a. m.

Upon request of Senator Kimball and by unanimous consent, consideration of Special Order No. 2 was deferred to immediately follow consideration of Special Order No. 1.

President Harding resumed the chair at 11:50 a. m.

Consideration deferred to 1:30 p. m.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 o'clock p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 170, a bill for an act to amend the law, chapter 8-A, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, securing the payment thereof, repealing certain sections of said chapter and enacting a substitute therefor, establishing a board of commissioners, defining their duties, responsibilities and powers, abolishing the office of labor commissioner and industrial commissioner and transferring the duties and powers of such office to the board established by this act, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 2:15 p. m.

Senator Eversmeyer raised the point of order that Senator Clarkson was discussing the merits of the bill, when the question was upon the adoption of the report of the committee.

The chair held that when the question was upon the postponement of a measure, the merits of the measure may be discussed.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:45 p. m.

Further consideration of Senate File No. 170 deferred.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 259, a bill for an act to legalize all the elections of the town of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello and state of Iowa, and all acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all ordinances and resolutions, or amendments thereto, passed by the town council of said town, and all the official acts of the town officers of said town, since

the passage of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as chapter twenty-six (26) of the Thirty-second General Assembly; and defining the terms of office of the councilmen and officers of said town, and providing for future elections therein.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 600, a bill for an act to amend chapter two-a (2-a) of title X, supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto the following provisions for transferring the care of certain drainage ditches to local boards of trustees.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 88, a bill for an act to regulate the practice of chiropractic and to provide for the examination and license of chiropractors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 366, a bill for an act to establish an industrial reformatory for women, to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the commitment of females to said reformatory, to provide for the removal of female convicts at Anamosa to said reformatory, to provide for the transfer of inmates to and from the industrial school for girls and repealing the law as it appears in chapter eight-a (8-a) of title thirteen (XIII) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to an industrial reformatory for females.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred House File No. 6, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the qualifications of county superintendent of schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b (2734-b), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred House File No. 96, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred ninety-four (2794) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of independent school districts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Journal of March 16th was taken up, corrected and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on public libraries, Senate File No. 512, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa library commission.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

MR. PRESIDENT—I have the honor to advise you that in compliance with the provisions of a concurrent resolution providing “that the Governor appoint a commission of three members to act in conjunction with a like commission to be appointed by the Governor of Minnesota, or other contiguous state, for the purpose of jointly agreeing upon a bill to be presented for enactment by the legislatures of the states concerned, said bill to provide for the formation, financing, construction and maintenance of interstate drainage projects” I have appointed to constitute said commission Hon. Lewis L. Bingham, Hon. Thomas J. B. Robinson and Hon. John W. Sullivan.

G. W. CLARKE,
Governor.

Dated this 15th day of March, 1915.

Senator Frailey moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 18, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Rolla E. Brown, Pastor of the Baptist Church, Osage, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Whitmore presented a petition of citizens of Eldon, Iowa, favoring increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Enger presented a petition of citizens of Calmar, Iowa, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Allamakee county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Audubon county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator White of Iowa presented a remonstrance against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White of Iowa presented a remonstrance of citizens of Marengo, Iowa, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Lindly presented a remonstrance of citizens of Washington county against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Lindly presented petitions of citizens of Henry and Washington counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Cedar county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Jones presented a petition of citizens of Montgomery and Mills county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Jones presented a petition of citizens of Montgomery and Mills county, favoring passage of "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Wayne county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Thomas presented a petition of citizens of Ringgold county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Van Buren county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Van Buren and Jefferson counties, favoring "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Harrison county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Perkins presented a petition of citizens of Buchanan county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Thompson presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Shelby county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Hilsinger presented petitions of citizens of Jackson county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Hilsinger presented a petition of citizens of Jackson county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Hilsinger presented a remonstrance of citizens of Jackson county, against passage of House File No. 47 relative to investigation of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 513, a bill for an act to reimburse certain claimants for services rendered while members of the state board of health.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on claims.

By Senator Robinson, Senate File No. 514, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a44 (2727-a44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

By Senator Arney, Senate File No. 515, a bill for an act to make uniform the law of sales of goods.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Voorhees, Senate File No. 516.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Legalize the Establishment and Location of the Standpipe in the Public Street of the City of Harlan, Iowa.

WHEREAS, The city of Harlan, Iowa, owns and operates its own water-works system, and has so owned and operated the same since the year 1891; and,

WHEREAS, Said city at the time of the establishment of said water-works system, and as a part thereof, located and constructed a standpipe in one of the public streets of said city without having vacated the same or condemned the ground therefor, and the same has ever since so remained, and now is in said street; and,

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the establishment and construction of said standpipe in said street; therefore,
Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the establishment and construction of said standpipe in the city of Harlan, Iowa, in said public street be and the same is hereby legalized, and the establishment and construction of the same therein is hereby legalized and validated the same as though said street had been vacated or the ground condemned for such purpose, and the same as though all requirements of the law necessary to the establishment and construction of the same in said street had been fully complied with, and to the same extent and as fully as though the law prior thereto and at the time of its construction had specifically authorized the same to be done; anything in the statute or law to the contrary notwithstanding.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News and Atlantic News-Telegraph, newspapers published in Des Moines and Atlantic, Iowa. This publication shall be without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 517, a bill for an act to amend section five thousand seven-c (5007-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the use of cigarettes by minors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 518, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred twenty-seven-h (2627-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the superintendent of public instruction and his deputy.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By committee on retrenchment and reform, Senate File No. 519, a bill for an act creating a department of social progress, a department of industries, and a department of public safety, and providing for the appointment of superintendents thereof and prescribing the rights, powers, duties and compensation of the superintendents of these departments: creating a governor's advisory board and transferring to the said board all the powers, rights and duties of the executive council, abolishing the executive council, providing for the filing of reports and the editing and publishing thereof, creating an official budget, transferring to the superintendent of the department of public safety all present duties of the secretary of state relating to the registration of motor vehicles, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 520.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Legalize a Certain School Election held February 6, 1915, for the Organization of the Consolidated Independent District of Beech, in Warren County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a petition of one-third of the voters residing upon the territory of the proposed Consolidated Independent District of Beech in Warren county, Iowa, an election was held February 6, 1915, to vote upon the proposition of establishing the Consolidated Independent District of Beech in Warren county, Iowa, and

WHEREAS, The unincorporated village of Beech is situated within the territory of said Consolidated Independent District, and

WHEREAS, At said election but one ballot box was used and the voters of said village and the voters residing outside the limits of said village did not vote separately upon said proposition, and

WHEREAS, At the time of said election the Supreme Court of the State of Iowa had ruled that but one ballot box was required, and

WHEREAS, Since said election, upon a rehearing, their former decision was reversed and that it is now held that two ballot boxes should be used when the territory proposed includes a city, town or village, and

WHEREAS, A majority of the votes cast both in said village and outside territory voted in favor of the establishing of said district, and

WHEREAS, Doubt has arisen concerning the validity of said election on the ground that but one ballot box was used at said election; now therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the special election held at Beech, Warren county, Iowa, on the 6th day of February, 1915, be, and the same is hereby legalized and declared legal and valid the same as though separate ballot boxes were used for the voters residing within the incorporated limits of the

village of Beech, Iowa, and a separate ballot box was used for the voters residing outside the incorporated limits of said village of Beech, and as though the law had in all respects been complied with.

Sec. 2. Nothing in this act shall affect any pending litigation.

Sec. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Indianola Herald, a newspaper published at Indianola, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT--Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85) north, range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85) north, range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE FILE SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, in the presence of the Senate, he had signed Senate File No. 120.

SIFTING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION.

Senator Larrabee offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the president of the Senate shall appoint a sifting committee of seven members, said committee to be appointed at the discretion of the chair, seven days before date set for final adjournment or any time

thereafter, to which shall be referred all bills other than appropriation bills, and that after the appointment of the committee, no bills, except appropriation bills and bills then upon the Senate calendar, shall be considered unless reported by said sifting committee, and no bills shall be reported or considered by the Senate that have been reported for indefinite postponement at time of appointment of said committee, except bills on Senate calendar.

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 600, a bill for an act to amend chapter two-a (2-a) of title (X), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto the following provision for transferring the care of certain drainage ditches to local boards of trustees.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 366, a bill for an act to establish an industrial reformatory for women, to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the commitment of females to said reformatory, to provide for the removal of female convicts at Anamosa to said reformatory, to provide for the transfer of inmates to and from the industrial school for girls and repealing the law as it appears in chapter eight-A (8-A) of title thirteen (XIII) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to an industrial reformatory for females.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 88, a bill for an act to regulate the practice of chiropractic and to provide for the examination and license of chiropractors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on labor, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on labor, to whom was referred Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-a (2477-a), and twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-b (2477-b), and twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-c (2477-c), and twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to child labor, beg leave to report they have had the same

under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute, and when so amended the bill do pass:

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend Sections Twenty-four Hundred Seventy-seven-a (2477-a), Twenty-four Hundred Seventy-seven-b (2477-b), Twenty-four Hundred Seventy-seven-c (2477-c), and Twenty-four Hundred Seventy-seven-d (2477-d), Supplement to the Code, 1913, all Relating to Child Labor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "mine" in line two (2) and the words following the word "establishment", in line four (4) "where more than (8) persons are employed", and by striking out the period following the word "elevator" in line five (5), and inserting a comma and adding to said section the following: "or livery stable or garage, place of amusement, or in the distribution or transmission of merchandise or messages."

No boy under fourteen (14) years of age nor girl under eighteen (18) years of age shall be employed, permitted or suffered to work at any time in any city of ten thousand (10,000) or more inhabitants within this state in or in connection with the street occupations of peddling, boot-blackening, the distribution or sale of newspapers, magazines, periodicals or circulars, nor in any other occupations in any street or public place. No boy between fourteen (14) and sixteen (16) years of age shall be employed, permitted or suffered to work in any such city in or in connection with any of the aforesaid occupations unless he complies with all the requirements for the issuance of work permits as described in this act except the filing of an employers' agreement, provided, however, that the school record so required shall certify only that the boy is regularly attending school and that the work in which he wishes to engage will not interfere with his progress at school. Upon compliance with these requirements such boy shall be entitled to receive from the officer authorized to issue work permits a badge which shall authorize such boy to engage in the above mentioned occupations at such time or times between six (6) a. m. and eight (8) p. m. in each day as the public schools of the city or district where such boys resides are not in session, but at no other time. All such badges issued in the same calendar year shall be of the same color, which color shall be changed each year upon renewal and all such badges shall become void upon the first day of January of each year.

The parent or person in charge of any child who shall engage in any such street occupation in violation of any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than fifteen (\$15.00) dollars. The truant or attendance officers of the public schools shall enforce the provisions of this section. Whoever furnishes or sells to any minor any article of any description with the knowledge that said minor intends to sell said article in violation of the provisions of this section or who shall continue to furnish or sell articles of any description to a minor after having received written notice from any officer charged with the enforce-

ment of this section or from the officer issuing the badge required as aforesaid that said minor is unlicensed to sell such article, shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifteen (\$15.00) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars for each offense.

SEC. 2. That section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-b (2477-b), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the comma following the word "required" and before the word "and" in the fifth line, the following: "or in or about any mine, hotel, howling alley, pool or billiard room, or in occupations dangerous to life or limb"; and also by striking out the word "sixteen (16)" in the fifth line and substituting therefor the word "twenty-one (21)."

SEC. 3. That section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-c (2477-c), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "six (6)" in line three (3) thereof and substituting therefor the word "seven (7)"; by striking out the word "nine (9)" in line four (4) and substituting therefor the word "six (6)"; by striking out the word "ten (10)" in line seven (7) and substituting therefor the word "eight (8)"; and by striking out all after the semicolon following the word "intermission" in line eight (8) and substituting therefor the following: "nor shall any such person be employed more than forty-eight (48) hours in any one week; nor shall any person under eighteen (18) years of age be employed in the transmission, distributing or delivery of goods or messages between the hours of ten (10) in the evening and five (5) in the morning in any city of ten thousand (10,000) or more inhabitants."

SEC. 4. That section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the entire section and substituting therefor the following: "No child under sixteen (16) years of age shall be employed, permitted, or suffered to work in or in connection with any of the establishments or occupations mentioned in section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a) unless the person, firm or corporation employing such child procures and keeps on file, accessible to any officer charged with the enforcement of this act, a work permit issued as hereinafter provided, and keeps two (2) complete lists of the names and ages of all such children under sixteen (16) years of age employed in or for such establishments or in such occupations, one (1) on file in the office and one (1) conspicuously posted near the principal entrance of the place or establishment in which such children are employed. On termination of the employment of a child whose permit is on file, such permit shall be returned by the employer within two (2) days to the officer who issued it with a statement of the reasons for the termination of such employment. A work permit shall be issued only by the superintendent of schools or by a person authorized by him in writing, or, where there is no superintendent of schools, by a person authorized in writing by the local school board in the community where such child resides, upon the application of the parent, guardian or custodian of the child desiring such permit. The person authorized to issue work

permits shall not issue any such permit until he has received, examined, approved and filed the following papers duly executed, namely:

(1), A written agreement from the person, firm or corporation into whose service the child under sixteen (16) years of age is about to enter, promising to give such child employment, describing the work to be performed and agreeing to return the work permit of such child to the office from which it was issued within two (2) days after the termination of the employment of such child.

(2), The school record of such child filled out and signed by the chief executive of the school which such child has last attended certifying that the child is able to read intelligently and write legibly simple sentences in the English language and has completed a course of study equivalent to six (6) yearly grades in reading, writing, spelling, English language, geography, and arithmetic. Such school record shall give also the name, date of birth and residence of the child as shown on the records of the school, and also the name of its parent, guardian or custodian;

(3), A certificate signed by a medical inspector of schools or if there be no such inspector then by a physician appointed by the board of education certifying that the applicant for the work permit has reached the normal development of a child of its age and is in sufficiently sound health and physically able to perform the work for which the permit is sought;

(4), Evidence of age showing that the child is fourteen (14) years old or upwards which shall consist of one (1) of the following proofs required in the order herein designated as follows:

(a) A transcript of the birth certificate filed according to law with a registrar of vital statistics or other officer charged with the duty of recording births;

(b) A passport or a transcript of a certificate of baptism showing the date of birth and place of baptism of such child;

(c) A school census record;

(d) In cases where none of the above named proofs is obtainable, a certificate signed by the local medical inspector of schools, or if there be no such inspector then by a physician appointed by the local board of education certifying that in his opinion the applicant for the work permit is fourteen (14) years of age or upwards.

A duplicate of every such work permit issued shall be filled out and forwarded to the office of the Commissioner of Labor between the first and the tenth day of the month following the month in which it is issued. The blank forms for the work permit, the employers' agreement, the school record and the physician's certificate shall be formulated by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and furnished by him to the local school authorities. The work permit shall in no case be issued to the applicant or its parent, guardian or custodian, but shall in every case be forwarded to the prospective employer of such applicant. Every such work permit shall give the name, sex, the date and place of birth and the residence of the child in whose name it is issued, describe the color of the hair and eyes, give his height and weight and shall con-

tain a statement of the proof of age accepted, the school grade completed, the name and address of the establishment where the child is to be employed and shall describe the work for which the permit is issued; it shall further certify that the papers required for its issuance have been duly examined, approved and filed and that the person named therein has personally appeared before the officer issuing the permit and has been examined. A work permit shall be issued for every position obtained by a child between the ages of fourteen (14) and sixteen (16) years.

Any officer whose duty it is to enforce the provisions of this act shall have authority to demand of any employer in or about whose place or establishment a child apparently under the age of sixteen (16) years is employed, permitted or suffered to work, and whose employment certificate is not filed as required by this section, that such employer shall either furnish him within ten (10) days the same documentary evidence of age of such child as is required upon the issuance of a work permit, or shall cease to employ or permit or suffer such child to work in such place or establishment.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Senator Grout, from the committee on public health, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 446, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred-1, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of dentistry, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend section one (1) in the ninth (9th) line thereof by changing the word "ten" to the word "five".

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 270, a bill for an act to provide for the immediate registration of all births and deaths throughout the state of Iowa by means of certificates of births and deaths, and burial or removal permits; to require prompt returns to the bureau of vital statistics at the capital of the state, as required to be established by the state registrar of vital statistics; to insure the thorough organization and efficiency of the registration of vital statistics throughout the state; to provide certain penalties; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, and to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15.00) therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute, and that the substi-

tute be referred to the committee on appropriations, with recommendation that the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Grout, the report of the committee was adopted and substitute for Senate File No. 270 was referred to committee on appropriations.

Substitute read first and second time.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 270.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Authorizing the State Board of Health to Establish a Bureau of Vital Statistics; Provide for the Registration of Births and Deaths; the Granting of Burial or Removal Permits; the Reporting of Morbidity Statistics; Making the Secretary of the State Board of Health, State Registrar of Vital Statistics and Providing for other Assistants; to Provide Penalties for Violation of the Act and Rules and Regulations; to repeal all Acts and Parts of Acts in Conflict Herewith, and to Appropriate Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$12,500) Therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That a Bureau of Vital Statistics shall be established by the State Board of Health, which shall provide an adequate system for the registration of births and deaths and preservation of vital statistics on forms prescribed by said Board of Health, and provide adequate methods for enforcing the laws and orders of the board relating to health matters of the state.

SEC. 2. That the secretary of the State Board of Health shall be the State Registrar of Vital Statistics, and it shall be his duty to carry into effect the rules, regulations and orders of the State Board of Health, provided for the Bureau of Vital Statistics, and the said board shall provide for such clerical and other assistance as may be necessary for the purpose of this act, and may fix the compensation of persons thus employed within the amount appropriated for this purpose, and provide suitable apartments, properly equipped with fire proof vaults and filing cases, for the permanent and safe preservation of all official records made and returned to said bureau.

SEC. 3. That for the purposes of this act the said State Board of Health, shall divide the state into registration districts, defining and designating the boundaries thereof and appointing local registrars in each district.

SEC. 4. That the said Board of Health shall formulate and promulgate rules and regulations for the proper reporting and registration of morbidity and vital statistics, prescribing the method and form of making such registration.

SEC. 5. That the state registrar shall, upon request, supply to any applicant a certified copy of the records of birth, sickness or death registered under provisions of this act, for the making and certification of which he

shall be entitled to a fee of fifty cents, to be paid by the applicant. And any such copy of the record of a birth, sickness or death, when properly certified by the state registrar, shall be prima facie evidence in all courts and places of the facts therein stated. For any search of the files and records when no certified copy is made the state registrar shall be entitled to a fee of fifty cents for each hour or fractional part of an hour of time of search, said fee to be paid by the applicant. And the state registrar shall keep a true and correct account of all fees by him received under those provisions, and turn the same over to the state treasurer each month.

SEC. 6. That the State Board of Health shall appoint a local registrar in each registration district as provided in section 3, of this act. And each local registrar shall be paid the sum of twenty-five cents for each birth and death certificate properly made out and registered with him, and correctly recorded and promptly returned by him to the bureau as provided by the State Board of Health. And in case no births or no deaths were registered during any month, the local registrar shall be entitled to be paid the sum of twenty-five cents for each report to that effect, but only if such report be made promptly as required by the State Board of Health. And the state registrar shall annually certify to the treasurers of the several counties the number of births and deaths properly registered, with the names of the local registrars and the amounts due each at the rates fixed herein.

SEC. 7. That any person or persons, firm or corporation, who shall violate any rule, regulation, or order of the State Board of Health relative to recording, reporting or filing information for the Bureau of Vital Statistics, or who shall willfully neglect or refuse to perform any duties imposed upon them by said orders, or who shall furnish false information for the purpose of making incorrect records for said bureau, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall for the first offense be fined not less than five dollars (\$5.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) and for each subsequent offense not less than ten dollars (\$10.00), nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

SEC. 8. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, there is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500.00) annually commencing with the taking effect of this act.

SEC. 9. That all laws and acts, or parts of acts in conflict with this act, are hereby repealed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 137, a bill for an act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a board of examiners for the licensing of persons to carry on such practice, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of barber shops, schools and colleges in which the occupation of barbering is taught and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases through such occupation, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By changing the word "three" to the word "two" and the figure "3" to the figure "2" in lines 12, 15 and 17 of section 9, and in line 13 of section 12.

By striking out section 16 and substituting for the same the following:

"Said board shall be authorized to adopt reasonable rules providing for the sanitary regulation of barber shops, subject to the approval of the state board of Health, and shall have the power to enter any barber shop during business hours for the purpose of inspection of such shop. If any shop be found in an unsanitary condition, or if any barber working therein has been charged with imparting any contagious or infectious disease, the board shall immediately notify the health officer thereof, and such shop shall be quarantined and the barber so charged shall not practice his occupation until such quarantine shall be removed by the health officer. Said board shall have the power to revoke any certificate of registration granted by it under this act, for conviction of crime, habitual drunkenness for six months immediately before a charge duly made, gross incompetency, failure to comply with the sanitary rules approved by the state board of health or for having imparted any contagious or infectious disease. Provided, that before any certificate shall be so revoked, the holder thereof shall have notice in writing of the charge or charges against him, and at a day specified in said notice, at least five days after the service of notice thereof, be given a public hearing and be given an opportunity to present testimony in his behalf, and to confront the witnesses against him. Any person whose certificate has been revoked, may after the expiration of ninety (90) days apply to have his certificate regranted, and the same shall be regranted to him upon his giving satisfactory proof that disqualification has ceased to exist."

Ordered passed on file.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 357, a bill for an act to repeal two hundred ninety-seven (297) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of district court and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

Report adopted.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 357.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Repeal Section Two Hundred Ninety-seven (297) Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to Compensation of Clerks of the District Court and To Enact a Substitute Therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Clerks of the District Court shall receive an annual compensation for all services as such, the following:

In counties having a population of less than ten thousand, fourteen hundred dollars; in counties having a population of ten thousand and less than fifteen thousand, fifteen hundred dollars; in counties having a population of fifteen thousand and less than twenty thousand, sixteen hundred dollars; in counties having a population of twenty thousand and less than twenty-five thousand, seventeen hundred dollars; in counties having a population of twenty-five thousand and less than thirty thousand, eighteen hundred dollars; in counties having a population of thirty thousand and less than thirty-five thousand, nineteen hundred dollars; in counties having a population of thirty-five thousand and less than forty thousand, two thousand one hundred dollars; in counties having a population of forty thousand and less than fifty thousand, two thousand five hundred dollars; in counties having a population of fifty thousand and less than sixty thousand, two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars; in counties having a population of sixty thousand and less than seventy thousand, three thousand dollars; in counties having a population of seventy thousand and over, three thousand three hundred dollars. All of the above to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments.

SECTION 2. The treasurer shall accept the salary herein provided in full compensation for all services performed under color of his office. All fees of every kind and nature which he receives for services performed in his official capacity or on matters pertaining to the records of his office, shall belong to the county and shall be paid into the county treasury quarterly.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 341, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

That after the word "compensation" in line five of Section 1, and before the word "in" in line six of Section 1, insert the words "in counties having a population of less than ten thousand, fourteen hundred dollars", also in line six of Section 1, after the word "of" and before the word "less" insert the words "ten thousand and".

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 340, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor, and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school loan funds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

That after the word "compensation" in line five of Section 1, and after the word "in" in line six of Section 1, insert the words "In counties having a population of less than ten thousand, fourteen hundred dollars", also in line six of Section 1, after the word "of" and before the word "less" insert the words "ten thousand and".

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 220, a bill for an act to repeal sections 510-a and 510-b, supplement to the code, 1913, and enact substitutes therefor, and to amend paragraph twelve (12), section 511, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation and mileage charged by sheriffs, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out all after the word "follows" in line five (5) of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That Section Five Hundred Ten-a (510-a), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The County Sheriff shall receive an annual salary as follows:

1. In counties having a population of less than ten thousand (10,000), Thirteen Hundred Dollars (\$1300.00).
2. In counties having a population of ten thousand (10,000) and less than fifteen thousand (15,000), Fourteen Hundred Dollars (\$1400.00).
3. In counties having a population of fifteen thousand (15,000) and less than twenty thousand (20,000), Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1500.00).
4. In counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) and less than twenty-five thousand (25,000), Sixteen Hundred Dollars (\$1600.00).
5. In counties having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) and less than thirty thousand (30,000), Seventeen Hundred Dollars (\$1700.00).
6. In counties having a population of thirty thousand (30,000) and less than thirty-five thousand (35,000), Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1800.00).

7. In counties having a population of thirty-five thousand (35,000) and less than forty thousand (40,000), Nineteen Hundred Dollars (\$1900.00).

8. In counties having a population of forty thousand (40,000) and less than fifty thousand (50,000), Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00).

9. In counties having a population of fifty thousand (50,000) and less than sixty thousand (60,000), Twenty-two Hundred Dollars (\$2200.00).

10. In counties having a population of sixty thousand (60,000), and less than seventy thousand (70,000), Twenty-four Hundred Dollars (\$2400.00).

11. In counties having a population of seventy thousand (70,000) and over, Twenty-six Hundred Dollars (\$2600.00)."

SECTION 2. That Section five hundred ten-b (510-b) Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"In all counties the sheriff shall in writing appoint one or more persons, not holding a county office, as deputy or deputies, for whose acts he shall be responsible and from whom he shall require a bond, which appointment and bond shall be approved by the officer having the approval of the principal's bond; and such appointment may be revoked in writing, which appointment and revocation shall be filed and kept in the auditor's office. In all cases the board of supervisors shall fix the number of deputies and shall fix the salary of such deputies. All deputies shall be paid by the County."

SECTION 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, and Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 400, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to appointment and compensation of deputy clerks of the district court, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 344, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-one of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county treasurers, and enact a substitute, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Taylor moved that consideration of Senate File 357 be made a special order for Tuesday, March 23. at 10:30 a. m., and that consideration of Senate Files Nos. 341, 340, 220, 342, 400 and 344, immediately follow consideration of Senate File No. 357.

Carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on board of control, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 93, a bill for an act to increase the salary of the chief executive officer of the institution for feeble-minded children at Glenwood, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Robinson, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 273, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the institutions under the supervision of the board of control, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations with recommendation that same do pass.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Robinson, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 180, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the compensation of the secretary of the board of control, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 304, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa Soldiers' Home, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 63, a bill for an act authorizing the city and town councils to grant a permit to corporations, co-partnerships or individuals desiring to manufacture ice to be sold to the public, to lay pipe lines in, under, along and across the streets, highways, alleys, public grounds, streams or rivers within the corporate limits of cities and towns, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend section one (1) by adding at the end of the last line thereof the following:

"The municipality shall at any time have the right to condemn such pipe line, for any purpose for which the said municipality may lawfully condemn, and shall be liable for no greater sum than the actual cost of installing the same."

Amend section two (2) by striking out all of said section after the word "the" as it appears the first time in line three (3) thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, without expense to the state."

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 457, a bill for an act to prescribe the conditions and restrictions under which vaults, crypts or mausoleums for the

permanent entombment of human bodies, may be constructed, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 409, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 1056-a 11 and 1056-a 12, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to municipal accounting, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 384, a bill for an act to amend section 699 of chapter two (2) of the code, relative to salaries of councilmen, mayors, town clerks, city clerks and city auditors in cities of the first and second class and in towns, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 239, a bill for an act to grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of 25,000 or over, and organized under title 5, chapter 14 of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission in such cities the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 354, a bill for an act amending sections 1683-a, 1683-c, and repealing 1683-e, and enacting a substitute herefor, and repealing 1683-q, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state,

beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out Section five (5) and Section six (6), and amend the title by striking out in the second and third lines thereof, the words, "and enacting a substitute therefor, and repealing 1683-q, of the Supplement to the Code, 1913," and inserting in lieu thereof, following the words and figures sixteen hundred eighty-three-e (1683-e), the words, "Supplement to the Code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor."

L. W. Boe,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File 170, a bill for an act to amend the law, chapter 8-A, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, securing the payment thereof, repealing certain sections of said chapter and enacting a substitute therefor, establishing a board of commissioners, defining their duties, responsibilities and powers, abolishing the office of labor commissioner and industrial commissioner and transferring the duties and powers of such office to the board established by this act, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement.

Senator Enger was called to the chair at 10:20.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 11:10 a. m.

President Harding resumed the chair at 11:30 a. m.

Further consideration deferred.

Senator Henigbaum moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 170, a bill for an act to amend the law, chapter 8-A, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, securing the payment thereof, repealing certain sections of said chapter and enacting a substitute

therefor, establishing a board of commissioners, defining their duties, responsibilities and powers, abolishing the office of labor commissioner and industrial commissioner and transferring the duties and powers of such office to the board established by this act, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement.

Senator Clarkson moved that further consideration of this bill be deferred until tomorrow following the general order of business.

Carried.

JOURNAL CORRECTED.

The Journal of March 17th was taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 259, a bill for an act to legalize all the elections of the towns of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello and state of Iowa, and all acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all ordinances and resolutions, or amendments thereto, passed by the town council of said town, and all the official acts of the town officers of said town, since the passage of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as chapter twenty-six (26) of the acts of the Thirty-second General Assembly; and defining the terms of office of the councilmen and officers of said town, and providing for future elections therein.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 259, a bill for an act to legalize all the elections of the towns of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello and state of Iowa, and all acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all ordinances and resolutions, or amendments thereto, passed by the town council of said town, and all the official acts of the town officers of said town, since the passage of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as chapter twenty-six (26) of the acts of the Thirty-second General Assembly; and

defining the terms of office of the councilmen and officers of said town, and providing for future elections therein.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE FILE SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, in the presence of the Senate, he had signed Senate File No. 259.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 259, a bill for an act to legalize all the elections of the town of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello and state of Iowa, and all acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all ordinances and resolutions, or amendments thereto, passed by the town council of said town, and all the official acts of the town officers of said town, since the passage of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as chapter twenty-six (26) of the acts of the Thirty-second General Assembly; and defining the terms of office of the councilmen and officers of said town, and providing for future elections therein.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 120, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter (1-4) of the northeast one-quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85) north, range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Whitmore moved that Senate Files Nos. 425, 424, 426, 418, 419, 421, 422, 423, 427, 420, 9, 11, 88 and 294 be made a special order of business for 11 o'clock a. m., Friday, March 19th, and that same be considered in order named.

Carried.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 19, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. E. W. Faris Holler, Ottumwa, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, favoring the "Age of Consent" bill.

Referred to committee on judiciary.

Senator Greene presented a remonstrance of Clinton county, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Wilson presented a remonstrance of doctors of Iowa, against passage of Senate File No. 446, relating to practice of dentistry.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Lee county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Dallas Center, in support of the Exemption Bill, Senate File No. 358.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Foster presented a memorial from the U. M. W. of Woodward, in behalf of the Clarkson bill, Senate File No. 170.

Referred to committee on insurance.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Panora, Iowa, in support of the Exemption Bill, Senate File No. 358.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Hilsinger presented a petition of citizens of Jackson county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Plymouth county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Page county, favoring the "Poultry Appropriation Bill," House File No. 369.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Webster county, favoring passage of Senate Files Nos. 230 and 231, relating to county recorder.

Referred to committee on county and township affairs.

Senator Larrabee presented a remonstrance of citizens of Manson, Iowa, against passage of House File No. 234, relating to issuance of bonds by cities and towns.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

On request of Senator Foskett leave of absence was granted Senator Caswell for the day.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 521, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-two hundred seventy (3270) of the code and relating to a husband's interest in a devise of real estate by will.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 522, a bill for an act to amend sections thirteen hundred thirty-four (1334), thirteen hundred thirty-four-a (1334-a), thirteen hundred thirty-seven (1337) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section thirteen hundred thirty-eight (1338) of the code; and to enact a substitute therefor and all relating to the assessment and taxation of railways and to requirements of railway companies and duties of officers in connection therewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on railroads.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 523, a bill for an act to put quarantine officers under the civil service law contained in chapter 2-A, title five (5) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 524, a bill for an act to prohibit a city or town from employing as an engineer any person, firm or corporation interested in the public work or improvement to which such engineering work relates.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 525, a bill for an act to limit the compensation of public officers and employes to the salaries allowed them by law and to prevent the payment to them of additional sums and to punish the claiming or receiving of such additional sums.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Francis, Senate File No. 526, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2757 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to organization of boards of directors of consolidated independent school districts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 239, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to county official papers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 254, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409) of the code, relating to the certification of taxes to another county and enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 472, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the board of supervisors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 471, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and seventy-two (1072), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election of coroner, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 290, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections 1258-c and 1258-h, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of city, county and township officers, and the right of such officers to thereafter hold office within this state, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 221, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the number of supervisors and supervisor districts

and to the election of such supervisors, as the same appears in sections 410, 411, and 416, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 399, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a eighty-four (2727-a84), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the payment of expenses of patients of the sanatorium for tuberculosis, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a eighty-four, (2727-84), Supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "then" in the ninth line and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the superintendent shall notify the Board of Supervisors of the County where the applicant resides of such fact and"

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 306, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-six (496), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to deputies in the office of county recorders, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting after the word "exceeding" in line fifteen of the original bill, the words and figures "nine hundred (\$900.00) Dollars in counties having a population of thirty thousand (30,000) and under, and in counties having a population of over thirty thousand (30,000) not exceeding".

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 255, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred fifteen (1415), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the apportionment of taxes and interest, and to enact a

substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out in line twelve of Section 1, the words "and total," and by adding after the word "interest" in the twelfth line of Section 1 the words "and penalty"

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Chase from committee No. 2 on judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 263, a bill for an act to legalize the transfer of board of health fund of Washington township, Greene county, Iowa, to the township road fund of such township, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 147, a bill for an act to provide information which shall serve as a basis for legislative appropriation, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 313, a bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to select jurors, including grand jurors, etc., prescribing the time for which jurors may be required to serve, prescribing the duties thereof and fixing penalties for the violation of this act, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Kimball moved that the bill be placed on the Calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the Calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 411, a bill for an act to amend section 1989 a-8, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the

construction of levees, drains, ditches and water courses, and providing for bonds as protection for payment for same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 355, a bill for an act to provide for the dismissal of actions and the right to bring the same a second time, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 600, a bill for an act to amend chapter 2-a title X, supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto the following provisions for transferring the care of certain drainage ditches to local boards of trustees, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 469, a bill for an act to legalize and cure the acts and proceedings of the independent consolidated school district of New Providence, Hardin county, Iowa, preliminary to a certain bond issue voted September 5th, 1914, and to legalize and validate such bond issue, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by adding thereto the following: "Such publication shall be without expense to the State", also "Section 4. This act shall not affect pending litigation, if any."

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 498, a bill for an act to validate the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Norwalk, in

Warren county, Iowa, and proceedings taken to authorize the issuance of bonds of said district in the amount of \$25,000, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 417, a bill for an act prohibiting the sale, manufacturing for sale within this state, keeping for sale, having in possession, or soliciting for the sale of gambling devices, and providing a punishment therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 98, a bill for an act to authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Perkins moved that the bill be placed on the Calendar.

Motion carried and bill ordered placed on the Calendar.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senator resumed consideration of Senate File No. 170, a bill for an act to amend the law, Chapter 8-A, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, securing the payment thereof, repealing certain sections of said chapter and enacting a substitute therefor, establishing a board of commissioners, defining their duties, responsibilities and powers, abolishing the office of labor commissioner and industrial commissioner and transferring the duties and powers of such office to the board established by

this act, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement.

Senator Larrabee was called to the chair at 10 o'clock a. m.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:20 a. m.

Senator Whitmore moved that special orders set for 11 o'clock a. m. today be deferred to immediately follow consideration of special orders Nos. 1 and 2.

Carried.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Clarkson invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore—28.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fleck, Greene, Helmer, Kimball, Larrabee, Ream, Thomas, White of Benton, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Laffer, Taylor—3.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 327, a bill for an act providing for the relocation of railroad tracks upon streets of certain cities so as to permit of the construction and operation of interurban railways on said streets, and for the use by interurban railways of said railroad tracks on said streets if the same are not relocated, and the making of alterations in railroad tracks and the construction and maintenance of the connecting tracks, overhead trolley or other equipment of said interurban railways and for the payment of compensation for such relocation, use and other privileges, and giving to the board of railroad commissioners power to de-

termine such alterations, relocation, use and other privileges and the terms and conditions thereof, and the amount to be paid therefor, and providing for appeals from the orders of said board of railroad commissioners.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has requested the return of the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked:

Senate File No. 53, a bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 48, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred and seventy-three (2773) of the code, relating to legal holidays in common schools.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for special order No. 2, on motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a 2 (254-a2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the reimbursement of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters for their actual transportation and expenses while in the discharge of their official duties away from their places of residence, was taken up for further consideration.

The following amendment offered by Senator Kimball on March 16th and found on page 799 of Journal was before the Senate for consideration:

Amend by striking out the words "expenses incurred by reason thereof, including transportation, hotel and living expenses in all not to exceed the sum of three dollars (\$3.00) per day", in the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th lines of Sections one (1) and two (2) respectively and substituting therefor in each section the following: "hotel and living expenses not to exceed the sum of three dollars (\$3.00) per day and transportation expenses as shall be incurred".

Senator Chase offered the following amendment to the amendment offered by Senator Kimball and moved its adoption.

Amend the pending amendment by adding the words "not exceeding in all \$200.00 per year".

The amendment by Senator Kimball, as amended, was adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking from the bill wherever same appears the figures "\$200.00" substituting therefor "\$400.00".

Senator Clarkson raised the point of order that as the Senate had just adopted an amendment fixing the amount of expense that may be incurred in any one year, the amendment offered by Senator Francis would be out of order.

President held the point of order well taken and declared the amendment offered by Senator Francis out of order.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment filed by him on March 16th and appearing on page 800 of the Journal, and moved its adoption:

Insert in Sec. 2 of Substitute for Senate File No. 183, after the words "which account shall be itemized", the following: "and approved by the presiding judge of the district court".

Amendment withdrawn.

Senator Kimball moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment offered by him, and as amended, was adopted.

Senator Chase raised the point of order that the motion to reconsider was out of order, as the Senator had voted against the amendment to the amendment.

Senator Kimball stated that he had voted for the amendment as amended, which was adopted.

President held the motion to reconsider the vote in order.

On the motion to reconsider the vote by which the amendment offered by Senator Kimball, as amended, was adopted, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Boe, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—22.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Jones, Lindly, Ream, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—17.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Heald, Laffer, Taylor—11.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

Senator Francis moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment offered by Senator Chase was adopted.

Motion lost.

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m.

Motion lost.

The amendment by Senator Kimball, as amended, was then adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment filed by him on March 16th and appearing on page 800 of the Journal and moved its adoption :

Amend by adding to Sec. 2, "Provided that this act shall not take effect until Jan. 1st, 1919."

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton—13.

The nays were :

Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Caswell, Enger, Frailey, Grout, Laffer, Ream, Taylor—8.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Francis moved the Senate do now adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 2 o'clock p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Kimball, special order No. 2, Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a2 (254-a2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the reimbursement of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters for their actual transportation and expenses while in the discharge of their official duties away from their places of resident, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Insert in section 2 of Substitute for Senate File No. 183, after the words "which account shall be itemized" the following: "and approved by the presiding judge of the district court".

Adopted.

By unanimous consent, Senator Farr withdrew the following amendment filed by him on March 16, and appearing on page 800 of the Journal:

Amend by striking out Sec. 3.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

Doran, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Lindly, Ream—6.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Darrah, Gillette, Helmer, Henigbaum, Laffer, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 139, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred three (1,303), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes for general county fund.

Also :

House File No. 362, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon in Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon.

Also :

House File No. 264, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Bloomfield, Iowa.

Also :

House File No. 306, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand nine hundred sixty-three-1 (2963-1) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the legalization of conveyances of real estate in certain cases.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

On motion of Senator Arney and by unanimous consent, Senate File No. 180 was withdrawn from the calendar and referred to the committee on appropriations.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS CONCURRED IN.

By unanimous consent of the Senate, House amendments to Senate File No. 207 were taken up for consideration.

Senator Farr moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendment :

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by striking out the figures "2720" in the second line of section one and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "2727".

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in the House amendment?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Gillette, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Laffer, Lindly, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas—12.

The House amendment, having received a constitutional majority, was declared concurred in.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 3, Senate File No. 425, a bill for an act prohibiting the collection of, or attempt to collect, or solicitation for, payment within this state, for intoxicating liquor sold or shipped within this state for illegal purposes, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were :

Quigley—1.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate, he had signed in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 264, 306, 139 and 362.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 4, Senate File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale, etc., of intoxicating liquors, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Eversmeyer, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa—12.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Caswell, Farr, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Taylor—7.

So the Senate refused to adopt the report of the committee.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend the pending bill by adding the following:

SEC. 2. This act shall go into effect January 1st, 1916.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Greene, Quigley, White of Iowa—4.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Farr, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson—11.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 424 and moved its adoption:

Strike out of the title the word "etc."

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendmend to the title and moved its adoption:

Strike out the comma (,) before and after the word "etc." just stricken out.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to the title, "and providing the time when same shall go into effect."

Also amend by substituting a comma for the period at the end of title as it now appears.

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title, as amended, was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 5, Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "bootlegger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

Further consideration postponed.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 327, a bill for an act providing for the relocation of railroad tracks upon streets of certain cities so as to permit of the construction and operation of interurban railways on said streets, and for the use by interurban railways of said railroad tracks on said streets if the same are not relocated, and the making of alterations in railroad tracks and the construction and maintenance of the connecting tracks, overhead trolley or other equipment of said interurban railways and for the payment of compensation for such relocation, use and other privileges, and giving to the board of railroad commissioners power to determine such alterations, relocation, use and other privileges and the terms and conditions thereof, and the amount to be paid therefor and providing for appeals from the orders of said board of railroad commissioners.

Read first and second time.

Senator Heald moved that the bill be placed on the Calendar.

Carried.

The House requests the return of Senate File No. 53, a bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

On motion of Senator Parker, the request of the House for the return of Senate File No. 53 was granted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 327, a bill for an act authorizing counties containing not less than 20 square miles of lake surface to issue bonds for not more than sixty thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a public highway around such lakes; authorizing levy of tax to meet interest on said bonds and for payment of said bonds; authorizing construction of said highway under supervision of the state highway commission; providing for use of a portion of the funds placed at the disposition of said commission in construction of said highway, of proceeds in state treasury arising from sale of lake beds situated within such county, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 348, a bill for an act to provide for the permanent improvement of portions of the public highway outside the limits of cities and towns, and adjacent thereto, to create districts for such purpose, to provide for the voting of taxes to pay for such improvement, to provide for plans and specifications for said improvement and the manner for constructing the same, to provide for the issuance of bonds in anticipation of taxes so voted, to provide for receiving donations in aid of such improvement, and to provide for the maintenance of such improvement after the construction thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting the word "adjoining" after the word "town" at the end of line 3, section 1.

Strike out the word "said" immediately preceding the word "city" in line 8, section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Strike out the words "the aforesaid" in line 1, section 4, and insert the word "such".

Strike out the word "or" immediately following the figures "30" in brackets, and immediately preceding the word "more" in line 3, section 4, and insert in lieu thereof the word "nor".

Strike out the word "said" following the word "within" and immediately preceding the word "district" in line 6, section 4, and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Strike out the word "said" following the word "constructing" in line 7, section 4, and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Strike out the word "said" in line 8, section 4, following the word "within" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Strike out the letter "y" and insert the letter "t" in lieu thereof in the word "ballot" following the word "each" in line 18, section 4, of the bill.

Strike out the words "and well known" in line 24, section 4, of the bill.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 266, a bill for an act to provide for the issuance of county bonds for highway improvement, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out the word "ten" in line 4 of the printed bill and inserting the word "fifteen".

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Hilsinger, from the committee on insurance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to notice and proof of loss under oath in case of insurance on personal property, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking from line seven of the original bill the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifteen", so that the time of notice of the loss must be made within fifteen days from the time said loss occurs; and when so amended that the same do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 333, a bill for an act to amend chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employe's liability and workmen's compensation repealing Sec. 2477-M 9 and subdivision thereof and inserting a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Hilsinger the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred House File No. 116, a bill for an act to amend seventeen hundred eighty-three-B (1783-b) of the supplement to the code of 1907, relating to medical examination for life insurance, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out the capital letter "B" in the second (2) line of the title and inserting a small letter "b" in lieu thereof; and by striking out the words "of the" in the same line and inserting a comma (,) in lieu thereof, and by inserting a comma (,) after the word "CODE" in the same line, and by striking out all in the bill after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

That section seventeen hundred eighty-three-b (1783-b), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "medicine" in the sixth (6th) line thereof the words "or by an osteopathic physician duly authorized to practice osteopathy"; and when so amended the bill do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend section 1806, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the commissioner of insurance, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Insert after the figures sixteen in brackets "[16]" in line ten the words: "of the fourth sub-division of said section"; and when so amended the bill do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Darrah, from the committee on elections, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred House File No. 32, a bill for an act to enable electors to vote at any general, special, primary, county, township, city or town election, where the Australian ballot is used, when absent on the day of such election, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred Senate File No. 350, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapters 2, 3, and 4, title VI, of the code, and chapter 2-A, excepting sections 1087-a-1, a-2, a-3, a-4, a-24-a, a-36, a-37, a-38, a-39, a-42, and a-46, and chapter 3-a, title VI, supplement to the code, relating to elections, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Darrah, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred House File No. 13, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and sixty-one of the code, providing for proclamation of general election by the governor of the state, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred Senate File No. 369, a bill for an act to provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred Senate File No. 59, a bill for an act to amend section 1087 a-4 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087 a-7 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087 a-10 of the supplement to the code, 1913, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out the words "of the" from the title and body of the bill where the same refers to supplement to the code, and also that the words described by the figures denoting the different sections be inserted in their respective places prior to the figures;

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Thomas, from the committee on food and dairy, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on food and dairy, to whom was referred Senate File No. 276, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in sections 4999-a 31, 4999-a 31-c, 4999-a 31-f, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute; and when so amended it be recommended for passage, and referred to the committee on appropriations.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman

On motion of Senator Thomas the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Substitute read first and second time.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 276.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend the Law Relating to Pure Food as the Same Appears in Sections Forty-nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Thirty-one (4999-a 31), Forty-nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Thirty-one-c (4999-a 31-c), Forty-nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Thirty-one-e (4999-a 31-e) and Forty-nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Thirty-one-f (4999-a 31-f) Supplement to the Code, 1913.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one (4999-a 31), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from said section all after the heading "VINEGAR" following paragraph twenty-four (24) of said section down to and including line fourteen (14) of page 1814 of said supplement to the code, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

1. All vinegar shall be made by the alcoholic and subsequent acetous fermentation of fruits, grain, vegetables, sugar or syrups, and if not distilled must carry in solution the extractive matter derived solely from the substances indicated on the label as its source.

2. No vinegar shall be sold or exposed for sale as vinegar, apple vinegar or cider vinegar which is not the legitimate product of apples. The term "cider vinegar" as used herein shall be construed to mean vinegar derived by the alcoholic and subsequent acetous fermentation of the expressed juice of apples, the acidity, solids and ash of which have been derived exclusively from apples, and which contains not less than four per cent of absolute acetic acid. Cider vinegar which, during the course of manufacture, has developed in excess of four per cent acetic acid may be reduced to a strength of not less than four per cent, and cider vinegar so reduced shall not be regarded as adulterated if so branded.

3. Sugar vinegar sold or exposed for sale as such shall be strictly and distinctly fermented from sucrose.

4. No vinegar shall be sold or exposed for sale as malt vinegar which is not fermented strictly and distinctly from barley, malt, or cereals whose starch has been converted by malt.

5. No vinegar shall be sold or exposed for sale in which foreign substances, drugs or acids have been introduced. No vinegar shall contain any artificial coloring matter, and all vinegar shall have an acidity of not less than four per cent by weight of absolute acetic acid. If vinegar contains any artificial matter, or less than the required amount of acidity, it shall be deemed to be adulterated.

6. All vinegar made by fermentation and oxidation without the intervention of distillation shall be branded with the name of the fruit or substance from which such vinegar has been made.

7. All vinegar made by acetous fermentation of dilute distilled alcohol shall be branded "distilled" vinegar, together with the name of the substance from which it is made, and shall not have a brown color in imitation of cider vinegar.

8. Corn sugar vinegar is the product made by the alcoholic and subsequent acetous fermentation of solutions of starch sugar.

SECTION 2. That the law as it appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one c (4999-a 31 c), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "for" in line four (4) of said section the following, "or entering into the composition of"; and also by inserting after the comma following the word "purchaser", in line seventeen (17) of said section the following, "or if it bears any design or device which might prove deceptive as to the true character of the product"; and also by striking from line forty (40) of said section the word "added."

SECTION 3. That the law as it appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one e (4999-a 31 e), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from line one (1) of the sixth (6th) subdivision of said section the word "added" and by striking from line three (3) of said sixth (6th) subdivision the word "or" and inserting a comma in lieu thereof and also by inserting in said line three (3) of said subdivision following the word "formaldehyde" the words "or boron compound"; and also by inserting after the comma at the end of line one (1) of the seventh (7th) subdivision of said section the following "rancid,"; and also by inserting after the word "slaughter" in line five (5) of said seventh (7th) subdivision the following, "or if it be a food product which has been damaged by freezing"; and also by striking out all of the ninth (9th) subdivision of said section.

SECTION 4. That the law as it appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one f (4999-a 31 f), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from line seven (7) of said section the word "twenty-one" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty-four."

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on food and dairy, to whom was referred Senate File No. 245, a bill for an act to regulate the sale of agricultural seeds, defining same, providing for their inspection, fixing fees and providing penalties for violation of this act, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on food and dairy, to whom was referred Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend sections 3009-a to 3009-r supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand twenty-nine-a, 3029-b, 3029-c, 3029-d and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out Section 1 and renumbering the remaining sections.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 483, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 527, a bill for an act to punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate of interest than two per cent per month, and to provide a penalty therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on judiciary No. 2.

By committee on ways and means, Senate File No. 528, a bill for an act creating the office of state tax commissioner; determining his powers and duties; requiring assessment reports to be made to said officer and providing the means and appropriations for expenditures incident to said office.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By committee on ways and means, Senate File No. 529, a bill for an act creating the office of county assessor and defining the powers and duties of the same.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 530, a bill for an act providing that no contract, deed or other instrument conveying any portion of an unplatted tract within the corporate limits of any city or town shall be recorded unless a plat of said tract has been approved by the city council and recorded in the county where such real estate is situated, and providing that if any such instrument is recorded without such plat being so approved and recorded, that the same shall not be constructive notice of such instrument.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

On request of Senator Foskett leave of absence was granted Senator Taylor for the day.

On request of Senator Lindly leave of absence was granted Senator Laffer for today, tomorrow and Monday.

Journal of March 18th, was taken up, corrected and approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had this date approved Senate Files Nos. 120 and 259.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 20, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Carl Brown, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Monroe, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of the Muscatine Commercial Club, favoring increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Davis county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Cerro Gordo county, asking protection for prairie chickens during certain seasons.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator Nye presented a remonstrance against passage of Senate File No. 446, regarding dentistry.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Foster presented a remonstrance of citizens of Dallas and Guthrie counties, against increase in passenger rates and favoring appropriation for the railroad commission.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Thompson presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Polk county favoring passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of cooperative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Parker presented a remonstrance of citizens of Polk county against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Helmer presented a remonstrance of citizens of Schaller, Iowa against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White of Benton presented a petition of citizens of Vinton, Iowa, favoring passage of Senate File No. 358, changing the present exemption laws.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Madrid, Iowa, favoring passage of Senate File No. 358, changing the present exemption laws.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

The Secretary received a remonstrance of citizens of Wright county, against House and Senate Bills Nos. 348, 243, 216 and 290, relating to sale of live stock remedies and stock foods.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal chapter one-A (1-A), of title VIII, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute in lieu thereof, creating a state highway engineer, providing for his appointment, term of office, compensation, powers, and duties, providing for his removal, creating a system of county and township road, bridge and culvert construction, and maintenance, prescribing the procedure and manner of carrying on such improvement, and the rights, duties, and power of county and township officers and employes with reference thereto, providing that the board of supervisors of each county shall have full control and supervision of the county road system, providing for the registration of highway routes, together with the names, color or combinations and designs

used in marking the same; prohibiting the duplications thereof, and amending section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-thirty-two (1571-m 32), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the distribution of the motor vehicle fund, and providing penalties therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 503, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand five hundred fifty-eight (3558) of the code relating to copies of pleadings.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 358, a bill for an act to amend sections sixteen hundred forty-two (1642) and sixteen hundred forty-four (1644) of the code, relating to corporations not organized for pecuniary profit.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 373, a bill for an act legalizing the proceedings of the town council of Lake Mills, Winnebago county, Iowa, in connection with the passing of ordinance No. 45, providing for the election of three park commissioners for said town and legalizing the special election held on July 7, 1913, for the purpose of submitting said ordinance to the voters of said town for their approval; and for legalizing the said ordinance, the appointment of the park commissioners by the town council in pursuance of said ordinance and the election of three park commissioners in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914; and the acts and proceedings of said park commissioners appointed by the town council in purchasing real estate for park purposes and certifying taxes to be levied in the year 1913; and the election of three park commissioners in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914, and the acts and proceedings of said three park commissioners elected in 1914 in certifying taxes for said year and all taxes levied and collected or levied in pursuance of said ordinance, and for legalizing in general all acts and proceedings of the town council of said town in connection with said ordinance and all acts and proceedings had by the park commissioners appointed and elected in pursuance of said ordinance.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 381, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-three (423), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 46, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred eighty (2780), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of school treasurers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 315, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand five hundred thirty-nine (3539) of the code, relative to the bringing of actions against unknown defendants.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 346, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred thirty-eight (3538), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the manner of commencing actions against unknown defendants.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 209, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgages executed by attorney in fact.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 30, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred fifty-nine (4759) of the code relating to the crime of abortion.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to the location of the offices and quarters of the different offices and departments of state.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Senator Helmer offered the following concurrent resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, It has always been customary for both the Senate and the House of Representatives of each General Assembly to publish in printed form the rules of each body as well as the joint rules and certain other information of general interest concerning the workings of the General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, The House has already published in printed form the Rules of the House of Representatives, the joint rules of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, and certain other information similar to that usually contained in such book,

Therefore Be It Resolved By the Senate, the House concurring, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby instructed to have compiled and published immediately a rules book to be known as the official directory and rules book of the Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, the same to contain the Senate rules as adopted, together with the index, the joint House and Senate rules of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, which are at this time the governing general rules of this Assembly, and such other information as is usually included in the official directory.

Be It Further Resolved, That two hundred fifty copies of the same shall be printed, of which seventy copies shall be bound in leather for distribution among the members of this House, the desk force and members of the press, and the remainder for the usual general distribution.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Ream, Senate File No. 531, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of a district custodial farm for the detention, treatment and employment of persons convicted of crime, to make provisions for the control and management thereof, including the parole of said inmates and a penalty for a violation of said parole or for escaping from said custodial farm, and further fixing a penalty for anyone who aids or assists an inmate to escape from said custodial farm; to provide what persons convicted of crime shall be kept thereon, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

By Senator Parker, by request, Senate File No. 532, a bill for an act to amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject, as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on corporations.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal chapter one-A (1-A), of title eight (VIII), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute in lieu thereof, creating a state highway engineer, providing for his appointment, term of office, compensation, powers, and duties, providing for his removal, creating a system of county and township road, bridge and culvert construction, and maintenance, prescribing the procedure and manner of carrying on such

improvement, and the rights, duties, and power of county and township officers and employes with reference thereto, providing that the board of supervisors of each county shall have full control of and supervision of the county road system, providing for the registration of highway routes, together with the names, color or combinations and designs used in marking the same; prohibiting the duplications thereof; and amending section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m thirty-two (1571-m32), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the distribution of the motor vehicle fund, and providing penalties therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

House File No. 503, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand five hundred fifty-eight (3558) of the code relating to copies of pleadings.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 358, a bill for an act to amend sections sixteen hundred forty-two (1642) and sixteen hundred forty-four (1644) of the code, relating to corporations not organized for pecuniary profit.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on corporations.

House File No. 373, a bill for an act legalizing the proceedings of the town council of Lake Mills, Winnebago county, Iowa, in connection with the passing of ordinance No. 45, providing for the election of three park commissioners for said town and legalizing the special election held on July 7, 1913, for the purpose of submitting said ordinance to the voters of said town for their approval; and for legalizing the said ordinance, the appointment of the park commissioners by the town council in pursuance of said ordinance and the election of three park commissioners in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914; and the acts and proceedings of said park commissioners appointed by the town council in purchasing real estate for park purposes and certifying taxes to be levied in the year 1913; and the election of three park commissioners in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914, and the acts and proceedings of said three park commissioners elected in 1914 in certifying taxes for said year and all taxes levied

and collected or levied in pursuance of said ordinance, and for legalizing in general all acts and proceedings of the town council of said town in connection with said ordinance and all acts and proceedings had by the park commissioners appointed and elected in pursuance of said ordinance.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 381, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-three (423), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 46, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand, seven hundred, eighty (2780), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of school treasurers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

House File No. 315, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand five hundred thirty-nine (3539) of the code, relative to the bringing of actions against unknown defendants.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 346, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred thirty-eight (3538), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the manner of commencing actions against unknown defendants.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

The House amended and passed Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend Senate File No. 201 by striking out the words "of the" in the second line of the title and inserting in lieu thereof a comma. Also by striking out the words "of the" in the second line of section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof a comma.

Passed on file.

The House amended and passed Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organizing thereof.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File No. 156 by striking out Section 2 thereof.

Passed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 132, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2341-g of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the issuance of certificates of soundness to owners or keepers of stallions and jacks, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 264, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight (2538) of the supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred House File No. 269, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-a (1661-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agriculture societies, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations, with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By striking out the words "of the" preceding the word supplement in the title and in the body of the bill itself and insert a comma (,) in lieu thereof.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Perkins, from the committee on telegraphs and telephones, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on telegraphs and telephones, to whom was referred Senate File No. 74, a bill for an act declaring telephone companies common carriers, placing telephone companies under the supervision of the board of railroad commissioners, and giving the board of railroad commissioners power to compel physical connection between telephone companies, to regulate the rates and charges of telephone companies, etc., etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and return the same to the Senate without recommendation.

E. C. PERKINS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on telegraphs and telephones, to whom was referred Senate File No. 23, a bill for an act authorizing and empowering the board of railroad commissioners to prescribe and establish joint service between telephone lines or systems and to fix the terms and conditions under which the same shall be rendered and limit the rates or tolls to be charged therefor, and prescribe penalties for violations of orders of such board, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

E. C. PERKINS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 300, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon in Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 455, a bill for an act to legalize the construction of a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system in and by the town of Lu Verne, Iowa, and bonds issued for that purpose and the reso-

lution, acts and proceedings relating to the authorization of the construction of such plant and the issuing of such bonds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 467, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation, acts and proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company, of Keokuk, Lee county, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 64, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred seven-b (1507-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 219, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred sixty (360) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the acceptance of a guaranty company as surety, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 271, a bill for an act empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute quit claim deeds conveying all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in and to the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) and the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) of the southeast quarter (SE 1-4) of section twenty (20) township seventy-nine (79) range twenty-three (23) west of the 5th P. M., etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 489, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the city council of the city of Emmetsburg, Iowa, relative to the permanent improvement of certain streets therein and the contract entered into for said improvement and assessment of benefits to be made against property benefited thereby, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 496, a bill for an act to legalize the acts of the incorporated town of Gladbrook, Iowa, in voting to purchase or erect an electric light and power plant in said town and as a part thereof, a transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the high potential transmission line of the Iowa Railway and Light Company extending between the, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 198, a bill for an act amending section eight hundred twelve (812) of the code and authorizing cities under the commission plan of government to construct street improvements and sewers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 249, a bill for an act granting to cities and towns power to license and regulate electricians and electrical contractors and power to regulate the installation of electric light and power wiring, etc., and to provide state electric inspector, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out Section two (2) and Section three (3) of the said bill.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Jones, from the committee on banks and banking, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred House File No. 61, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in Section 1860 of the code of 1897 relating to the reserve fund of savings banks, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend the Law as it Appears in Section One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty (1860) of the Code Relating to the Reserve Fund of Savings Banks.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in Section One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty (1860) of the Code, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "Commercial" in line four (4) thereof, and substituting therefor the words "sight and demand"; and, also by inserting after the words "savings deposits" in line four (4) of said section the words "and time certificates having a fixed and definite time of maturity"; and, also by inserting after the words "savings deposits" in line seven (7) of said section the words "and time certificates having a fixed and definite time of maturity"; and, also by striking out the word "Commercial" in line seven (7) of said section and substituting therefor the words "sight and demand".

Substitute read first and second time.

On request of Senator Wilson leave of absence was granted Senator Sheean until Wednesday.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Special Order No. 5, Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement.

Senate refused to adopt the report of the committee.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by substituting "sixth (6th)" for fifth (5th) in second line of printed bill.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Gillette, Greene, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Schrup—6.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 6, Senate File No. 418, a bill for an act requiring common carriers of intoxicating liquors to keep a daily record of such shipments, prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such records by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 2, line 13 of the original bill (line 10 of the printed bill) by inserting the following after the word "by": "lettering on the package or by the carriers."

Amend by striking out the word "the" in line 13 of said section 2 so that said line in the original bill will read: "liquor, so far as disclosed by lettering on the package or by the carrier's records."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—30.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Gillette, Greene, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, Wilson—7.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent Senator Whitmore withdrew from further consideration by the Senate, Senate File No. 11.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 7, Senate File No. 419, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419) of the code, and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

Senator Thomas moved the previous question.

Motion lost.

Further consideration deferred.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relating to the printing of a book to be known as the Official Directory and Rules Book of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 101, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated independent school districts as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of the board of supervisors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 419, a bill for an act to authorize the River Front Improvement Commission to permit the erection of a soldiers' monument or memorial hall upon any ground, held in trust by such commission, under the provisions of chapter 9-a, title V, of the supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 360, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411) supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 268, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

The Journal of March 19th was taken up, corrected and approved.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

We move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the motion to indefinitely postpone Senate File No. 333.

J. M. WILSON, H. W. GROUT, F. A. HEALD, JOHN F. REAM, CHESTER W. WHITMORE, D. S. FLECK, FRED LARRABEE, E. C. PERKINS, CLEM F. KIMBALL, L. E. FRANCIS, L. W. BOE, C. H. THOMAS, J. H. TAYLOR, L. M. ENGER, JNO. W. FOSTER, L. E. CRIST, A. D. NYE, W. H. ARNEY, JOHN T. CLARKSON, D. C. CHASE, WM. J. GREENE, J. H. ALLEN, H. C. WHITE, GEO. H. JACKSON, J. R. DORAN, C. C. HELMER, G. M. GILLETTE.

Senator Schrup moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, March 22d.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 22, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. P. S. Ervin of the A. M. E. church, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Lee county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to Committee No. 1 on Judiciary.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of citizens of Muscatine county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to Committee on Printing.

Senator Jackson presented a remonstrance of citizens of Floyd county, against the raising of passenger and freight rates.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Taylor county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Senator Heald presented a petition of citizens of Linn county relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to Committee on Printing.

Senator Heald presented a petition of citizens of Linn county, urging amendment to House File No. 276, regarding the practice of medicine.

Referred to Committee on Public Health.

Senator Heald presented a remonstrance of citizens of Marion, Iowa, against the present exemption laws of the state.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 1.

Senator Heald presented a remonstrance of citizens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, against passage of House File No. 47, relative to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to Committee on Public Health.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to Committee on Highways.

Senator Allen presented remonstrance of citizens of Warren county, against the passage of House File No. 47, providing for inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to Committee on Public Health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Rolfe, Iowa, favoring passage of S. F. No. 358, relating to change in exemption laws.

Referred to Committee No. 1 on Judiciary.

Senator Caswell presented a remonstrance of citizens of Mapleton, Iowa, against S. F. No. 74, placing control of telephone companies under the railroad commission.

Referred to Committee on Telegraphs and Telephones.

Senator Farr presented a remonstrance of citizens of Sergeant Bluffs, Iowa, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

Senator Farr presented a remonstrance of citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, against passage of Senate File No. 446, relating to the practice of dentistry.

Referred to Committee on Public Health.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Committee on Military Affairs, Senate File No. 553, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, and their indigent wives,

widows and their minor children, and the erection or maintenance of monuments or memorial halls for soldiers and sailors.

Read first and second time and ordered placed on calendar.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 534, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred twenty-eight of the code relating to terms of the district court.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee No. 2 on Judiciary.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 535, a bill for an act to provide the effect of a breach of warranty in a deed or other instruments and providing a remedy and damages therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee No. 1 on Judiciary.

By Senator Jackson, by request, Senate File No. 536, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section thirty-one hundred ninety-seven (3197) of the code relating to the giving of bonds by guardians and the approval of such bonds by the court.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee No. 2 on Judiciary.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 537, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q), supplement to the code, 1913, and reduce the maximum amount of the state levies and to reduce the amount levied for capitol extension purposes by amending section fourteen hundred-t (1400-t), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 538, a bill for an act to amend sections thirteen hundred three (1303), twenty-two hundred forty-seven (2247), twenty-three hundred eight (2308) and fifteen hundred thirty (1530), supplement to the code, 1913, reducing the maximum of tax levies for county purposes.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on County and Township Affairs.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 539, a bill for an act to repeal section one eighty-one (181), supplement to the code, 1913, in reference to the committee on retrenchment and reform and their duties.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Retrenchment and Reform.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 540, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-n, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 541, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-m (2477-m), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability and workmen's compensation.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Parker, Senate File No. 542, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-e (932-e), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired firemen.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Allen filed the following amendments to Senate File No. 216:

Amend Senate File No. 216 by striking out all after the enacting clause and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the comma following the word 'whatever' in line seven of said section the following, 'including all patent and proprietary or other compounded medicines or other liquid compounds or mixtures containing alcohol, ale, wine, beer, or any other spirituous, vinous or malt liquor which has not been compounded with other ingredients in such manner and to such extent as to destroy its distinctive character as an intoxicating liquor and to render its use as a beverage impossible.'"

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 446, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred seventy-eight (578) of the code, relative to the posting of the statement of receipts and expenditures by the township clerk.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 385, a bill for an act to legalize the conveyance of certain real estate made to Right Rev. John Hennessy, Bishop of Diocese of Dubuque.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 459, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a 11 (2727-a 11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or the secretary thereof, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit, and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

SUBSTITUTE FOR RESOLUTION FOR SIFTING COMMITTEE.

Senator Wilson offered the following resolution and asked that it be substituted for the resolution offered by him on March 15th, and found on page 795 of Journal:

Be It Resolved, That the President of the Senate shall immediately before adjournment, Wednesday, March 31, 1915, appoint a sifting committee of seven (7) members, to which shall be reported all bills other than appropriation bills, and that beginning Thursday morning, April 1st, no bills shall be considered except appropriation bills and bills then upon the Senate Calendar, unless reported by said sifting committee, and no bills shall be reported or considered by the Senate that have been reported for indefinite postponement.

By unanimous consent same was substituted for the original resolution and ordered printed in the Journal and passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 459, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a 11 (2727-a 11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or the secretary thereof, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

House File No. 446, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred seventy-eight (578), of the code, relative to the posting of the statement of receipts and expenditures by the township clerk.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 385, a bill for an act to legalize the conveyance of certain real estate made to Right Rev. John Hennessy, Bishop of Diocese of Dubuque.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 419, a bill for an act to authorize the river front improvement commission to permit the erection of a soldier's monument or memorial hall upon any ground held in trust by such commission, under the provisions of chapter 9-a, title V of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of the board of supervisors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 360, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 268, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on banks and banking.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Whitmore, from the committee on military affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 376, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f 10, 2215-f 15, 2215-f 17, and to repeal section 2215-f 43 and enact a substitute therefor, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and military code of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, the report of the committee was adopted.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 376.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Amend Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Fourteen (2215-f 14), Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Fifteen (2215-f 15) and Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Seventeen (2215-f 17), Supplement to the Code, 1913; To Repeal Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Forty-three (2215-f 43), Supplement to the Code, 1913, and Enact a Substitute Therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f 14), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "office" and before the word "until" in the sixth line thereof, the words and figures: "for a period of four (4) years, which said first four (4) year period shall begin July 4, 1915, and";

SECTION 2. That Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Fifteen (2215-f 15), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "and hold his office at the pleasure of the governor" as they appear in lines five and six thereof.

SECTION 3. That Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-f Seventeen (2217-f 17), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "expire" in line seven (7), and by striking out all of lines eight (8) and nine (9), and by striking out the words "appointed and commissioned" in line ten (10) thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the words " be for a period of eight years".

SECTION 4. That Section Twenty-two Hundred Fifteen-~~r~~ Forty-three (2215-f 43), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The term of service and rank of officers, other than the adjutant-general, and the grades of enlisted men in the guard at the time of taking effect of this act, shall not be affected thereby, unless especially mentioned therein, but all officers and enlisted men shall be held to service for the full period of the commission or enlistment under which he is then serving; provided, however, that the governor may change the rank of such officers, or may terminate the enlistments of such enlisted men in the guard, or may transfer any such officers or such enlisted men to any organizations of the guard when necessary to conform to the regulations of the War Department governing the organized militia of the United States; and provided that the provisions of this act shall not be construed to affect any contracts made by the guard or by any of its organizations."

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 375, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f 24, 2215-f 25 and 2215-f 27, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out the words "two hundred" in next to the last line in Section 2, so that portion of the bill will read as follows: "to each battery of field or horse artillery not to exceed the sum of two thousand dollars;"

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 460, a bill for an act to authorize soldiers' relief commissions to procure and furnish metal markers for the graves of soldiers, sailors or marines, and to pay for the same out of the soldiers' relief funds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Parker, from the committee on corporations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on corporations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 107, a bill for an act to amend section 132-s of the

code, relating to the assessment for taxation of shares of corporation stock and to prevent duplicate assessment of corporation property, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

ADDISON M. PARKER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 527, a bill for an act to punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate of interest than two per cent per month and to provide a penalty therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out the words and figures "one hundred dollars" in the sixth from the last line of Section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twenty-five (\$25.00)" dollars.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 442, a bill for an act to legalize the organization of the Consolidated Independent School District of Wright, Mahaska county, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 503, a bill for an act to amend section 3558 of the code relating to copies of pleadings, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 413, a bill for an act relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 207, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a fifty (2727-a 50), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to purchase of supplies by board of control.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 207, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a fifty (2727-a 50), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to purchase of supplies by board of control.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

On motion of Senator Kimball, and by unanimous consent, Senate File No. 168 was withdrawn from committee No. 2 on judiciary and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 419, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419) of the code and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement.

On the adoption of the report of the committee a roll call was demanded.

Senator Whitmore invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—18.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore—25.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Crist, Fleck, Hagemann, Laffer, Sheean, White of Benton—7.

So the report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section one of the bill by striking from line 4 thereof the words "reason to suspect, or is credibly informed," and substitute therefor the following: "reasonable ground for believing".

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the word "officer" at the end of the 13th line of the original bill (being line 9 of the printed bill) the following:

"in some safe place for a reasonable length of time, which shall not exceed forty-eight hours, within which the said officer shall, upon verified information showing probable cause filed with the clerk or judge of the district court, obtain a warrant for the seizure of such liquors and vehicle, and he"

Adopted.

Senator Frailey offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting in line 12 of the original bill (being line 10 of the printed bill) between the words "purposes" and "is" the following: "and for other than the lawful, personal use of the occupants of such vehicle."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out of lines 28, 29, 30 and 31 of the printed bill (being lines 40, 41, 42, 43 and 44 of the original bill) that part of same reading: "and out of the proceeds there shall be allowed by the court, not exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25.) to the informer, which shall be in lieu of any other fees therein; and not exceeding twenty-five dollars

(\$25.) as compensation to the attorney, if any, prosecuting said cause, the remainder of"

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the word "doings" in line ten of the printed bill (being line 15 of the original bill) the words: "endorsed upon said warrant".

Adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 419 by adding to said bill as section 2 the following:

"Sec. 2419-d. Any officer who discovers liquor that is being transported in any conveyance described in this act for the purpose of illegal sale and who fails or neglects to arrest the person operating the conveyance and receives or accepts any money or other thing of value from such person by reason of his failure or neglect to make the arrest, or who arrests or causes to be arrested any person under the provisions of this act and accepts from such person any money or other thing of value in consideration of the release of such person from the arrest, or any officer or person conspiring with any other officer or person to make an arrest, search or seizure as provided in this act for the purpose of obtaining money or other thing of value from the person who is arrested or whose conveyance is searched or liquor seized, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punished accordingly."

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment as a substitute for the amendment offered by Senator Heald and moved its adoption:

"Any constable or other officer who shall search any vehicle described in this act without probable cause for believing that such vehicle is being unlawfully used shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

Amendment withdrawn.

The amendment offered by Senator Heald was adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by adding as section 3 the following:

"Sec. 3. Any constable or other officer who shall search any vehicle described in this act without probable cause for believing that such vehicle is being unlawfully used shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—18.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Jones, Larabee, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Voorhees, Whitmore—24.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Crist, Gillette, Hagemann, Laffer, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton—8.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Thompson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by inserting after the word "sleigh" in line seven (7) of the printed bill the words "aeroplane, hydro-aeroplane, or sub-marine".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend section one by inserting before the word "officer" in the first line thereof the word "peace".

Adopted.

Senator Gillette offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by adding to section 2419-a of section 1 of the bill the following:

"The owner of any vehicle seized under the provisions of this act, or any person holding lien upon such vehicle at the time of its seizure, may, at any time after seizure and before the final determination of the cause, file his bond in sum to be fixed and sureties to be approved by the court where the proceeding is had, conditioned on his paying the value of the vehicle, if ordered sold, including fines or forfeitures, finally adjudged and abiding the orders of the court under such proceedings, and upon the filing of such bond, the vehicle shall be released to the person filing same. But in no case shall the filing of a bond, as herein provided, operate to release any liquor seized under the provisions hereof."

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to the amendment the following:

"In the event of an order of confiscation of the vehicle, if same is not sold thereunder but has been released under the bond, summary judgment may in said proceedings be rendered against the principal and sureties on said bond."

Adopted.

The amendment offered by Senator Gillette as amended was then adopted.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding as section 3 the following:

"Any officer who shall willfully and without probable cause or for personal gain only make seizure under this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and be punished by fine not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00)."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment:

Substitute the word "probable" for the word "reasonable" in line 4.

Adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m.

Motion lost.

Senator Francis offered the following motion:

"I move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the amendment offered by Senator Thompson."

Carried.

Senator Heald raised the point of order that the amendment by Senator Thompson was out of order.

President said he would allow the Senate to determine as to whether or not the point of order was well taken.

The motion to again adopt the amendment offered by Senator Thompson was lost.

Senator Boe moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m.

Motion lost.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending measure by inserting after the word "shall" in line 8 of section one of said measure, the following: "exhibit to the person in charge of such vehicle a certificate showing his official position".

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the amendment by adding the following: "which certificate shall be issued by the clerk of the district court under seal of said court, upon request of the officer,"

Adopted.

The amendments offered by Senator Crist, as amended, was adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Iowa—13.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Laffer, Sheean, White of Benton—4.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Boe moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 2 p. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 2 o'clock p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 202, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in section eight hundred forty-g (840-g), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 593, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-six (1989-a-6), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the elimination of the second of the three (3) surveys required by law in the construction of drainage districts.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 441, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred and thirty-c (1330-c) code supplement, 1913, relating to the assessment and taxation of telegraph and telephone lines.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 372, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections nine hundred and seventy-two (972), and nine hundred and seventy-four (974) of the code, relating to street improvements and sewers, applicable to cities acting under special charters.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 371, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirteen (2713), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the support for the industrial school for boys at Eldora.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred ninety-two-g (792-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of property not abutting, for street improvements.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the erection of soldiers' monuments and memorial halls as the same appears in section four hundred thirty (430) supplement to the code, 1913, and section four hundred thirty-five (435) of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 181, a bill for an act to amend section three (3) chapter fifty-four (54) acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, relating to the government of certain cities.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 175, a bill for an act for the relief of the blind.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 95, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section two hundred fifty-four-a-18 (254-a-18), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, duties and compensation of probation officers and enact in lieu thereof the following.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

By unanimous consent Senator Whitmore withdrew from further consideration by the Senate, Senate File No. 294.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 2, Senate File No. 421, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the prohibitory liquor law, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the word "and" at the end of line four (4) of section one and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) and by inserting after the word "tried" in the fifth line thereof the words "and convicted".

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Greene, Henigbaum—2.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Frailey, Hagemann, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 3, Senate File No. 422, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violation of the prohibitory liquor law, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were :

Greene, Henigbaum—2.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Laffer, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, Senator Whitmore withdrew from further consideration by the Senate, Senate File No. 9.

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On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 4, Senate File No. 423, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

Greene—1.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Darrah, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigmaum, Laffer, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 5, Senate File No. 427, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mullet tax, statement by citizens, and enacting a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AmenC the bill by adding thereto the following:

SECTION 3. Provided, however, nothing in Sections 2433 and 2435 shall be construed to apply to an owner of premises who has no actual notice or knowledge that the premises are being or have been used illegally for selling or keeping for sale intoxicating liquors.

Amendment lost.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by inserting before the word "said" in line 12 of the printed bill, the following:

Any one of the said three citizens may serve such notice and make return thereof under affidavit, filed with the auditor.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

Greene, Kimball, Quigley, Schrup, White of Iowa—5.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Laffer, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate File No. 207.

Journal of March 20th was taken up, corrected and approved.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Special Order No. 6, Senate File No. 420, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passengers, vehicles, etc., with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

Senator Hagemann moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

Senator Hagemann moved the previous question.

Motion lost.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Whitmore invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, White of Iowa, Wilson—16.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—24.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Heald, Kimball, Laffer, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—10.

So the Senate refused to adopt the report of the committee.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the comma following the word "otherwise", in line 2 of the printed bill, the words "for unlawful purposes."

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 420 by striking out the words "in quantity greater than one pint of spirituous or one quart of vinous or malt liquor", following the word "liquor" in the second line thereof.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting before the words "Any person" the following: "Section 1."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Greene, Quigley—3.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Darrah, Farr, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton—8.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the title to Senate File No. 420 and moved its adoption:

Change the words "passengers, vehicles, etc.," to read "passenger vehicles".

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title, as amended, was agreed to.

Senator Hagemann moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 420 passed the Senate be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Carried.

By unanimous consent, Senator Whitmore withdrew from further consideration by the Senate, Senate File No. 88.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 543, a bill for an act to amend section five thousand five (5005) of the code, relating to the sale of tobacco to minors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 544, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to normal institutes as same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-eight (2738), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 545, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred and eighty-nine-a-2 (1989-a2), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the establishment of drainage districts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 546, a bill for an act to establish a psychopathic hospital by the board of control in connection with the State University at Iowa City, and making provisions for its erection and maintenance. (Additional to chapter eleven-B (11-B) of title thirteen (XIII) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to board of control.)

Senator Savage raised the point of order and called the attention of the Senate to Rule 20 (d), which provides that no bill carrying an appropriation may be introduced after March first, except by the committee on appropriations.

The point of order was sustained.

Senator Chase called up for consideration the motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 333 was indefinitely postponed and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

Motion carried, and bill ordered placed on the Calendar.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 207, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-fifty (2727-a-50), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to purchase of supplies by Board of Control.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Thomas, chairman pro tem, from the committee on public libraries, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public libraries, to whom was referred Senate File No. 385, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 728 of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number thereof from nine (9) to six (6), beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert the following in lieu thereof:

That section seven hundred twenty-eight (728), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out in lines three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12) the following words, "nine members, to be appointed by the mayor, by and with the approval of the council. Of said trustees first appointed, one-third shall hold office for two, one-third for four and one-third for six years, from the first day of July following their appointment; and, at their first meeting, shall cast lots for their respective terms, reporting the result of such lot to the council. Biennially thereafter, before the first day of July, the mayor shall appoint, by and with the approval of the council, three trustees to succeed the trustees retiring on the following first day of July, each of whom shall hold office for six years from such first day of July, and until his successor is appointed and qualified. Vacancies occurring" and substituting the following words in lieu therefor, "five, seven or nine members to be appointed by the mayor by and with the approval of the city council which shall also establish by ordinance the number to be appointed. Of said trustees so appointed on boards to consist of nine members, three shall hold office for two years, three for four years, and three for six years; on boards to consist of seven members, two shall hold office for two years, two for four years and three for six years each; and on boards to consist of five members, one shall hold office for two years, two for four years and two for six years each, from the first day of July following their appointment in each case, and at their first meeting they shall cast lots for their respective terms, reporting the result of such lot to the council. All subsequent appointments, whatever the size of the board, shall be for terms of six years each, except to fill vacancies. Such vacancies."

Ordered passed on file.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman Pro Tem.

On request of Senator Jackson leave of absence was granted Senator White of Benton for the day.

Senator Enger moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 23, 1915

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Father E. T. McNally of Sibley, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Buena Vista county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee on judiciary No. 1.

Senator Thompson presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee on judiciary No. 1.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Fayette county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee on judiciary No. 1.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of Royal Neighbors of America, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee on judiciary No. 1.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Monona county, urging passage of House File No. 282, relative to the highway law.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Voorhees presented a remonstrance of citizens of Cass county, against passage of House File No. 47, relative to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Humeston, Iowa, favoring passage of Senate File 358, relative to change in the present exemption laws.

Referred to committee on judiciary No. 1.

Senator Lindly presented a remonstrance of citizens of Henry county, against passage of Senate File No. 446, relating to the practice of dentistry.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Clarkson presented a petition of citizens of Marion county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Crawford county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Helmer presented petitions of citizens of Greene, Carroll and Sac counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Gillette presented a remonstrance of citizens of Galva, Iowa, opposing increase in freight and passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Plymouth county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of citizens of Louisa and Muscatine counties, favoring passage of the bill raising of the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Taylor county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Fairfield, Iowa, favoring passage of Senate File No. 358, changing the present exemption laws.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of Fairfield Retail Merchants' Association and Fairfield Commercial Club, favoring increase in passenger rates, if found reasonable.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Taylor presented a remonstrance of citizens of Van Buren county, against the bill making a closed season on quail, prairie chicken, etc.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Jefferson county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Hampton, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Davis county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Foster presented petitions of citizens of Redfield, Dexter and Van Meter, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 600, a bill for an act to amend chapter 2-a, title X, supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto the following provisions for transferring the care of certain drainage ditches to local boards of trustees, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout,

Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Fleck, Larrabee—2.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Darrah, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Henigbaum, Jones, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor stating that he had this day approved Senate File No. 207.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Heald, House File No. 327, a bill for an act providing for the relocation of railroad tracks upon streets of certain cities so as to permit of the construction and operation of interurban railways on said streets, and for the use by interurban railways of said railroad tracks on said streets if the same are not relocated, and the making of alterations in railroad tracks and the construction and maintenance of the connecting tracks, overhead trolley or other equipment of said interurban railways and for the payment of compensation for such relocation, use and other privileges, and giving to the board of railroad commissioners power to determine such alterations, relocation, use and other privileges and the terms and conditions thereof, and the amount to be paid therefor, and providing for appeals from the orders of said board of railroad commissioners, was taken up and considered.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill, House File No. 327, by adding the following as section 5:

SECTION 5. The Railway Commission is hereby authorized, directed and empowered to inspect any and all wires and appliances authorized by this act and to condemn and order removed, or placed in safe condition, all wires and appliances erected or maintained in violation of the terms and conditions hereof.

No wire or cable used to conduct electricity for light and power shall be erected or maintained on any pole or appliance attached to such pole, within a less distance than thirteen inches from the center line of such pole; nor shall any wire or cable be erected or maintained in the vicinity of any pole, and unattached thereto, within the distance of thirteen (13) inches from the center line of such pole.

Nor shall any wire or cable carrying less than six hundred (600) volts of electricity be erected or maintained within a distance of forty (40) inches from any wire or cable which carries at any time more than six hundred (600) volts of electricity.

Nor shall any wire or cable which carries at any time more than six hundred (600) volts of electricity, be erected or maintained within a distance of forty (40) inches from any wire or cable carrying less than six hundred (600) volts of electricity.

Nor shall any wire be erected or maintained running parallel, crossing or attached to the same pole at a less distance than seven (7) feet from any wire carrying thirteen thousand (13,000) volts or more.

No wire or cable carrying more than thirteen thousand (13,000) volts of electricity shall be erected or maintained across or above any wire or cable carrying less than thirteen thousand (13,000) volts, at point of crossing without at all times maintaining approved methods of construction to prevent falling and coming in contact with wires of lesser voltage.

No "guy" wire or "guy" cable attached to any pole or appliance to which is attached any wire or cable used to conduct electricity for light and power shall be erected or maintained without causing such "guy" wire or "guy" cable to be kept effectively insulated by approved insulators placed in such wire or cable not less than nine (9) feet, nor more than eleven (11) feet, from each end thereof, provided, however, that the lower insulator shall not be less than eight (8) feet, perpendicularly from the ground.

No wire or cable shall be erected or maintained vertically on any wooden pole, without causing such wire or cable to be at all times encased in a casing of wooden material not less than three-quarters of an inch in thickness, or of other insulating material approved by the Railway Commission; provided, however, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to any vertical wire which is more than thirteen (13) inches from center line of pole.

Trolley span wires shall be insulated by not less than two approved insulators between such trolley wire and the pole or other support, such insulators shall be placed not less than two or more than four (4) feet from point of attachment to wire or pole.

No pole or other structure used for the support of wires shall be erected or maintained at a less distance than six (6) feet from the nearest rail of any steam, electric or other railway track over which freight cars may be operated.

All poles must be distinctly and permanently marked with owners name, at a point not less than five (5) nor more than seven (7) feet above the ground. All wooden poles of any lead must be as nearly

as practicable uniformly spaced, or uniform height, and not less than forty (40) poles to the mile.

Wires or cables carrying electric current for light and power must not be erected or maintained on any bracket or knob attached directly to any pole or cross arm.

No trolley wire authorized by this act shall be erected or maintained at a less distance than twenty-two (22) feet above any track.

All devices and materials, insulators, and other methods of insulation or wires shall conform to specifications approved by the Railway Commission. No wire shall be stretched within four (4) feet of any building without being attached to and insulated therefrom. No wires shall hang within a less distance than twenty-two (22) feet of the ground at the lowest point of sag. In case of leads crossing each other, each lead must pass above or below the other, and under no circumstances shall any wire or one lead run through the other lead.

Primary or high potential wire must be provided with approved line cut-outs on all branches, and at all transformers; and mains shall be divided into sections by approved cut-outs located as directed by the Railway Commission. All wires and cut-outs on same cross arm must be at least fourteen (14) inches apart, except pole wires which must be twenty-six (26) inches apart.

In any case where it is found impracticable to comply with the foregoing requirements or when to the satisfaction of the Railway Commission it is found that in the advancement of the art or trade, improved methods, appliances, fixtures and requirements will the better conserve persons and property, including the operation of such property, the Railroad Commission is hereby empowered, upon application made in writing, to allow such reasonable deviation therefrom as may be deemed reasonably safe and necessary.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation including a municipal corporation to place, construct, keep or maintain any fixture, appliance or other thing contrary to the terms and provisions of this act, and the Railway Commission is hereby empowered to enforce the provisions of this act with reference to such matters.

The Railway Commission is hereby authorized and empowered to make such rules and regulations and fix standards of and for appliances and fixtures as may be deemed reasonably necessary from time to time for the purpose of protecting persons and property; and such order made by the commission shall be deemed reasonable and necessary and the burden of proof shall rest upon any complainant to prove the contrary.

The Railway Commission shall give reasonable notice of any order or requirement within the contemplation of this act, and cause the same to be enforced by an action in equity.

The terms, conditions and provisions of Section 5, of this act shall not apply to such inter-urban railway construction and conditions contemplated by section one of this act.

Amend by striking out the words and figures "Section five (5)," at the beginning of the publication clause, and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figure "Section six (6)".

Adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by renumbering the publication clause by striking out the word and numeral "Section 5" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and numeral "Section 6".

Adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Henigbaum, Jones, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Shean, White of Benton, Wilson—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 157, a bill for an act authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter (1-4) of the southwest quarter (1-4) of section sixteen (16), township seventy-three (73) north, range eighteen (18), west of the fifth P. M., Monroe county, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities (other than special charter cities) having a population of two thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 345, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred and eight (308), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county attorneys.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 604, a bill for an act to legalize the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Hartford, Warren county, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 605, a bill for an act to legalize a certain school election held February 6, 1915, for the organization of the consolidated independent district of Beech, in Warren county, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 429, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Special Order No. 10, Senate File No. 357, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-seven (297), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Hagemann moved that further consideration be deferred and that Senate File No. 357 be made a special order for Wednesday, March 24th, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Carried.

By unanimous consent, Senator Heald withdrew Senate File No. 206 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Special Order No. 11, Senate File No. 341, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the following amendments:

That after the word "compensation" in line five of section 1, and before the word "in" in line six of section 1, insert the words "In counties having a population of less than ten thousand (10,000) fourteen hundred dollars", also in line six of section 1, after the word "of" and before the word "less", insert the words "ten thousand (10,000) and"

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to section one (1) the following:

Provided, however, that in counties having a population of over twenty-five thousand (25,000) having a special charter city where the taxes are collected by the County Treasurer, three hundred dollars (\$300) in addition to the compensation as fixed by the above schedule in this act; and in counties where the District Court is held at two different places the County Treasurer shall receive five hundred dollars (\$500) in addition to the compensation as fixed by the above schedule in this act.

Adopted.

Senator Gillette offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 341 by adding to Sec. 2 thereof the following words:

"Three-fourths of one per cent of all money collected by the county treasurer as taxes due any city or town shall be deducted by him from the amount so collected and paid into the county treasury.

Amendment lost.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. one (1) by lowering the amount of the salary fixed in each classification one hundred dollars in each and every class specified therein.

Amendment withdrawn.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

Amend Section One (1) of the printed bill as follows:

By striking out the words "fifteen hundréd" in line four and substituting in lieu thereof the words "fourteen hundred".

By striking out the words "sixteen hundred" in lines five and six and substituting in lieu thereof the words "fifteen hundred".

By striking out the words "seventeen hundred" in line seven and substituting the words "sixteen hundred".

By striking out the words "eighteen hundred" in line eight and substituting the words "seventeen hundred".

By striking out the words "nineteen hundred" in line nine and substituting in lieu thereof the words "eighteen hundred".

By striking out the words "twenty-one hundred" in lines ten and eleven and substituting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-hundred".

By striking out the words "twenty-five hundred" in lines eleven and twelve and substituting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-four hundred".

On the adoption of these amendments, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Francis, Lindly, Thomas—7.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Farr, Foskett, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—15.

The amendments were lost.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—33.

The nays were :

Allen, Chase, Doran, Francis, Hilsinger, Lindly, Whitmore—7.

Absent or not voting :

Clarkson, Foskett, Henigbaum, Jones, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Sheean, White of Benton, Wilson—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On request of Senator Caswell leave of absence was granted Senator Foskett for the day.

Senator Crist moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 o'clock p. m. President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 546, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a-ten (1087-a-10), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filing of nomination pa-

pers, affidavits, and statements by candidates for office at primary elections.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 547, a bill for an act to amend an act passed by the thirty-sixth general assembly and approved on the twelfth day of February, 1915, and entitled "A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, county of Cherokee, and state of Iowa."

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on Judiciary.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 548, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), of the code, and section twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the protection of certain game, and fixing certain seasons, methods and restrictions relating to hunting and killing game, and enacting a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on Fish and Game.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 549, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred forty-three (3543) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to indexing the names of parties named in petitions affecting real estate.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on Judiciary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 30, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred fifty-nine (4759) of the code relating to the crime of abortion.

Also:

Senate File No. 209, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgages executed by attorney in fact.

Also :

Senate File No. 101, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated independent school districts as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 30, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred fifty-nine (4759) of the code relating to the crime of abortion.

Also :

Senate File No. 209, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgages executed by attorney in fact.

Also :

Senate File No. 101, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated independent school districts as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that, as president of the Senate, he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 30, 101 and 209.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 280, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty-one (881), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, including cities under special charter and cities acting under commission form of government, necessary to control streams and surface water flowing into sewers, for sewer outlets, garbage, disposal plant, sewage disposal plant and dump grounds, beg

leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 171, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the construction of street improvements, sewers, etc., as the same appears in section eight hundred twelve (812) of the code, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 408, a bill for an act providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, this act being additional to title 5 of the code and amendments thereto, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on board of control, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 514, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-44 (2727-a-44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By inserting after the comma following the word "necessary" in the sixth line (6) thereof the words "not to exceed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) during any one month," and also by substituting the word "paying" for the word "advancing" in the tenth line thereof.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 351, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-1 (2727-a-1), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the salary of members of the board of control, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Robinson, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred Senate File No. 410, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-11 (2727-a-11), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or its secretary, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visits, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Darrah, from the committee on elections, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred Senate File No. 334, a bill for an act to provide for the terms and conditions under which claims of registers of voters may be audited and paid, to provide for inspection of the registration list of voters and to provide the punishment of attempts to prevent such inspection, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Enger, from the committee on commerce and trade, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on commerce and trade, to whom was referred Senate File No. 358, a bill for an act to amend section 4011 relating to the exemption of personal earnings and to prevent garnishment of wages and regulating the same and providing a forfeiture for garnishment of wages without notice and while the debtor is paying any other judgment, and providing a method of procedure without costs in wage exemption cases, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

Senator Kimball moved that this bill be placed on the calendar.

Motion lost.

On motion of Senator Enger, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Journal of March 22nd was taken up, corrected and approved.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Taylor, special order No. 12, Senate File No. 340, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor, and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school fund loans, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

That after the word "compensation" in line five of section 1, and before the word "in" in line five of section 1, insert the words "In counties having a population of less than ten thousand, (10,000) fourteen hundred dollars", also in line six of section 1, after the word "of" and before the word "less" insert the words "ten thousand (10,000) and".

Adopted.

Senator Taylor offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Strike out the word "monthly" in the sixth line of section two of the original bill and insert in lieu thereof the word "quarterly".

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to section one (1) the following:

Provided, however, that in counties having a population of over twenty-five thousand (25,000) having a special charter city where the county auditor prepares and makes up the city tax books for such special charter city, the county auditor shall receive three hundred dollars (\$300.00) in addition to the compensation as fixed by the above schedule in this act. And in counties having two places at which the district court is held, in addition to the amount, according to population, five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boc, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore—30.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Frailey, Francis, Hilsinger, Lindly, Wilson—7.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Jones, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Special Order No. 13, Senate File No. 220, a bill for an act to repeal sections five hundred ten-a (510-a) and five hundred ten-b (510-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend paragraph twelve (12), section five hundred eleven (511), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation and mileage charged by sheriffs, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thompson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By striking out all after the word "follows" in line five (5) of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That Section Five Hundred Ten-a (510-a), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The County Sheriff shall receive an annual salary as follows:

1. In counties having a population of less than ten thousand (10,000), Thirteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,300.00).
2. In counties having a population of ten thousand (10,000) and less than fifteen thousand (15,000), Fourteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,400.00).

3. In counties having a population of fifteen thousand (15,000) and less than twenty thousand (20,000), Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00).

4. In counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) and less than twenty-five thousand (25,000), Sixteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,600.00).

5. In counties having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) and less than thirty thousand (30,000,) Seventeen Hundred Dollars (\$1,700.00).

6. In counties having a population of thirty thousand (30,000) and less than thirty-five thousand (35,000), Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00).

7. In counties having a population of thirty-five thousand (35,000) and less than forty thousand (40,000), Nineteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,900.00).

8. In counties having a population of forty thousand (40,000) and less than fifty thousand (50,000), Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00).

9. In counties having a population of fifty thousand (50,000) and less than sixty-thousand (60,000), Twenty-two Hundred Dollars (\$2,200.00).

10. In counties having a population of sixty thousand (60,000), and less than seventy thousand (70,000), Twenty-four Hundred Dollars (\$2,400.00).

11. In counties having a population of seventy thousand (70,000) and over, Twenty-six Hundred Dollars (\$2,600.00)."

SECTION 2. That Section five hundred ten-b (510-b), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"In all counties the sheriff shall in writing appoint one or more persons, not holding a county office, as deputy or deputies, for whose acts he shall be responsible and from whom he shall require a bond, which appointment and bond shall be approved by the officer having the approval of the principal's bond; and such appointment may be revoked in writing, which appointment and revocation shall be filed and kept in the auditor's office. In all cases the board of supervisors shall fix the number of deputies and shall fix the salary of such deputies. All deputies shall be paid by the county."

SECTION 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, and Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the same beginning with "by striking out" and down to and including all of section 1 of said amendment and by substituting therefor the following: "by striking out of section 1 all after the enacting clause, beginning with the words 'section 1' down to paragraph 6 of section 1 and substituting therefor the following:"

That Section five hundred ten-a (510-a), supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The County Sheriff shall receive an annual salary as follows:

1. In counties having a population of less than ten thousand (10,000), Thirteen Hundred Dollars (\$1300.00).
2. In counties having a population of ten thousand (10,000) and less than fifteen thousand (15,000), Fourteen Hundred Dollars (\$1400.00).
3. In counties having a population of fifteen thousand (15,000) and less than twenty thousand (20,000), Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1500.00).
4. In counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) and less than twenty-five thousand (25,000), Sixteen Hundred Dollars (\$1600.00).
5. In counties having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) and less than thirty thousand (30,000), Seventeen Hundred Dollars (\$1700.00).
6. In counties having a population of thirty thousand (30,000) and less than thirty-five thousand (35,000), Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1800.00).
7. In counties having a population of thirty-five thousand (35,000) and less than forty thousand (40,000), Nineteen Hundred Dollars (\$1900.00).

Also by renumbering the remaining paragraphs of section one in accord herewith.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 220 by inserting preceding Section 2 of the substitute bill as it appears at pages 851-852 of the Senate Journal, the following:

"SECTION 2. The sheriff shall accept the salary herein provided in full compensation for all services performed by him under color of his office, except as to boarding prisoners and mileage. All fees of every kind and nature which he receives for services performed in his official capacity or on matters pertaining to the records in his office shall belong to the county and shall be paid into the county treasury monthly."

Also amend by changing the numbering of the sections following to read as 3 and 4.

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section one as amended by striking therefrom paragraph one and amending paragraph two by striking therefrom the words "ten thousand (10,000) and less than" and by inserting after the figures "(15,000)" the words "or less" and by renumbering paragraphs of said section.

Senator Arney offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend paragraph 6 of section 1 by changing amount of eighteen hundred dollars to fifteen hundred dollars.

Adopted.

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the amendment by adding as Sec. 4 of the original bill as follows:

That paragraph twelve (12) of section 511, supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by striking from said paragraph the words "five cents" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten cents".

That Sec. 4, publication clause, be renumbered Sec. 5.

Amendment lost.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding as paragraph eleven (11) of section one (1) the following: "in counties in which the district court is held in two places in addition to the amount according to population three hundred dollars."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by striking out section four (4), being the publication clause.

Adopted.

Senator Foster raised the point of order that Senators Taylor and Arney were discussing an amendment that has already been adopted.

Point of order sustained.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Thompson moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 220 passed to its third reading be reconsidered.

Carried.

Senator Thompson moved that Senate File No. 220 be referred to the committee on county and township affairs.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 16, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the Independent School District of Adel, County of Dallas and State of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 420, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, and cities acting under special charter, to permit the erection of soldiers' monuments or memorial halls erected under the provisions of section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, or section four hundred and thirty-five (435) of the code, to be located in the parks or public grounds of the city or town.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000) to indemnify George D. Shaw for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital for the insane at Clarinda, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 136, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section thirteen hundred four (1304), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of property from taxation.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 327 in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 184, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 145, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Special Order No. 14, Senate File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by inserting after the words "first deputy" and before the word "shall" last appearing in Section 1 the following: "And in counties in which the district court is held in two places the salaries of the first and second deputies."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding "not exceeding that paid the first deputy".

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigmaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—25.

The nays were :

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Hilsinger, Lindly, Savage, Voorhees, Wilson—14.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Clarkson, Foskett, Grout, Jones, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Shean, Thomas, White of Benton—11.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 342 failed to pass the Senate.

J. M. WILSON.

Senator Robinson filed the following motion :

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 341 passed the Senate.

T. J. B. ROBINSON.

On request of Gillette leave of absence was granted Senators Jones, Foskett and White of Benton for the day.

Senator Arney moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 24, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. E. P. Williams, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Denison, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Woodbury county, favoring passage of Senate File No. 309, providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Woodbury county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Schrup presented a petition of citizens of Dubuque and Cascade, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of West Union, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Savage presented petitions of citizens of Adair and Madison counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Thomas presented petitions of citizens of Union, Ringgold and Decatur counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Henigbaum presented a remonstrance of citizens of Davenport, Iowa, against the passage of Senate File No. 446 and House File No. 496, regarding the practice of dentistry.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition of citizens of Scott county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator White of Iowa presented petitions of citizens of Ladora and Lone Tree, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Ream presented a petition of citizens of Oskaloosa, Iowa, against the passage of Senate File No. 446 and House File No. 496, relating to the practice of dentistry.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Lindly presented petitions of citizens of Mount Pleasant, and Salem, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Enger presented a petition of citizens of Cresco, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, urging passage of House File No. 369 relative to poultry.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Nye presented a remonstrance of citizens of Gravity, Iowa, against passage of House File No. 163 relative to placing the control of telephone companies under the railroad commission.

Referred to committee on telegraphs and telephones.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Anita, Iowa, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Allen presented petition of citizens of Buena Vista county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of consent".

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Cerro Gordo county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Butler county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Butler, Bremer and Black Hawk counties, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Chicksaw county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Boone county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Carroll county, urging passage of House File No. 369 relative to poultry.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Van Buren county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Appanoose county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Wright, Hardin and Hamilton counties, favoring passage of a bill raising the "Age of Consent."

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Wright county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on printing.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Wright county, urging passage of Senate File No. 309 to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Webster City, Iowa, favoring passage of the Allen-Ring Child Labor Bill.

Referred to committee on labor.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the Governor for his approval, Senate File No. 30, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred fifty-nine (4759) of the code relating to the crime of abortion.

Senate File No. 209, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgages executed by attorney in fact.

Senate File No. 101, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated independent school districts as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) supplement to the code, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 550, a bill for an act to repeal section seven hundred forty-nine (749) of the code of 1897, and to enact a substitute therefor providing for the fixing of water rates by the water works trustees and the city council.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 551, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred and eighty-b (480-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the report of financial statistics by county auditors to the auditor of state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 552, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred-a (100-a) and one hundred-d (100-d), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state examiners for counties.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Taylor, Senator File No. 553, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred and forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expense of county superintendent.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 554, a bill for an act to repeal section forty-six hundred twenty-three (4623), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relative to the introduction of books of account, account tickets, cards of account, account slips, loose leaf accounts and any other method of keeping accounts in evidence.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 555, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r1 (1400-r1), and section fourteen hundred-r2 (1400-r2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the

Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and State Colony for Epileptics.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee on appropriations, Senate Joint Resolution No. 19.

JOINT RESOLUTION For an Act Providing for the Transfer to the General Revenue Fund of the State of Certain Unexpended Balances of Funds Appropriated by Section 2, Chapter 136, Acts of the 22nd General Assembly; Section 1, Chapter 153, Acts of the 26th General Assembly; Section 1, Chapter 196, Acts of the 29th General Assembly; Chapter 189, Acts of the 30th General Assembly; Section 4, Chapter 177, Acts of the 31st General Assembly; Section 45, Chapter 177, Acts of the 31st General Assembly; Section 2, Chapter 193, Acts of the 31st General Assembly; Chapter 202, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly; Sections 1 and 2, Chapter 203, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly; Section 2, Chapter 226, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly; Section 2, Chapter 241, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly; Section 35, Chapter 241, Acts of the 33rd General Assembly; Chapter 258, Acts of the 33rd General Assembly; Section 41, Chapter 192, Acts of the 34th General Assembly; Chapter 208, Acts of the 34th General Assembly; Paragraph 25, Section 3, Chapter 321, Acts of the 35th General Assembly.

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of five thousand dollars (\$5000.00) created for the purpose of providing a foundation for the Soldiers' and Sailors' monument, appropriated by Section 2, Chapter 136, Acts of the 22nd General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00) created for the purpose of refunding money paid by any member of the Second and Third Iowa Infantry Regiments for what was known as the "gray" uniform, appropriated by Section 1, Chapter 153, Acts of the 26th General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00) for the erection of monuments in the Vicksburg National Military Park, appropriated by Section 1, Chapter 196, Acts of the 29th General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund created out of proceeds received from the sale of state property known as "state square", appropriated by Chapter 189, Acts of the 30th General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of five thousand dollars (\$5000.00) for decorating offices appropriated by Section 4, Chapter 177, Acts of the 31st General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3500.00), created for the purpose of purchasing real estate facing the capitol building, appropriated by Section 45, Chapter 177, Acts of the 31st General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of five thousand dollars (\$5000.00), created for the purpose of placing a statue in bronze of Samuel J. Kirkwood in the National Statuary Hall, appropriated by Section 2, Chapter 193, Acts of the 31st General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) for the improvement of Capitol grounds, appropriated by Chapter 202, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) to equip the power and storage house with new boilers, appropriated by Section 1, Chapter 203, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) to erect a storage building, created by Section 2, Chapter 203, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of five thousand dollars (\$5000.00), created for the purpose of placing the statue of James Harlan in the National Statuary Hall, appropriated by Section 2, Chapter 226, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund created out of proceeds received from the sale of the camp grounds of the Iowa National Guards, appropriated by Section 2, Chapter 241, Acts of the 32nd General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00) created for the purpose of repairing elevators in the state capitol, appropriated by Section 35, Chapter 241, Acts of the 33rd General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00), known as the "Okoboji Dam Fund", to assist Dickinson County in the construction of a certain dam, appropriated by Chapter 258, Acts of the 33rd General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) created to install in the capitol building a night watch clock and recording system, appropriated by Section 41, Chapter 192, Acts of the 34th General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of two thousand dollars (\$2000.00) created to assist in the erection of a soldiers' monument to the unknown dead buried in the National Cemetery at Keokuk, Iowa, appropriated by Chapter 208, Acts of the 34th General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, there is an unexpended balance in a fund of thirteen hundred dollars (\$1300.00) created for the purpose of advertising laws and publishing census returns, appropriated by paragraph 25 of Section 3, Chapter 321, Acts of the 35th General Assembly, and

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the Treasurer of State is hereby authorized and directed to transfer such unexpended balances to the general revenue fund of the state, and the Auditor of State is hereby authorized and directed to make the necessary changes upon his books of such transfers.

Read first and second time and placed on the Calendar.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO CAPITOL EXTENSION.

Senator Chase offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, by the Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, a tax was imposed for the purpose of capitol extension and

WHEREAS, no report has been received of the receipts and disbursements thereunder,

Therefore Be It Resolved, That the Executive Council is respectfully requested to furnish to the Senate, before April 1st, 1915, a detailed report of receipts and expenditures with a statement of expenses, including agents, commissions, the rentals now received, the amounts, if any, received from property sold, and the amount of ground still unpurchased, and the probable amount required to purchase same, the amount of cash on hand, and all other information in their possession regarding the capitol extension purchase to date.

Passed on file.

MEMORIAL RESOLUTION.

Senator Allen offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, The Honorable A. O. Garlock, a pioneer of Pocahontas county, an honorable member of the State Senate of Iowa in the 22d General Assembly, passed away on the 5th day of April, 1913, therefore,

Be It Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the President of the Senate to prepare and submit resolutions to commemorate his life, character and service to the Senate.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

President appointed as such committee Senators Allen, Larrabee and Clarkson.

The following communication was received from the secretary of state, read and ordered printed in the Journal:

STATE OF CONNECTICUT,

General Assembly,

January Session, A. D. 1915.

(HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 92.)

Resolution Recommending an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States Concerning Polygamy.

WHEREAS, It appears from investigation recently made by the Senate of the United States, and otherwise, that polygamy still exists in certain

places in the United States notwithstanding prohibitory statutes enacted by the several states thereof, and

WHEREAS, The practice of polygamy is generally condemned by the people of the United States, and, there is a demand for the more effectual prohibition thereof by placing the subject under federal jurisdiction and control, at the same time reserving to each state the right to make and enforce its own laws relating to marriage and divorce; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the application be made and hereby is made under the provisions of Article V of the Constitution of the United States whereby polygamy and polygamous cohabitation shall be prohibited, and Congress shall be given power to enforce such prohibition by appropriate legislation.

Resolved, That the legislatures of all other states of the United States, now in session or when next convened, hereby are respectfully requested to join in this application by the adoption of this or an equivalent resolution.

Resolved Further, That the Secretary of State hereby is directed to transmit copies of this application to the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States, and to the several members of said bodies representing this state therein; also to transmit copies hereof to the legislatures of all other states of the United States.

State of Connecticut
House of Representatives,
March 4, 1915,
PASSED,

State of Connecticut
Senate,
March 11, 1915,
PASSED,

JOHN BUCKLEY, *Clerk*.

SABIN S. RUSSELL, *Clerk*.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, }
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, } ss.

I, Chas. D. Burnes, Secretary of the State of Connecticut, and keeper of the seal thereof, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true copy of a preamble and resolution passed by the General Assembly of said State, at its January Session, 1915.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said State, at Hartford, this eighteenth day of March, 1915.

[SEAL]

CHAS. D. BURNES,
Secretary.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 95, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section two hundred fifty-four-a eighteen (254-a 18) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, duties and compensation of probation officers, and enact in lieu thereof the following.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred ninety-two-g (792-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of property not abutting, for street improvements.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 265 a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the erection of soldiers' monuments and memorial halls as the same appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and section four hundred thirty-five (435) of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

House File No. 175, a bill for an act for the relief of the blind.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 605, a bill for an act to legalize a certain school election held February 6, 1915, for the organization of the Consolidated Independent District of Beech, in Warren county, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 429, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

House File No. 16, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 420, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, and cities acting under special charter, to permit the erection of soldiers' monuments or memorial halls erected under the

provisions of section four hundred and thirty (430), of the supplement to the code, 1913, or section four hundred and thirty-five (435), of the code, to be located in the parks or public grounds of the city or town.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 604, a bill for an act to legalize the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Hartford, Warren county, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 345, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred and eight (308), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county attorney.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 441, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and three hundred and thirty-c (1330-c), code supplement, 1913, relating to the assessment and taxation of telegraph and telephone lines.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on telegraphs and telephones.

House File No. 372, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections nine hundred and seventy-two (972) and nine hundred and seventy-four (974) of the code, relating to street improvements and sewers, applicable to cities acting under special charters.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 371, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirteen (2713), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the support for the industrial school for boys at Eldora.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 593, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-six (1989-a-6), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the elimination of the second of the three (3) surveys required by law in the construction of drainage districts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 181, a bill for an act to amend section three (3), chapter fifty-four (54), acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly, relating to the government of certain cities.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Jones moved that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to request from the House the return of House File No. 86.

Carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 340 passed the Senate on Tuesday, March 23d.

J. H. TAYLOR.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 115, a bill for an act creating the office of editor of the Iowa statutory law and the Iowa supreme court reports, defining the duties of said office, the manner of appointment to such office, and providing for compensation therefor, and for repealing of all acts relating to the office of supreme court reporter, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 115.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Creating the Office of Law Reporter of the State of Iowa; Providing for the Manner of Appointment to Such Office; Defining the Duties of Said Office; Fixing the Compensation of Such Officer; Providing for the Abolishment of the Supreme Court Reporter and for the Editing of the Code and All Statutory Law and of the Supreme Court Reports and for the Publication Thereof and Providing for the Compilation, Publication and Distribution of the Code of 1915, Together with the Laws of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, Annotations and Index and for Report By the Code Editor to the Thirty-seventh General Assembly, Regulating the Copyright of the State Reports and of Publication of the Code;

Providing for the Regulation of Said Office of Law Reporter By the Supreme Court and the Regulation of Contracts for Printing, Publishing and Binding of Said Code and Reports and for the Distribution of the Same and to Make Appropriation for Said Work and to Repeal Sections and Parts of the Statutes in Conflict Herewith.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. The supreme court shall appoint a law reporter who shall hold office for a period of six years, and whose duties and powers shall be as hereinafter provided.

SECTION 2. The law reporter shall have his office at Des Moines, in offices to be provided by the executive council and shall devote his entire time to the discharge of the duties hereinafter prescribed.

SECTION 3. The duties of the law reporter shall be;

a. To arrange and classify numerically each section of the general statutory law of Iowa upon cards and to keep said cards filed in their proper order in fire-proof cabinets. Said classification of sections shall be instituted upon the same plan as the code supplement of 1913.

b. Beneath each section of statutory law shall be kept the legislative history thereof, the session of the legislature when such section was enacted or any amendment made thereto, and the similar section in all codes and revisions.

c. To place beneath such sections of statutory law annotations of all decisions of the Iowa supreme court, the federal courts, citing the title, volume and page of the said reports from which the annotation is taken, and the volume and page of every series of reports, where the case from which the annotation is taken is reported.

d. To place beneath the material called for in the preceding subdivision of this section such other annotations as may be requested by the supreme court.

e. To cite such sections of the statutes of the United States which relate to or govern the Iowa statute as the supreme court may direct.

f. To place in the said card classification of the Iowa statutory law mentioned in subdivision (a) hereof, all the laws of a general nature passed at each session of the general assembly within sixty days after the adjournment thereof. Said laws shall be prepared and numbered on cards, similar to those prescribed in subdivision (a) hereof.

g. To keep a list of all special acts, appropriating acts, legalizing acts and joint resolutions passed by the territory and state of Iowa, in files and cabinets similar in size and shape to those in which the general laws are preserved.

h. To prepare a complete and exhaustive index with cross references to both the public and private law above enumerated and to keep the same at all times up to date.

i. To edit and prepare for publication immediately after each general assembly, and under such rules and regulations as the supreme court may prescribe, the code, which shall contain the declaration of independence; the constitution of the United States; the statutes of the United States relating to citizenship and naturalization and to the

authentication of statutes, records and the like; the ordinance of 1787 and the articles of compact; the organic law of Michigan, Wisconsin and Iowa and amendments thereto; the act for admission of Iowa into the Union; the constitution of the state of Iowa, annotated as the statutes; all the statutes of the general law with annotations of all matters herein required to be kept by the law reporter and such other matter pertaining to the law of Iowa, or so much of such annotations and matters as the supreme court may direct. He shall also edit from the index on file an index for said publication of sections omitting pages, except of matter not in sections or indicated paragraphs, upon the general plan of the index for the supplements for 1913 and 1915 with such modification as may be ordered by the supreme court.

j. To submit biennial reports to the governor and general assembly; calling attention to all sections that are obsolete or that should be improved by amendments.

k. To edit the Iowa supreme court reports and to deliver the same to the publisher for publication under such rules and regulations as the supreme court may from time to time prescribe.

SECTION 4. When any section of Iowa law is repealed or amended, the law reporter shall withdraw the card or cards containing said section from the files and replace the same by a card of a different color. If the section is repealed such fact shall be noted on the card placed in the file and the card withdrawn will be placed in its proper place in the files of repealed and amended sections. In case the section is amended the editor shall place on the new card the section as amended and file the old card as in the case of a repealed section.

SECTION 5. The law reporter shall be required to furnish a copy of any section of Iowa law with all material relative thereto to any state or county officer upon request and to all other parties upon payment of a fee of seventy-five cents (75c).

SECTION 6. The supreme court reports shall be published by the state printer and binder under such terms, stipulations and conditions as a majority of the judges of the supreme court, acting through the chief justice, shall prescribe, or if the same can be done cheaper it shall be published, subject to the same provisions, under contract in the name of the State of Iowa; provided that such terms or contracts shall provide that the three hundred fifty copies first issued shall be delivered by the publisher to the secretary of state free of all cost to the state. All existing contracts for the printing and publication of the reports of the supreme court is hereby transferred to the jurisdiction of said judges for the sole use and benefit of the state, which shall have the same power and rights in reference thereto as heretofore possessed by the executive council.

SECTION 7. The copies received by the secretary of state shall be disposed of by him as follows: Two copies of each volume to the library of Congress and the library of the supreme court of the United States; one copy to each judge of the supreme, district and superior courts, including United States district judges whose districts lie within this state, the clerk of the supreme court and attorney general; one hundred copies to the state library; one copy to each county in the state;

two copies to each county where the district court is held in more than one place; one copy to the state law reporter; twenty copies to the law department of the state university; twenty copies to the state historical society for exchange in such manner as the proper officers thereof think advisable. The remaining copies shall be used by the trustees of the state library in exchange for such books on law or equity or reports of other states as they may select. All books received by such exchange shall be deposited in and become a part of the state library.

SECTION 8. The supreme court may order the publication of a new edition of any volume of its report of which the copyright is owned by the reporter, when the public interest requires it, and may require compliance therewith within six months by an order entered of record; and if the reporter neglects or refuses to comply with such order, then such copyright shall be forfeited to the state.

SECTION 9. The law reporter shall have no pecuniary interest, right or title to said reports, files or publications, or the copyrights thereof.

The copyrights of all the supreme court reports and publications of the code hereafter published shall be taken out by and vest in the secretary of state for the state, but this shall not be construed to prevent the contractor by whom any volume is published from continuing the exclusive publication and sale of such volume so long as he shall, in all respects, comply with the requirements of his contract and orders of the supreme court relative thereto.

SECTION 10. To each volume of the code shall be attached the certificate of said law reporter that the statutory and constitutional provisions therein contained have been prepared from the original rolls and are correct, which certificate shall be presumptive evidence of their correctness.

SECTION 11. That the code shall be published immediately after each general assembly by the state printer and binder under such terms, stipulations and conditions as a majority of the judges of the supreme court, acting through the chief justice, shall prescribe, or if the same can be done cheaper it shall be published subject to the same provisions under contract in the name of the state of Iowa, and such requirements or contracts shall provide that the publication shall be distributed not later than July 4th following the general assembly, and that the publication shall be set up in linotype matter and that said linotype matter shall be the property of the state and be used only for making the necessary plates for printing and shall be preserved and protected as the said judges shall direct, and may be amended, changed and substituted from time to time in whole or in part but only as necessary for the continued publication of the code after each general assembly.

SECTION 12. That Section 16 of Page 1 of the supplement to the code be amended by striking out the words "editor and code supervising committee" in line six thereof and substituting therefor the words "law reporter and supreme court;" and that distribution of all supplements and codes hereafter published shall be made in accordance with the provisions relating to code and subsequent statutes as set forth in the supplement to the code, 1913, in so far as the same are applicable.

SECTION 13. The editor of the Iowa statutory law shall provide himself with a seal, which shall be used to authenticate his orders and copies of laws and there shall be inscribed on said seal the words "Law reporter of Iowa, Official Seal."

SECTION 14. The law reporter shall receive a salary of three thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$3,750.00) per annum payable by the state. He may, by and with the consent of the supreme court, employ assistants and clerical help at such compensation as may be fixed by the supreme court, and there is appropriated out of the treasury of Iowa from moneys not otherwise appropriated the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) per annum to be used for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

SECTION 15. That Section two hundred seven-a (207-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, shall be and is hereby amended by striking out the words "Reporter of the Supreme Court," and all of the parts of said section relating to the office of Supreme Court Reporter, so that the section shall read when amended as follows: The present incumbent of the office of Clerk of the Supreme Court shall hold office until the expiration of the time for which he was elected, and until his successor has been appointed and has qualified. Within ninety (90) days prior to the expiration of the term of the office of the present clerk of the Supreme Court, and every four (4) years thereafter, the Supreme Court shall appoint a clerk of the Supreme Court who shall hold his office for a period of four (4) years and until his successor has been appointed and qualified. Vacancies shall be filled in the same manner for the unexpired portions of the term.

SECTION 16. Chapter four (4) of title three (3) of the code and sections thirty-eight (38), thirty-nine (39), forty (40) and one hundred thirty-three (133) of the code are hereby repealed.

Provided that all volumes of the reports which have been completed or are in process of preparation shall be paid for in the same manner as is provided in the law repealed by this section.

SECTION 17. That sections one (1) to sixteen (16) inclusive of this act shall be in full force and effect from and after July 4th, 1915 and not before.

SECTION 18. That a majority of the judges of the supreme court shall be substituted for the code supplement supervising committee appointed under the authority of chapter one (1), acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, and the editor chosen as provided therein and said judges be and they are hereby empowered and directed to compile and publish a supplemental supplement covering the laws of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly with annotations to and including the January 1915 term of the supreme court, all on the same general plan of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend and amplify the index to the code and supplement now being prepared under the provisions of said act so as to include the laws in said supplemental supplement, and to print and bind the same with said index in one volume under all of the provisions of Section 11 of this act.

SECTION 19. Said compilation and index shall be known and designated as "Supplemental Supplement, 1915—Index to Code and Supple-

ments." It shall be ready for distribution July fourth (4th), 1915, and the sale price thereof shall be one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per volume.

SECTION 20. All of the provisions of said chapter one (1), Thirty-fifth General Assembly, shall be and the same are hereby extended and made to apply to the volume herein provided for so far as the same can be made applicable, and said supplemental supplement shall be recognized as an official edition and authoritative publication of the laws of the state as fully as the supplement to the code, 1913.

SECTION 21. Immediately after the appointment of the law reporter the editor shall submit to said law reporter a detailed report pointing out all errors, conflicts and duplications in the statutes discovered by him together with his recommendations respecting the same. The editor shall also deliver to the law reporter for his use all classified matter, card indexes, compilations, annotations and other material in his possession and the property of the state relating to the code, the supplements thereto or the statutory law.

SECTION 22. The editor shall receive as compensation for his services as contemplated herein the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00), payable two hundred dollars (\$200.00) per month until July first (1st), 1915, and the balance on the delivery of the first completed volumes to the secretary of state.

SECTION 23. There is hereby appropriated out of the treasury from funds not otherwise appropriated, a sum sufficient to pay the cost and expenses of preparing, publishing and distributing said supplemental supplement and index.

SECTION 24. That all other acts, or portions of acts, that are in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 25. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force, except as otherwise herein provided, from and after the date of its publication in the Des Moines Capital, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Daily Nonpariel, a newspaper published at Council Bluffs, Iowa.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 407, a bill for an act authorizing the use of photographic processes in the making and copying of public records in the public offices of this state, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 416, a bill for an act creating the state board of audit and defining its powers and duties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 438, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand two hundred twenty-seven (4227), chapter four-a (4-a), of title twenty-one (21), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a paragraph providing for payment of costs and expenses of restoring missing public records, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 447, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in sections twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four (2544), twenty-five fifty-one (2551), twenty-five fifty-two (2552), twenty-five fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend Senate File No. 447 by striking therefrom Section 11 and substituting therefor, the following:

"SEC. 11. That sections 2544, 2554, 2555, 2562 and 2559 of the Code and the law as it appears in sections 2540, 2540-a, 2551, 2552 and 2556 of the Supplement to the Code, 1907, and section 1 of Chapter 203 and Chapters 204 and 205 of the Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and the law as it appears in section 2562-a, Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same are hereby repealed, the foregoing is enacted in lieu thereof."

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 29, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 3705 of the supplement of the code, 1913, relating to instructions to juries, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 31, a bill for an act to amend section 4110 of the code of 1897, relating to appeals to the supreme court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 130, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported to the Senate with request that the author be permitted to withdraw same on account of substitute for Senate File 115 covering same matter.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

By unanimous consent Senator Kimball withdrew Senate File No. 130 from further consideration by the Senate.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 168, a bill for an act to provide for the compilation, publication and distribution of the laws of the Thirty-sixth (36th) General Assembly in supplement form together with annotations and index to code and supplements in one volume and making the provisions of chapter one (1) Thirty-fifth (35th) General Assembly applicable thereto and providing for report by the editor to, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported to the Senate with the request that the author be permitted to withdraw same on account of substitute for Senate File No. 115 covering same matter.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

By unanimous consent Senator Perkins withdrew Senate File No. 168 from further consideration by the Senate.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 44, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a 20 (254-a 20) of the supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter thirty-one (31) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, providing for the maintenance of dependent children whose mothers are widows, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Strike out all of said bill preceding the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 254-a 20 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the maintenance of dependent children whose mothers are widows and providing for reports and certain records.”

Also amend section 1 of the original bill by striking therefrom lines 1 to 5 inclusive and substituting therefor the following:

Sec. 1. That the law as it appears in section 254-a 20 of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following: “Also amend by striking out the word and figure, “section 2.”

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 206, a bill for an act to establish a board of accountancy, to provide for granting certificates to those public accountants who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 336, a bill for an act to amend section 751 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to streets and public grounds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Grout, from the committee on public health, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 269, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2575-a 9, chapter 16-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to annual appropriation for bacteriological laboratory, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on retrenchment and reform, without recommendation.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Grout, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on retrenchment and reform.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 456, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2578, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the cancellation of certificates of physicians for unprofessional conduct and defining the same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 92, a bill for an act to repeal section 2575 of the code, 1907, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the state board of health, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Larrabee, from the committee on railroads, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 363, a bill for an act to regulate the charging of demurrage by common carriers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 5, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-one hundred fifty-one (2151) of the code, relative to the transportation of railroad commissioners and enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend Section 1, by inserting after the word "railroads" in the 4th line thereof, a comma ",",

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred House File No. 57, a bill for an act to regulate common carriers and fix liability as common carriers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 135, a bill for an act defining the number of men to constitute a crew on light engines, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 478, a bill for an act amending the law relating to the voting of taxes in aid of railroads, as the same appears in sections two thousand ninety-one-b (2091-b) and two thousand ninety-one-c (2091-c), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 364, a bill for an act to amend section twenty hundred seventy-seven (2077) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to rates which may be charged by railway companies for transportation of passengers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Senator Thomas moved that this bill be placed on the Calendar and asked a roll call on the motion.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees—12.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Thompson—2.

Motion lost.

Senator Larrabee moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Report adopted, and Senate File No. 364 was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 182, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of rules, regulations and standards in the construction of electrical work, to grant to the Board of Railway Commissioners power to establish and fix such rules, regulations and standards, to provide for the inspection, condemnation and removal of wires, fixtures and appliances installed or maintained in violation of such standards, to provide for penalties for the violation of such standards and orders of said board, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors for such electrical work, beg leave to

report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Senator Clarkson moved that the bill be placed on the Calendar.

Motion lost.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 381, a bill for an act empowering and directing the railroad commissioners of the state of Iowa to appoint an inspector; defining the duties of such inspector and fixing the salary, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 274, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the Board of Railroad Commissioners, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Special Order No. 10, Senate File No. 357, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-seven (297) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of the district court, and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 10:35 a. m.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the substitute for the bill by striking out all after two thousand one hundred dollars (\$2,100) last appearing in Section 1 and substituting therefor the following:

In counties having a population of forty thousand and less than forty-five thousand, two thousand six hundred dollars (\$2,600); in counties having a population of forty-five thousand and less than fifty thousand, two thousand eight hundred dollars (\$2,800); in counties having a population of fifty thousand and less than sixty thousand, three thousand dollars (\$3000); in counties having a population of sixty thousand and over, three thousand three hundred dollars (\$3,300), all of the above to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend substitute for Senate File No. 357, found on page 850 of the journal by striking out the word "treasurer" in line one of Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the word "clerk".

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the substitute for the bill by inserting after the word "dollars" and before the word "all" last appearing in Section 1 the following:— And in counties having two places at which the district court is held in addition to the amount, according to population, two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00).

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out all after the word "than" in the 10th line of the substitute and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Sixty five thousand, three thousand (\$3000.00) dollars; in counties having a population of sixty-seven thousand and over, three thousand three hundred (\$3,300.00) dollars. All of the above to be paid out of the county treasury in equal monthly installments".

Senator Nye move the previous question.

Carried.

On the motion to adopt the amendment offered by Senator Farr, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Nye invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Sheean, White of Iowa, Wilson—20.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—28.

Absent or not voting:

Savage, Thomas—2.

So the amendment was lost.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Boe invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Frailey, Francis, Hilsinger, Lindly—9.

Absent or not voting:

Perkins, Thomas—2.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Crist was called to the chair at 11:50 a. m.

MOTIONS WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Robinson withdrew the motion filed by him on March 23d to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 341 passed the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Senator Taylor withdrew the motion filed by him to reconsider the vote on Senate File No. 340.

MOTION CALLED UP.

Senator Wilson called up for consideration the motion filed by him to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 342 failed to pass the Senate and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

Carried.

Senator Wilson moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 342 passed to its third reading be reconsidered.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Whitmore moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the following amendment:

Amend by adding "not exceeding that paid the first deputy".

Carried.

By unanimous consent, Senator Whitmore withdrew said amendment.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Nye invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were :

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Farr, Frailey, Francis, Hillsinger, Lindly, Robinson, Voorhees—11.

Absent or not voting :

Laffer, Parker, Thomas, White of Benton—4.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Foster moved that Calendar No. 95, Senate File No. 266, be made a special order for Friday, March 26th, at 10:30 a. m.

Motion lost.

Senator Savage moved that Senate Files Nos. 92 and 115 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Allen, from the committee on retrenchment and reform, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on retrenchment and reform, to whom was referred Senate File No. 539, a bill for an act to repeal section one hundred eighty-one (181) supplement to the code, 1913, in reference to the committee on retrenchment and reform and their duties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary, without recommendation.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Allen, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 556, a bill for an act to amend section twenty hundred twenty-eight (2028) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to highways to lands.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

By Senator Jones, Senate File No. 557, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory as the same appears in section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a-eleven (5718-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on penitentiaries and pardons.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 558, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, regulation and supervision of mutual insurance corporations, and to amend the law as it appears in sections sixteen hundred ninety (1690), sixteen hundred ninety-two (1692), sixteen hundred ninety-three (1693), sixteen hundred ninety-four (1694), seventeen hundred, (1700), seventeen hundred four (1704), seventeen hundred six (1706), seventeen hundred seven (1707), seventeen hundred eight, (1708), seventeen hundred twenty-three (1723) and seventeen hundred fifty-one (1751) of the code, and sections sixteen hundred eighty-nine (1689) and seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the incorporation, regulation and supervision of such mutual insurance companies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

MOTION TO REFER PETITIONS.

Senator Helmer moved that all petitions with reference to state printing and binding that have been received, as well as those that may be received, be referred to the committee on retrenchment and reform.

Carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 138, a bill for an act to repeal section two thousand three hundred forty-one-s (2341-s) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relat-

ing to the lien on the progeny of stallion and enacting a substitute therefor, fixing lien on progeny and on mother of such progeny for service of stallion or jack, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. R. DORAN,

On motion of Senator Doran, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 309, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by adding to said bill the following:

"SECTION 18. The private property of the stock holders shall be exempt from execution from the debts of the corporation.

SECTION 19. The highest amount of indebtedness the corporation may contract shall not exceed two-thirds of its capital stock."

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred House File No. 72, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the destruction of weeds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred House File No. 127, a bill for an act giving legislative assent to the purposes of the congressional act of May 8, 1914, providing for co-operative extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the act of congress approved July 2, 1862, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States department of agriculture, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Arney, from the committee on educational institutions, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on educational institutions, to whom was referred House File No. 330, a bill for an act to amend section 2682-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Education and the finance committee of said Board of Education, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

W. H. ARNEY,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on educational institutions, to whom was referred Senate File No. 439, a bill for an act to amend section 136 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of the Iowa Academy of Sciences, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

W. H. ARNEY,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 169, a bill for an act to provide for the maintenance and repair of country roads and to provide road patrolmen and prescribing their duties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Strike out the word "shall" in the second line of section one of the bill, and insert the word "may".

Strike out the words "and required" in line six, section one of the bill.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred House File No. 217, a bill for an act to provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to provide the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 179, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of bridges and culverts in order to enable adjoining land owners to secure access to their premises, and to provide for the cost and procedure therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by inserting a comma in lieu of the period after the word "culvert" at end of line nine (9) of the bill and insert after said comma the following: "except that such owner shall not be required to pay any part of the cost of construction of one only of such bridges or culverts for each half mile of his land bordering a public highway so improved over which the owner secures access to such premises or to the building spot on such premises."

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 414, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants, to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting after the word "statement" in the first line of section 2 the words "wilfully made"

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 186, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-eight (1527-s-8) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to county road fund arising from property within municipalities, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Balkema, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 493, a bill for an act to establish the standard width and to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of standard width draft

sleighs, and to provide penalty for violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Balkema the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 310, a bill for an act to require that all unexpended balances of certain appropriations made for specific purposes, and which purposes have been fully carried out, or abandoned, be transferred to the general revenue fund of the state, and to provide the provisions which should govern such transfers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out section one and renumbering section two as section one and amending section two by striking out the word "annually" following the word "shall" in line four thereof, and by inserting after the word "shall" in line four the following: "on July 1st, 1915, and biennially thereafter", and by adding a publication clause which shall be numbered Section Two and shall be as follows: "This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa." And that the title be amended to read as follows: "A Bill for an act providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state at the end of each biennial period of all unexpended balances for which specific appropriations from the state funds have been made and which purposes have been fully carried out or abandoned".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 24, a bill for an act making an appropriation to reimburse J. M. Tannehill, an employe of the Iowa school for the deaf, for loss of wages and expenses incurred by reason of an injury sustained in connection with his employment at said school on the 31st day of December, 1912, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Striking out in line three in Section one (1) the words and figures "nine hundred sixty-nine (\$969)" and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures "seven hundred twenty dollars (\$720.00)".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of \$300.00 to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the state institution for inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out the words and figures "Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00)" in line one (1) of the title and by striking out the words and figures "Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00)" in line three (3) of Section One (1), and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00)", in line one of the title and in line three of Section one respectively.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section 2215-f 42, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on congressional and judicial districts, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on congressional and judicial districts, to whom was referred Senate File No. 370, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations with the recommendation that it do pass.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Senate Heald moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment, President pro tem Crist, presiding.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 327, a bill for an act providing for the relocation of railroad tracks upon streets of certain cities so as to permit of the construction and operation of interurban railways on said streets, and for the use by interurban railways of said railroad tracks on said streets if the same are not relocated and the making of alterations in railroad tracks and the construction and maintenance of the connecting tracks, overhead trolley or other equipment of said interurban railways and for the payment of compensation for such relocation, use and other privileges, and giving to the board of railroad commissioners power to determine such alterations, relocation, use and other privileges and the terms and conditions thereof, and the amount to be paid therefor, and providing for appeals from the orders of said board of railroad commissioners.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 559, a bill for an act granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license, tax and regulate so-called "Jitney" busses, and all busses, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns, doing a business similar to that transacted by street railway companies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Francis, by request, Senate File No. 560, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-B, title III of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relat-

ing to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers, and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 561, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to organization of boards of school directors and the election of officers of school corporations.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Special Order No. 15, Senate File No. 400, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to appointment and compensation of deputy clerks of the district court, and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by inserting before the word "shall" last appearing in section 1 the following: "and in counties in which the district court is held in two places the salaries of the first and second deputies."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 400 by changing final period to a comma and adding the following: "not exceeding the salary of the first deputy."

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by inserting in line 18, following the word "be", the words "not to exceed".

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:20 o'clock p. m.

The amendment by Senator Francis was adopted.

Senator Doran offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

"Providing that all appointees of this state be subject to an examination for common honesty, by a board of competent tax payers."

Amendment lost.

Senator Kimball moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

Senator Wilson moved that the vote by which the amendment offered by Senator Francis was adopted be reconsidered.

Carried.

On the adoption of the amendment by Senator Francis, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, White of Iowa—20.

The nays were:

Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Nye, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—24.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Chase, Foster, Jackson, Parker, Savage—6.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer,

Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Voorhees—14..

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Foster, Jackson, Savage—4.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House concurrent resolution recommending an amendment to the constitution of the United States concerning polygamy.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House is returning herewith the following bill as requested by the Senate:

House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m five (1571-m5) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE FILE SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House File No. 327.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Special Order No. 16, Senate File No. 344, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county treasurers, and enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting before the word "shall" last appearing in section 1 the following: "and in counties in which the district court is held in two places the salaries of the first and second deputies".

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by changing final period at end of Section 1 to a comma and adding, "not exceeding the salary of the first deputy".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

"Amend the bill by striking out section 2."

Amendment lost.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye Parker, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—30.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Voorhees, Wilson—14.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Fleck, Jackson, Quigley, Savage—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 202, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in

section eight hundred forty-g (840-g) supplement to the code, 1913, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Foster moved the Senate concur in the following House amendment.

SECTION 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines Capital and the Register and Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the state.

On the question "Shall the Senate concur in the House amendment?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Fleck, Henigbaum, Jackson, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Voorhees, Wilson—11.

So the amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared concurred in.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 248, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred and seven (1407) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of a delinquent tax collector and providing a method of payment thereof, and to enact a substitute therefor, was taken up for further consideration.

By unanimous consent, Senator Schrup withdrew the amendment filed by him on March 15th and found on page 832 of the Journal.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section One (1) of the bill by striking out all of said bill commencing with the word "when" in the third line to and including the word "same", in the sixth line thereof and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"It shall be the duty of the County Treasurer after the first day of January of any year succeeding the date any taxes become delinquent to proceed to collect any such taxes, not collectible by the sale of real estate."

Adopted.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out all of Sec. 2 and inserting the following as Sec. 2:

"Thirty days before placing any delinquent taxes in the hands of the collector, the county treasurer shall give written notice to the delinquents, that unless payment is made within thirty days the legal penalty will attach and the account will be placed in the hands of a collector."

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the bill be laid upon the table.

Carried.

So the bill was laid upon the table.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 117, a bill for an act to amend section 792-g of the supplement to the code, 1913, and authorizing cities to create paving districts for street improvements and to spread assessment over such districts, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the motion to adopt the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larabee, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—23.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Francis, Grout, Heald, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Ream, Sheean, White of Benton, Whitmore—17.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Foskett, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas—10.

So the report was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Doran moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 25, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. W. Lowrie, Pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Enger presented a petition of citizens of Winneshiek county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

Seator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines, Iowa, favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Greene presented a remonstrance of citizens of Clinton county, against the passage of Senate File No. 161, relating to corporations for the improvement of agriculture.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Grout presented petitions of citizens of Grundy and Black Hawk counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Thomas presented a petition of citizens of Ringgold county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

Senator Taylor presented petitions of citizens of Jefferson county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Harrison county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

Senator White presented a petition of citizens of Benton county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

Senator Helmer presented a remonstrance of citizens of Grand Junction, Iowa, against passage of House File No. 47, relative to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Carroll county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

Senator Gillette presented a remonstrance of citizens of Cherokee county, against passage of House File No. 47, relative to inspection of schools and institutions.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Clarkson presented a petition of citizens of Marion county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

Senator Clarkson presented a remonstrance of citizens of Marion county, against the enactment of a law introducing military drill and discipline into the schools.

Referred to committee on military affairs.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of citizens of Muscatine and Louisa counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Chase presented a remonstrance of citizens of Hardin county, against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Page county, favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of the Greater Clarinda Club, favoring passage of the bill for paving country roads.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Fremont county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

The Lieutenant Governor presented a remonstrance of seventy-one newspaper men of Iowa, against the Johnston Road Bill and in favor of the present State Highway Commission law, with amendments proposed by the State Highway Commission.

Referred to committee on highways.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 562, a bill for an act relating to acknowledgments by notaries public.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Boe, Senate File No. 563, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred and thirty-four-c (2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 564, a bill for an act to define habitual misdemeanants, and to prescribe punishment for such habitual misdemeanants.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 565, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-five hundred eighty-three-a (2583-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend sections twenty-five hundred eighty-three-d (2583-d), and twenty-five hundred eighty-three-e (2583-e), supplement to

the code, 1913, all relating to the practice of osteopathy and providing for a uniform standard for the practitioners of any form of the healing art without surgery or the use of drugs.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public health.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 566, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the lien of taxes upon real estate as the same appears in section fourteen hundred (1400), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House Concurrent Resolution recommending an amendment to the Constitution of the United States concerning Polygamy.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on federal relations.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Taylor moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

Amend by striking out the words "of the" in the second line of the title and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (.). Also by striking out the words "of the" in the second line of Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (.).

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Quigley, Savage, Thompson—16.

So the amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on board of control, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred House File No. 352, a bill for an act to repeal chapter 40, acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and in lieu thereof to authorize the board of supervisors of each county to make provision for the segregation, care and support of indigent persons afflicted with tuberculosis, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By inserting after the word "that" in line three (3) of Section Three (3), the words, "In counties of 67,000 or over, population, a sum not to exceed \$15,000,"

And after the word "population" in the 4th line of Section Three (3), the following: "and less than 67,000."

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred House File No. 459, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section 2727-a11, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or the secretary thereof, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Heald, from the committee on penitentiaries and pardons, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on penitentiaries and pardons, to whom was referred Senate File No. 398, a bill for an act to establish a bureau for the registration of criminals, dangerous defectives and delinquents by the finger print method of identification; to provide for the employment of an operative skilled in the classification and filing of the same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and

recommend that the said bill be referred to the committee on appropriations with recommendation for passage.

FRANCIS A. HEALD,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Heald, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on penitentiaries and pardons, to whom was referred Senate File No. 386, a bill for an act to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine 5709 of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiaries, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

FRANCIS A. HEALD,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Schrup, from the committee on claims, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate File No. 279, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2,575.00) to indemnify Wm. H. Niemann for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa national guard, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to committee on appropriations with recommendation that the same do pass.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Schrup, the request of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on claims, to whom was referred Senate File No. 513, a bill for an act to reimburse certain claimants for services while members of the state board of health, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to committee on appropriations without recommendation.

N. J. SCHRUP,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Schrup, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Senator Arney, from the committee on educational institutions, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on educational institutions, to whom was referred Senate File No. 236, a bill for an act to foster and approve in the standard colleges of Iowa, departments of education, agriculture, household arts, manual training, and commerce, under the supervision of the state, and appropriating a sum sufficient for the support of such departments, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

W. H. ARNEY,
Chairman.

On the motion of Senator Arney, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 488, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 217, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred sixty-nine (469), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of county supervisors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out in line three of Section 1 the word and figure eight (8), and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure eleven (11).

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 433, a bill for an act to amend section 2243, supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the appointment and compensation of stewards of county homes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 329, a bill for an act to amend section 1660, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the purchase of real estate by the board of supervisors for county fair purposes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 441, a bill for an act relating to levee, drains, ditches, and water courses additional to chapter two (2), title ten (10) of the code, and amendments thereto, and to chapter two-a (2-a), title ten, supplement to the code, 1913, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

The title to said bill be stricken out and the following enacted in lieu thereof: "A bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-fifty-two-f (1989-a-52-f), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers, duties and compensation of trustees of drainage districts and the method of filling vacancies thereon":

Amend Section one (1) by striking out the following: "That the law as it appears in Section one Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-five-a (1985-a) and One Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-six (1986), supplement to the code, 1913, and Section one Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-nine-a-52-f (1989-a-52-f), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding to Section One Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-nine-a-52-f (1989-a-52-f), Supplement to the code, 1913, the following: "and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That the law as it appears in Section One Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-nine-a-fifty-two-f (1989-a-52-f), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:"

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 251, a bill for an act to repeal section 2261 of the code, relating to the board of county commissioners of insanity, and enact a substitute therefor, making the county auditor and county attorney members of said board; and to amend section 2262 of

the code, relating to the clerk of said board, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 166, a bill for an act to amend section 3499 of the code, relative to the places where suits may be brought against insurance companies, and providing for the revocation of the authority of any foreign insurance company to transact business in this state, that shall commence or remove any suit or proceeding brought by or against it in any state court to any federal court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 534, a bill for an act to amend section 228 of the code relating to terms of the district court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 315, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-five hundred thirty-nine (3539) of the code, relating to the bringing of actions against unknown defendants, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

Substitute for House File No. 315.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Repeal Section Three Thousand Five Hundred Thirty-nine (3539) of the Code, Relative to the Bringing of Actions Against Unknown Defendants.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Three Thousand Five Hundred Thirty-nine (3539) of the Code, be and the same is hereby repealed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 325, a bill for an act providing for the protection and safety of persons employed in or being about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts, and other structures, providing means for the enforcement of said act, for recovery of damages by persons injured by a failure to comply with its provisions and providing penalties for violations of provisions, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

A BILL FOR AN ACT Providing for the Protection and Safety of Persons Employed in or Being about the Construction, Repairing, Alteration or Removal of Buildings, Bridges, Viaducts, and other Structures, Providing Means for the Enforcement of said Act, and Providing Penalties for Violations of its Provisions.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. All scaffoldings, hoists, cranes, stays, ladders, supports or other mechanical contrivances, erected, or employed by any person, firm, or corporation, in the construction, repairing, alteration, removal or painting of any house, building, bridge, viaduct or other structure, shall be erected, constructed and maintained in a safe, suitable and proper manner and shall be so erected, constructed, maintained, placed and operated as to give proper and reasonable protection to the life and limb of any person or persons employed or engaged thereon or passing under or by the same. Scaffolding or staging swung or suspended from an overhead support more than twenty (20) feet from the ground or floor, shall have, where practicable, a safety rail properly secured and braced, rising at least thirty-four (34) inches above the floor, or main portion of such scaffolding or staging, and extending along the entire length of the outside and ends thereof, and such scaffolding and staging shall be so fastened where practicable as to prevent the same from swaying from the building or structure. All swinging and stationary scaffolding, platforms and other devices shall be so constructed as to bear four times the maximum weight required to be dependent thereon, or placed thereon, when in use, and such swinging scaffolding, platform or other device shall not be so overloaded or crowded as to render the same unsafe or dangerous.

SEC. 2. If in any house, building or structure in process of construction (except a private house to be used exclusively as a private residence, or except a barn to be used as such) the distance between the enclosed walls is more than twenty-four (24) feet in the clear, there shall be built, kept and maintained, proper intermediate supports for the joists, which supports shall be either brick walls, iron or steel columns, beams, trusses or girders, and the floors in all such houses, buildings or structures shall be designed, constructed, and maintained in such manner as to be capable of bearing in all their parts, in addition to the weight of the floor construction, partitions and permanent fixtures and mechanisms that may be set upon the same, a live load of fifty (50) pounds for every square foot of surface in such floors, it is hereby made the duty of the owner, lessee, builder or contractor, or sub-contractor of such house, building or

structure, or the superintendent or agent of either, to see that all the provisions of this section are complied with.

SEC. 3. Whenever it shall come to the notice of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, or to his deputy, or to any person acting under his direction, or the local authority in any city, town or village in this state, charged with the duty of enforcing the provisions of this act that the scaffolding or the slings, hangers, blocks, pulleys, stays, braces, ladders, irons or ropes of any swinging or stationary scaffolding, platform or other similar device in the construction, alteration, removing, repairing, cleaning, or painting of buildings, bridges or viaducts within the state are unsafe, or liable to prove dangerous to the life or limb of any person, the state labor commissioner or his deputy or person aforesaid, or the town or the city marshal or the building inspector shall immediately cause an inspection to be made of such scaffolding, platform, or device or the slings, hammocks, pulleys, stays, braces, ladder, iron, or other parts connected therewith. If after examination, such scaffolding, platform or device of any such parts, is found to be dangerous to the life or limb, the state labor commissioner or his deputy, or such local authority, shall at once notify the person responsible for its erection or maintenance, of such fact, and warn him against the use, maintenance, or operation thereof and prohibit the use thereof, until the same is altered and reconstructed so as to avoid such danger. Such notice may be served personally upon the person responsible for its erection or maintenance or by conspicuously affixing it to the said scaffold, platform or such other device, or the part thereof declared to be unsafe. After such notice has been so served or affixed, the person responsible therefor shall cease using such scaffolding, platform or other device or part thereof, until the same is altered or strengthened in such manner as to render it safe.

The commissioner aforesaid or his deputy or person aforesaid or local officers in authority, whose duty it is, under the terms of this act, to examine or test any scaffolding, platform or other similar device, or part thereof required to be erected and maintained by this section, shall have free access at all reasonable hours to any building or structure or premises containing such scaffolding, platform or other similar device, or parts thereof, or where they may be in use.

SEC. 4. Any person, firm or corporation in this state, hiring, employing or directing another to perform labor of any kind in the erecting, altering, repairing, or painting of any water pipe, stand pipe, tank, smoke stack, chimney, tower, steeple, pole, staff, dome or cupola, where the use of any scaffolding, staging, swing, hammock, support, temporary platform or other similar contrivance is required or used in the performance of such labor, shall keep and maintain at all times, while such labor is being performed, and such mechanical device is in use or operation, a safe and proper scaffold, stay or support, for the purpose of preventing the person or persons performing such labor from falling, in case of any accident to such working scaffold, staging, swing, hammock, support or temporary platform.

SEC. 5. All contractors and owners, when constructing buildings where the plans and specifications require the floors to be arched between the

beams thereof, or where the floors or filling in between the floors are of fireproof material or brickwork, shall complete the flooring or filling in as the building progresses, to within at least two tiers or beams below that on which the iron work is being erected. If the plans and specifications of such buildings do not require filling in between the beams of floors with brick or fireproof material, all contractors and owners, in the course of construction, shall lay the underflooring thereof, or a safe temporary floor on each story as the building progresses, to within at least two stories or floors below the story where the work is being performed. If the floor beams are of iron or steel, the contractors for the iron or steel work of buildings in course of construction, or the owners of such buildings, shall thoroughly plank over the entire tier of iron or steel beams on which the structural iron or steel work is being erected, except such spaces as may be reasonably required for the proper construction of such iron or steel work, and for the raising or lowering of materials to be used in the construction of such building, or such spaces as may be designated by the plans and specifications for stairways and elevator shafts.

SEC. 6. If elevating machines or hoisting apparatus are used within a building in the course of construction, for the purpose of lifting materials to be used in such construction, the contractors, or in the absence of contractors, the owners, shall cause the shafts or openings in each floor to be enclosed or fenced in on all sides by a substantial barrier or railing at least four feet in height, except on floors when workmen are loading or unloading material. Any hoisting machine or engine used in such building construction shall, where practicable, be set up or placed on the ground, and where it is necessary in the construction of such building to place such hoisting machine or engine on some floor above the ground floor, such machine or engine must be properly secured and supported with a foundation capable of safely sustaining twice the weight of such machine or engine. If a building in course of construction is five stories or more in height, no material needed for such construction shall be hoisted or lifted over public streets or alleys unless such street or alley shall be barricaded sufficiently to protect the public.

SEC. 7. If elevating machines or hoisting apparatus, operated or controlled by other than hand power, are used in the construction, alteration or removal of any building or other structure, a complete and adequate system of communication by means of signals shall be provided and maintained by the owner, contractor or sub-contractor during the use and operation of such elevating machines or hoisting apparatus, in order that prompt and effective communication may be had at all times between the operator of such engine or motive power of such elevating machine and hoisting apparatus, and the employees and persons engaged thereon, or in using or operating the same.

SEC. 8. It shall be the duty of all architects or draftsmen engaged in preparing plans, specifications or drawings to be used in the erection, repairing, altering or removing of any building or structure within the terms and provisions of this act to provide in such plans, specifications and drawings for all the permanent structural features or requirements specified in this act, and any failure on the part of any such architect or

draftsman to perform such duty, shall subject such architect or draftsman to a fine of not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars nor more than two hundred (\$200.00) dollars for each offense.

SEC. 9. Any owner, contractor, sub-contractor, foreman or other person, having charge of the erection, construction, repairing, alteration, removal or painting of any building, bridge, viaduct or other structure within the provisions of this act, shall comply with all the terms thereof, and any such owner, contractor, sub-contractor, foreman or other person, violating any of the provisions of this act, shall upon conviction thereof be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than one year in the county jail, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

SEC. 10. It shall be the duty of the said commissioner and his several deputies and persons acting under him to enforce the provisions of this act, and it shall also be the duty of every city or town marshal to enforce the provisions of this act in the particular city or incorporated town in which he shall hold office, and in such city or town as may provide, by ordinance, for an inspector of buildings, it shall be the duty of such inspector to enforce this act in such city, and in the event of the failure of any owner or contractor to comply with the provisions of this act, any of the persons charged with the duty of enforcing the same may, through the county attorney of the proper county, take the necessary legal steps to enforce compliance therewith.

SEC. 11. The provisions of this act shall not apply to maintenance and construction work upon the right of way of railroads.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 429, a bill for an act relating to the receiving and giving of tips or gratuities, and providing a penalty therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 451, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the organization of consolidated independent districts, beg leave to report they have had the same under

consideration and recommend the same be reported back to the Senate with the request that it be referred to the committee No. 2 on judiciary.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred House File No. 46, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred eighty (2780), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of school treasurers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 487, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to formation of consolidated school districts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 337, a bill for an act to classify one room rural schools and provide state aid for those meeting certain requirements, and making an appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 62, a bill for an act to repeal section one (1) of chapter two hundred forty-four (244) of the laws of the Thirty-fifth

General Assembly, and enacting a substitute therefor relating to the display of the flag on school premises, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 526, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2757 of the supplement to the code, 1915, relating to the organization of boards of directors of consolidated independent school districts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 43, a bill for an act to repeal section 5, chapter 62 of the acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly and to enact substitute therefor; relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 303, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the funds of cities and towns to authorize cities and towns to transfer moneys from one fund to another by permission of the court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 516, a bill for an act to legalize the establishment and location of a stand pipe in the public street of the city of Harlan, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 524, a bill for an act to prohibit a city or town from employing as an engineer any person, firm or corporation interested in the public work or improvement to which such engineering work relates, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 234, a bill for an act to repeal section 1306-e, supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute in lieu thereof, relating to the issuance and payment of bonds by cities and towns, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Senator Kimball moved that House File No. 234 be placed on the calendar.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 10:25 a. m.

On the motion to place the bill on the calendar, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Parker invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Ream, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—19.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laf-

fer, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—26.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Foskett, Foster, Jones, Taylor—5.

Motion lost.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:40 a. m.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on labor, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on labor, to whom was referred Senate File No. 434, a bill for an act to provide for the safety of people employed or assembling in certain buildings, and to charge owners and others with duties with reference thereto, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on labor, to whom was referred Senate File No. 111, a bill for an act to protect the lives, health, morals, of women and minors, providing for the fixing of minimum wages and the standard conditions of labor for such workers, limiting the hours of labor, and providing penalties for violations of the same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED TO SENATE FILE NO. 111.—MINIMUM WAGE.

Amend Section Four (4) by inserting the word "workshop," after the word "establishment" and before the word "office" in line three (3) and by striking out all after line five (5) in the printed bill and substituting the following:

"For minors, under the age of sixteen (16) years, not less than eight and one-third (8 1-3) cents per hour; for minors sixteen (16) years of age and over and adult learners and apprentices, not less than ten (10) cents per hour; provided, that the learning period of apprenticeship shall not extend for more than one year; for adults who are experienced in work they are employed to perform;

(a) In cities and towns having a population less than ten thousand (10,000) and over two thousand five hundred (2500) not less than twelve (12) cents per hour.

(b) In cities having a population of ten thousand (10,000) and less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) not less than fourteen (14) cents per hour.

(c) In cities having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) and over, not less than fifteen (15) cents per hour.

The employment of any female laborer, or minor of either sex for a longer period than fifty-five hours in the six secular days of any one week is hereby prohibited. But nothing herein shall be construed as limiting the right to contract for and pay a higher wage than herein specified as a minimum wage for female employees or minors in the above lines of employment; provided, however, that this act shall not apply to the following classes of employees:

1. Those engaged in any hotel or restaurant where board or board and room is furnished such employee.

2. Those employed in any canning factory, or fruit picking or packing industry.

3. Those employed in any telephone exchange where less than three operators are employed and the work is not continuous and consecutive.

4. Those who, by reason of the infirmities of age, or who by reason of physical or mental defects, are disqualified from earning the minimum wage specified herein, provided such disqualifications are certified to in writing by a reputable physician of the county, and a copy of this certificate given the employed and the same shall by him be kept on file and open to inspection by the duly constituted authorities.

5. Nurses employed in any hospital.

6. In the event of a great public calamity when the provisions of this act limiting the hours of labor may be temporarily suspended if authorized by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Amend Section nine (9) by inserting the words "the Bureau of" in line one (1) following the word "of" and by inserting the word "statistics" in the same line following the word "labor", in the printed bill.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Helmer moved that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to request the House to return to the Senate, Senate File No. 34.

Carried.

Senator Kimball moved that Senate File No. 115 be made a special order for Monday, March 29th, at 10:30 a. m.

Motion lost.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 157, a bill for an act authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter of

the southwest quarter of section sixteen, township seventy-three north, range eighteen, west of the Fifth P. M., Monroe county, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities (other than special charter cities) having a population of two thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 202, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in section eight hundred forty-g (840-g) supplement to the code, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 157, a bill for an act authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section sixteen, township seventy-three north, range eighteen, west of the Fifth P. M., Monroe county, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities (other than special charter cities) having a population of two thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 202, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in section eight hundred forty-g (840-g) supplement to the code, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 145, a bill for an act limiting the time within which actions to set aside, cancel, annul, declare void or invalid, or to redeem from certain tax deeds, guardians deeds, executors deeds, administrators deeds, receivers deed, referee's deed, assignee's deed, or trustees deeds and declaring such deeds and all proceedings upon which they are based conclusively presumed to be in all things valid and unimpeachable and effective to convey title according to the purport thereof.

Also :

House File No. 184, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-a (2963-a), supplement to the Code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, legalizing instruments and the record thereof affecting real estate titles recorded or spread upon the records of the recorder in the county in which the real estate described is located, prior to January 1, 1905, the acknowledgments of which are defective or which may not have been acknowledged.

Also :

House File No. 600, a bill for an act to amend Chapter Two-a (2-a) of Title Ten (X), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto the following provisions for transferring the care of certain drainage ditches to local boards of trustees.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had this day approved Senate Files Nos. 30 and 101.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Chase called up for consideration the following resolution, offered by him on March 24th:

WHEREAS, by the Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, a tax was imposed for the purpose of capitol extension, and

WHEREAS, no report has been received of the receipts and disbursements thereunder,

Therefore Be It Resolved, That the Executive Council is respectfully requested to furnish to the Senate, before April 1st, 1915, a detailed report of receipts and expenditures with a statement of expenses, including agents, commissions, the rentals now received, the amounts, if any, received from property sold, and the amount of ground still unpurchased, and the probable amount required to purchase same, the amount of cash on hand, and

all other information in their possession regarding the capitol extension purchase to date.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend by inserting in the seventh line, after the word "commissions", the words "or other compensation".

Also amend by adding to the resolution the words "including a statement of what streets, if any, have been vacated by the city of Des Moines for capitol grounds".

Adopted.

The resolution as amended was adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 216, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to intoxicating liquors, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

Senator Hagemann moved that Senate File No. 216 be re-referred to the committee on suppression of intemperance.

Senator Eversmeyer moved to amend the motion of Senator Hagemann to refer to the committee on pharmacy.

Amendment adopted.

On the adoption of the motion of Senator Hagemann as amended, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Eversmeyer, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa—16.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Farr, Jones, Ream—5.

Motion lost.

The Senate refused to adopt the report of the committee.

Senator Allen moved that the bill be made a special order for Tuesday, March 30th, at 10:30 a. m.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 253, a bill for an act to amend sections fourteen hundred fifty-eight (1458) and fourteen hundred sixty-one (1461), of the code, relating to the settlement with the county treasurer.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 594, a bill for an act creating the office of state document editor, prescribing the method of selecting the state document editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 314, a bill for an act making an appropriation to enable the state railroad commission to investigate, prepare and prosecute cases in resistance to advances asked by the carriers in the western advance rate case before the interstate commerce commission.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 201, a bill for an act regulating lobbying; requiring the registration of legislative counsel and agents and officers, agents and employes of corporations, firms and associations and regulating their activity; prohibiting state officers and officers, agents and employes drawing a salary from the state, and officers, agents and employes of any institution drawing its support from the state, from urging the inadequacy of their salaries or the needs of any institution with which they are connected; and prohibiting improper and corrupt lobbying, and providing penalty therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 495, a bill for an act relating to insurance, providing for the supervision and exemption of insurance rating bureaus by the commissioner of insurance; providing for an inspection and survey by such bureaus of all insurance risks specifically rated; requiring insurance concerns to adopt insurance bureau ratings, or to maintain or co-operate in maintaining and operating insurance rate making bureaus; authorizing a hearing upon and review of the rates fixed by any such bureau for insurance upon property within the state of Iowa; prohibiting discrimination in fixing and collecting insurance rates, and also rebates of premiums paid under such rates, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 66, a bill for an act to reimburse and indemnify by way of compensation to Alfred Hansen for a personal injury sustained while working at the "spotting of cars" in the state reformatory at Anamosa, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 58, a bill for an act to amend section 2415 of the code, relative to the payment of costs in search warrant cases, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 58 by inserting the words "Section One" just preceding the first word of the first line.

Amend by inserting after the word "cases" and before the word "unless", in the fourth line of the bill, the words "when instituted before a Justice of the Peace".

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment as a substitute for all pending amendments:

I move as a substitute amendment to amend the pending bill by striking out all that portion of the bill after the enacting clause and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code of Iowa, be amended by adding thereto the following:

"Provided, however, that not more than one such warrant in proceedings instituted before a Justice of the Peace if intoxicating liquor is found thereunder shall be issued at the expense of the State during any one month directed against the same individual or the same premises, unless such warrant is issued under or by the direction of the county attorney, mayor, sheriff or chief of police, or upon the affidavit of two resident freeholders of the township."

SEC. 2. "When a search warrant issues and intoxicating liquor is seized thereunder, the officer making such seizure shall immediately in writing, notify the county attorney thereof. If the liquors so seized be adjudged forfeited, the justice before whom the case is tried and the officer who made such seizure shall make return and report in writing to the county auditor of the matters and things within the contemplation of section twenty-four hundred thirty-three (2433) supplement to the code, 1913, and the auditor shall thereupon make a copy of such report and a notice of such proceedings and deliver such copy and notice to the sheriff, who shall promptly serve the same upon the owner and occupant of the premises, and promptly file with the auditor return of such service; and thereupon the same proceedings and results shall follow as in sections twenty-four hundred thirty-three (2433), twenty-four hundred thirty-seven (2437), twenty-four hundred thirty-eight (2438), and twenty-four hundred thirty-nine (2439), supplement to the code, 1913, and twenty-four hundred forty (2440), twenty-four hundred forty-one (2441), twenty-four hundred forty-two (2442), twenty-four hundred forty-three (2443), twenty-four hundred forty-four (2444), of the code, and twenty-four hundred forty-five (2445), supplement to the code, 1913, and sections twenty-four hundred forty-six (2446) and twenty-four hundred forty-seven (2447), of the code.

SEC. 3. "If such justice and officer executing the warrant of seizure for ten days after judgment of forfeiture, fail and omit to make such report to the auditor, or if the officer executing such warrant of seizure fails or omits to notify the county attorney as contemplated by this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (\$25) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100) dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not more than thirty days."

Substitute declared to be out of order.

President made a division of the amendments offered by Senator Wilson.

The first amendment was adopted.

The second amendment was adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the pending bill by striking out all that portion of the bill after the enacting clause and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code of Iowa, be amended by adding thereto the following:

"Provided, however, that not more than one such warrant in proceedings instituted before a Justice of the Peace if intoxicating liquor is found thereby shall be issued at the expense of the State during any one month directed against the same individual or the same premises, unless such warrant is issued under or by the direction of the county attorney, mayor, sheriff or chief of police, or upon the affidavit of two resident freeholders of the township."

SEC. 2. "When a search warrant issues and intoxicating liquor is seized thereunder, the officer making such seizure shall immediately in writing, notify the county attorney thereof. If the liquors so seized be adjudged forfeited, the Justice before whom the case is tried and the officer who made such seizure shall make return and report in writing to the county auditor of the matters and things within the contemplation of section twenty-four hundred thirty-three (2433) supplement to the code, 1913, and the auditor shall thereupon make a copy of such report and a notice of such proceedings and deliver such copy and notice to the sheriff, who shall promptly serve the same upon the owner and occupant of the premises, and promptly file with the auditor return of such service; and thereupon the same proceedings and results shall follow as in sections twenty-four hundred thirty-three (2433), twenty-four hundred thirty-seven (2437), twenty-four hundred thirty-eight (2438), and twenty-four hundred thirty-nine (2439) supplement to the code, 1913, and twenty-four hundred forty (2440), twenty-four hundred forty-one (2441), twenty-four hundred forty-two (2442), twenty-four hundred forty-three (2443), twenty-four hundred forty-four (2444), of the code, and twenty-four hundred forty-five (2445) supplement to the code, 1913, and sections twenty-four hundred forty-six (2446) and twenty-four hundred forty-seven (2447) of the code.

SEC. 3. "If such Justice and officer executing the warrant of seizure for ten days after judgment of forfeiture, fail and omit to make such report to the auditor, or if the officer executing such warrant of seizure fails or omits to notify the county attorney as contemplated by this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than Twenty-five (25.) Dollars nor more than One Hundred (\$100.) Dollars or imprisoned in the county jail not more than thirty days."

The amendment was lost.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, Wilson—26.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Grout, Larrabee, Robinson, Voorhees, Whitmore—17.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Enger, Jones, Nye, Ream, Thomas, White of Iowa—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Wilson moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 58 passed the Senate and to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

Senator Clarkson demanded a roll call on this motion.

Senator Clarkson asked to withdraw his motion for a roll call.

Request declared out of order.

The ayes were :

Chase, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—29.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Grout, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Thomas, Whitmore—18.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Jones, Ream—3.

The motion prevailed.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate voted to lay upon the table the motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 58 passed the Senate.

JOHN T. CLARKSON.

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Senator Helmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 143, 157 and 202.

Journals of March 23d and 24th were taken up, corrected and approved.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) to indemnify George D. Shaw for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the State hospital of the Insane at Clarinda, Iowa, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Foskett moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

Amend by striking out the words and figures "Five Thousand (5000.00)" in the first and second lines of the title and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Two Thousand Five Hundred (2500.00)".

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendment?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Francis, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—21.

So the House amendments were concurred in.

On motion of Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 296, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred nineteen (1419) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation for publication of notice of the time and place of tax sales, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the word "thirty", in the last line, the words, "In counties having a population of less than fifty thousand".

Adopted.

Senator Farr moved to reconsider the vote by which his amendment was adopted.

Carried.

Senator Farr by unanimous consent withdrew the amendment offered by him and adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 296 by striking out all after the word "amended" in the second line of Section 1 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "by inserting after the word 'cents' in the eleventh line thereof the words, 'in counties having a population of more than fifty thousand, or thirty cents in county having a population of less than fifty thousand'".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Fleck, Francis, Greene, Lindly, Quigley, Thompson, White of Benton—10.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Crist, Grout, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On request of Senator Foster, leave of absence was granted Senator Crist for the afternoon.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 489, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the city council of the city of Emmetsburg, Iowa, relative to the permanent improvement of certain streets therein and the contract entered into for said improvement and assessment of benefits to be made against property benefited thereby, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Darrah, Farr, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Ream, Schrup, White of Iowa—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Nye, Senate File No. 405, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the town of Lenox, Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Nye moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Darrah, Farr, Frailey, Francis, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Taylor, White of Iowa—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections 145, 146 and 154 of the code relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law as it appears in section 147 of the code and sections 2215-f14, 2215-f15, 2215-f16, supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional com-

compensation for the adjutant general, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By striking from line five in Section 5 the words "three thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-seven hundred", and further amending by adding Section 3 as follows:—"This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be effective and in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Red Oak Express, a newspaper published in Red Oak, Iowa".

Adopted.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section two (2) by inserting after the word "buildings", in the seventh line thereof a comma (,) and the words "now or hereafter"; Also amend section five (5) by substituting a comma (,) in place of the period (.) at the end of the section and by adding thereto the following:

"Which shall be in lieu of all other compensation now provided for him by law, and during said time he shall not receive any other or additional compensation from the state, nor shall he perform any duties as custodian of the capitol grounds of the state or any buildings thereon, but the Governor may appoint a custodian thereof who shall serve at a compensation to be fixed by the Executive Council during the time the Adjutant General is in the service of the United States under call of the President."

Adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Whitmore moved that further consideration of the bill be deferred until reached in regular order on the Calendar.

Motion withdrawn.

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 436 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out sections 3, 4 and 5 of the bill.

Senator Savage moved to amend the amendment by striking out of the amendment, Section 5.

Adopted.

The amendment offered by Senator Whitmore, as amended, was adopted.

Senator Taylor offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to Section 5 the following:—And striking out the words “fifteen hundred” in line four and inserting in lieu thereof the words “eighteen hundred”.

Amendment lost.

Senator Helmer moved to amend by renumbering sections in the bill to conform to amendments adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

Balkema, Enger, Perkins, Taylor—4.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Farr, Jones, Laffer, Schrup—5.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend title by striking out the word "sections" and inserting the word "section" in line five, and by striking out the words "twenty-two hundred fifteen-f 14 (2215-f14), twenty-two hundred fifteen-f 15 (2215-f15) and".

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title, as amended, was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Heald, Senate File No. 382, a bill for an act legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction and reconstruction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar River in said city, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Crist, Jones, Kimball, Laffer—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote whereby the report of the committee on House File No. 46 for indefinite postponement was adopted.

E. P. FARR.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Doran, Senate File No. 238, a bill for an act to repeal the taxation of moneys and credits, bank stocks, and banking capital law as the same appears in chapter sixty three laws of the 34th general assembly, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the motion to adopt the report of the committee a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Clarkson, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Parker, Robinson, White of Iowa—14.

The nays were:

Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Crist, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Heald, Jones, Thomas—9.

So the Senate refused to adopt the report of the committee.

Senator Doran moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—14.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—29.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Crist, Foster, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Ream—7.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Parker, House File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings for renewals of corporations for pecuniary profit, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—45.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Crist, Foster, Gillette, Jones—5.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 392, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a5 (4999-a5) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of safety appliances on machinery, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shecan, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Taylor, Thompson—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 393, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473) of the code, relating to the duties of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, and relating to the meaning or definitions of the terms "Factory," "Mill," and other like terms, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shecan, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Foster, Francis, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, White of Iowa
—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 556, a bill for an act to amend section twenty hundred twenty-eight (2028), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to highways to lands, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend the bill by striking out the words "by the condemnor" in line 6 and substitute therefor the following: "upon an application therefor."

Insert after the word "to" before the word "having" in line 6 of the bill the following, "such applicant."

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

On request of Senator Robinson leave of absence was granted Senator Jones for the day.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on highways, Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16) and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 7 (1527-s7), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 17 (1527-s17), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 19 (1527-s19), supplement to the code, 1913, defining the duties of township trustees and boards of supervisors relative to marking dangerous points on highways, defining the jurisdiction of state, county, township and corporation line roads, and provid-

ing for the transfer of the unexpended balance from the drag fund to the general township road fund.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

MR. PRESIDENT—I move that the vote by which House File No. 234 was indefinitely postponed be reconsidered, I having voted in the affirmative on said proposition.

CLEM F. KIMBALL.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 26, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. John C. Orth, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Guthrie Center, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Milton, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to Committee No. 1 on Judiciary.

Senator Clarkson presented petitions of citizens of Pella and Pleasantville, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to Committee No. 1 on Judiciary.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Allamakee county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on Retrenchment and Reform.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Clearfield, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to Committee No. 1 on Judiciary.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Plymouth county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Eversmeyer presented petitions of citizens of Muscatine and Louisa counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Cerro Gordo county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Jones county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Boe presented petitions of citizens of Fertile, Osage and Northwood, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Thomas presented a petition of citizens of Decatur county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

Lieutenant Governor Harding presented a petition of citizens of Sheldon, Iowa, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, relative to investigation of state printing and binding.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on insurance, Senate File No. 568, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the amount of insurance to be required on improvements included in loans made by insurance companies.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By Senator Foster, Senate File No. 569.

A BILL FOR AN ACT To Legalize Certain Warrants Issued by the Town of Bagley, in the County of Guthrie and State of Iowa.

WHEREAS, In September, 1913, at an election duly and legally called and held, the electors of the town of Bagley, in the county of Guthrie and State of Iowa, voted upon the question of issuing bonds in the sum of \$6,000.00 for the purpose of erecting and equipping an electric light plant in and for said town; and

WHEREAS, a majority of the electors of said election voted in favor of the issuance of bonds by said town in said amount; and

WHEREAS, under such authority the said town of Bagley did issue its bonds in the sum of \$6,000.00 for said purpose; and

WHEREAS, said bonds are now outstanding; and

WHEREAS, in the erection and equipment of said plant the money realized from the sale of said bonds proved insufficient to properly erect and equip said plant; and

WHEREAS, the further sum of \$5,576.68 was necessary to properly erect and equip said plant, said sum being represented by warrants duly issued by said town on the following dates, in the following amounts, with the following numbers and to the following persons, to-wit:

Warrant No.	Date.	To Whom Issued.	Amount.
503	April 10, 1914	Farmers Savings Bank, Bagley, Iowa	\$1,400.00
529	April 21, 1914	Philip S. Dennis & Co.....	600.00
544	May 5, 1914	Rider & Peterman, Bagley, Iowa...	390.43
558	May 18, 1914	First National Bank, Bagley, Iowa	376.93
561	May 22, 1914	Globe Electric Co.....	1,300.00
573	June 13, 1914	Philip S. Dennis Co.....	498.80
594	July 10, 1914	Newbury Bros.	60.80
450	Feb. 6, 1914	Montgomery Construction Co.....	949.72

and,

WHEREAS, said warrants are now outstanding and are unpaid, and,

WHEREAS, the entire amount represented by said warrants was used in the construction and equipment of said plant, and

WHEREAS, the said town of Bagley has had full consideration for all of said warrants, and

WHEREAS, the said bonds and the said warrants now represent the total indebtedness of said town, and

WHEREAS, the total amount of said bonds and warrants does not exceed five (5) per centum of the actual value of the taxable property within said town, and

WHEREAS, the actual value of the taxable property within said town at the time of said election was such that the electors might have legally voted and incurred an indebtedness in excess of \$18,000.00, now, therefore, *Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. That each and all of the warrants issued by the town of Bagley, in the county of Guthrie and State of Iowa, to-wit:

No. 503, dated April 10, 1914, given to Farmers Savings Bank, Bagley, Iowa, \$1,400.00;

No. 529, dated April 21, 1914, given to Philip S. Dennis Co., \$600.00;

No. 544 dated May 5, 1914, given to Rider & Peterman, Bagley, Iowa, \$390.43;

No. 558, dated May 18, 1914, given to First National Bank, Bagley, Iowa, \$376.93;

No. 561, dated May 22, 1914, given to Globe Electric Co., \$1,300.00;

No. 573, dated June 13, 1914, given to Philip S. Dennis Co., \$498.80;

No. 594, dated July 10, 1914, given to Newbury Bros., \$60.80;

No. 450, dated Feb. 6, 1914, given to Montgomery Construction Co., \$949.72;

are hereby legalized and declared the valid, binding, subsisting and enforceable obligations of the town of Bagley, in the county of Guthrie and state of Iowa, to the same extent and with the same force and validity as though the law had in all respects been complied with and the issuance of said warrants had been authorized by a majority vote of the qualified electors of the said town of Bagley.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and from and after its publication in the Gazette, a newspaper published at Bagley in Guthrie county, Iowa, and said publication to be without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

On request of Senator Thomas, leave of absence was granted Senators Caswell, Henigbaum and Darrah for the day.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 495, a bill for an act relating to insurance, providing for the supervision and examination of insurance rating bureaus by the commissioner of insurance; providing for an inspection and survey by such bureaus of all insurance risks specifically rated; requiring insurance concerns to adopt insurance bureau ratings, or to maintain or co-operate in maintaining and operating insurance rate making bureaus; authorizing a hearing upon and review of the rates fixed by any such bureau for insurance upon property within the state of Iowa; prohibiting discrimination in fixing and collecting insurance rates, and also rebates of premiums paid under such rates, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

House File No. 66, a bill for an act to reimburse and indemnify by way of compensation to Alfred Hansen for a personal injury sustained while working at the "spotting of cars" in the state reformatory at Anamosa, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 594, a bill for an act creating the office of state document editor, prescribing the method of selecting the state document editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Hilsinger, from the committee on insurance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 491, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 492, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-b (1798-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred House File No. 429, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 541, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-m (2477-m), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability and workmen's compensation, beg leave to report

they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 539, a bill for an act to repeal section one hundred eighty-one (181), supplement to the code, 1913, in reference to the committee on retrenchment and reform and their duties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 605, a bill for an act to legalize a certain school election held February 6, 1915, for the organization of the consolidated independent district of Beech, in Warren county, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House is returning herewith Senate File No. 34, as requested.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 267, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the selection of official newspapers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 422, a bill for an act to provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 485, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the limitation of the number of saloons in cities and towns acting under special charter.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Chase, from the committee on Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 463, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the duties of county attorneys as the same appears in section 301, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 604, a bill for an act to legalize the organization of **the consolidated independent school district of Hartford, Warren county, Iowa**, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 525, a bill for an act to limit the compensation of public officers and employees to the salaries allowed them by law and to

prevent the payment to them of additional sums and to punish the claiming or receiving of such additional sums, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be placed on the calendar.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was placed on the calendar.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 28, a bill for an act providing that evidence of intoxication shall not be given on the question of intent in civil and criminal cases, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Senator Chase moved that Senate File No. 28 be placed on the Calendar and asked for a roll call on this motion.

The ayes were :

Allen, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—28.

The nays were :

Farr, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Perkins, Schrup—7.

Absent or not voting :

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Henigbaum, Kimball, Savage, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—15.

Motion prevailed and the bill was placed on the Calendar.

Senator Farr moved that the Secretary of the Senate request the House to return to the Senate, House File No. 46.

Carried.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 220, a bill for an act to repeal sections 510-a and 510-b, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes

therefor, and to amend paragraph 12 of section 511, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation and mileage charged by sheriffs, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

JOHN H. TAYLOR,

Chairman.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 220.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Repeal Sections Five Hundred Ten-a (510-a) and Five Hundred Ten-b (510-b), Supplement to the Code, 1913, and to Enact Substitutes Therefor, Relating to Compensation of Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Five Hundred Ten-a (510-a), Supplement to the code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The county sheriff shall receive an annual salary as follows:

1. In counties having a population of less than ten thousand (10,000), Thirteen Hundred (\$1,300.00) Dollars.
2. In counties having a population of ten thousand (10,000) and less than twenty thousand (20,000), Fourteen Hundred (\$1,400.00) Dollars.
3. In counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) and less than twenty-five thousand (25,000), Fifteen Hundred (\$1,500.00) Dollars.
4. In counties having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) and less than thirty thousand (30,000), Sixteen Hundred (\$1,600.00) Dollars.
5. In counties having a population of thirty thousand (30,000) and less than thirty-five thousand (35,000), Seventeen Hundred (\$1,700.00) Dollars.
6. In counties having a population of thirty-five thousand (35,000) and less than forty thousand (40,000), Eighteen Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars.
7. In counties having a population of forty thousand (40,000) and less than fifty thousand (50,000) Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars.
8. In counties having a population of fifty thousand (50,000) and less than sixty thousand (60,000), Twenty-three Hundred (\$2,300.00) Dollars.
9. In counties having a population of sixty thousand (60,000), and less than seventy thousand (70,000), Twenty-five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars.
10. In counties having a population of seventy thousand (70,000) and over, Twenty-six Hundred (\$2,600.00) Dollars.

SEC. 2. The sheriff shall accept the salary herein provided in full compensation for all services performed by him under color of his office except as to boarding prisoners and mileage. All fees of every kind and nature which he receives for services performed in his official capacity or on matters pertaining to the records in his office, shall belong to the county, and shall be paid into the county treasury quarterly.

SEC. 3 That Section Five Hundred Ten-b (510-b), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"In all counties the sheriff shall in writing appoint one or more persons, not holding a county office, as deputy or deputies, for whose acts he shall be responsible and from whom he shall require a bond, which appointment and bond shall be approved by the officer having the approval of the principal's bond; and such appointment may be revoked in writing, which appointment and revocation shall be filed and kept in the auditor's office. In all cases the board of supervisors shall fix the number of deputies and shall fix the salary of such deputies. All deputies shall be paid by the county."

Substitute read first and second time.

Senator Taylor moved that the bill be made a special order for 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

Motion lost.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Grout, from the committee on public health, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred House File No. 136, a bill for an act authorizing the board of health to isolate cases of whooping cough, measles, mumps or chickenpox, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 503, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 17-b of title XXII, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of optometry, providing for the creation of a board of examiners in optometry, regulating the practice of optometry and providing penalties for the violation of said chapter, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By striking out section 1 of said bill, and renumbering sections 2 and 3.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred House File No. 88, a bill for an act to regulate the practice of chiropractic and to provide for the examination and license of chiropractors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

At the end of section 1 add the following:

“Provide, that after the year 1916 no person shall be eligible for examination or license who has not had a preliminary training equal to a course in an accredited high school.”

After the word “act” in the 13th line of section 9 insert the words, “or any other medical practice act now in force or effect.”

Strike out the words “at the close of each regular meeting of the board of examiners” in lines 1 and 2 of section 11, and also the comma (,) following the said words, and change the letter “t” in the word following the comma to a capital.

Insert after the word “state” in line 3 of section 11 the words “in accordance with the provisions of existing law.”

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Larrabee, from the committee on railroads, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 450, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand ninety-one-c (2091-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of districts and the voting of taxes to construct any trolley, or electrified railroad, or to electrify any steam railroad, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 212, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2125, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to definition of switching service, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 184, 145 and 600.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Clarkson called up for consideration the motion filed by him on March 25th to reconsider the vote by which the Senate voted to lay upon the table the motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 58 passed the Senate.

Senator Wilson raised the point of order that this motion was not debatable.

Point of order sustained.

President Harding inquired of Senator Clarkson if he thought the motion to reconsider the vote by which a motion to reconsider was laid on the table was in order.

Senator Clarkson answered that he thought it was.

President Harding stated that he did not think such a motion was in order and asked Senator Clarkson to cite his authority.

Senator Clarkson cited sections 1270, 1271, and 1272 of Cushing's Manual, page 507.

President Harding held that the motion was not in order and cited section 5638 of Hind's Precedents, in which the Speaker held that the motion to lay on the table was not subject to reconsideration. Also, section 5640, which section held that a two-thirds vote was necessary to take the bill from the table and the motion to lay on the table was not subject to reconsideration. He also called attention to page 75 of Robert's Rules of Order, which holds that the motion to lay on the table is not subject to reconsideration. He also cited Gregg on Parliamentary Law, which holds that the motion to lay on the table cannot be reconsidered. Also cited Smith on Parliamentary Law, which holds that the motion to lay on the table is not subject to reconsideration.

Senator Clarkson appealed from the decision of the chair.

On the question as to whether the chair should be sustained, the ayes were:

Arney, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Allen, Boe, Clarkson, Whitmore—4.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Henigbaum, Thomas, Thompson—12.

The chair was sustained.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Parker, House File No. 12, a bill for an act to provide for municipal courts for certain cities and the adoption thereof by general state or municipal election or by special election; providing for jurisdiction thereof, mode and manner of procedure therein; providing for the election of the judges of such municipal courts and defining their powers and duties; providing for the manner of preparing and who shall constitute the jury list, manner of drawing jury panels and jurors; also defining certain duties of other officials and providing penalties for the violation thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved the adoption of the following amendments:

1. By inserting after the comma following the word "proclamation" in the fifth line of section 2 the following:

"published once a week for three consecutive weeks in two newspapers of general circulation published in said municipality, or, if two such newspapers be not published, then in one such newspaper."

2. By striking out of the amendment at the close of section 3 that part of same reading:

"provided, that in cities of less than thirty thousand (30,000) under the commission form of government, the mayor, by and with the consent of the council, shall have power to appoint the judge, clerk and balliff of the municipal court."

3. By striking out the amendment after the comma (,) following the word "provided" in the 11th line of section 6, reading:

"except as provided by section 3 hereof."

4. By striking out the amendment in the first line of section 12 reading:

"except as provided by section 2" and changing the word "all" in said line to read "All".

5. By striking out the amendment following the first line of section 16 reading:

"except in cities of less than thirty thousand (30,000) population under commission form of government"

6. By inserting preceding the word "Judiciary" in the 5th line of section 13 and in the 6th line of section 14, the word "Municipal".

7. By striking out of line 3 in section 18 the words, characters and figures "five hundred (\$500.00) dollars," and by substituting therefor the words, characters and figures: "One thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars".

8. By striking out of line 5 in section 18 the following: "foreclosure of mechanics' liens and real estate mortgages" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "those directly affecting the title to real estate".

9. By inserting at the end of section 43: "challenges for cause shall be the same in the district court."

10. By inserting at the end of section 46 the following: "where judgments are not transcribed the Municipal Court shall have jurisdiction of proceedings auxiliary to execution."

11. By inserting at the end of section 17 the following:

"Grounds for, and the practice governing the correction, vacation, or modification of final judgment or order of said court, and the granting of new trial, shall be the same, so far as may be, as in the district court; and the jurisdiction of said court shall be considered as retained by it for correction of errors of the court, or in the record, for a period of ten days following the entry of final judgment, except that execution may issue upon the entry of final judgment unless stayed by order of court for a period not exceeding such ten days, or unless stayed by appeal perfected by notice and supersedeas."

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by striking the word "twenty" from the second line of the bill and inserting the word "five".

Senator White of Iowa was called to the chair at 10:35 a. m.

The amendment by Senator Wilson was withdrawn.

President Harding resumed the chair at 11:05 a. m.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

Farr—1.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Darrah, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Savage, Thompson, Voorhees—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Allen moved that House File No. 594 be recalled from the committee on retrenchment and reform and placed on the Calendar for consideration in place of Senate File No. 485.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 594, a bill for an act creating the office of state document editor, prescribing the method of selecting the state document editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read the second and third time the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by adding at the close of section 5 the following:

"The right here given to edit, revise, condense and eliminate portions of reports published by the state or at state expense shall apply notwithstanding the existence of any statute specifying that such report shall contain certain definite matters, and where tables or other matters are once printed in any report of any department, it shall be sufficient to refer to such table or other matters as it appears in the previously published state document."

Adopted.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File No. 485 by striking out section seven thereof and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

SEC. 7. The state binder shall deliver all completed documents, reports and publications to the state document editor and shall receive his receipt therefor.

Amendment withdrawn.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by striking out the words and figures "two thousand (\$2,000.00)" in line one of section three (3) and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two thousand five hundred (\$2,500.00)".

Amendment lost.

Senator Taylor offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out all of section 9, and renumber the remaining sections.

Further consideration postponed.

Senator Arney moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Communications were received from the Governor, stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 143 and 202.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of House File No. 594, a bill for an act creating the office of state document editor, prescribing the method of selecting the state document editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties.

The amendment of Senator Taylor to strike out section 9 and renumber the remaining sections was pending.

Senator Francis moved that House File No. 594 be referred to committee on appropriations.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 454, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-eight hundred twelve-c (2812-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to school funding bonds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Farr, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 271, a bill for an act to provide for the assessment and taxation of osage, willow and other hedge fences adjacent to public highways, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the following amendment, found on page 743 of the Journal :

Amend section one (1) by striking out all after the word "not" in line six (6) and inserting in lieu thereof the following "apply to trees growing along the highway at a distance of two (2) or more rods apart".

Adopted.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the following amendment, found on page 743 of the Journal :

Amend section two (2) by striking out of lines ten (10) and eleven (11) all after the word "apportioned" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "such tax to be paid into the county road fund".

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend the second amendment found on page 743 of the Senate Journal by substituting the word "land" for the word "apportioned".

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 1 by inserting after the word "highway" in line 6 the words "which have not been cut or trimmed as by law provided".

Adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

Doran, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, White of Iowa—7.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Darrah, Farr, Foskett, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Laffer, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f 31 and 2215-f 36, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 247, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter 13-b, title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that Senate File No. 247 be made a special order for tomorrow at 10:30 a. m.

Motion lost.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section two (2), paragraph "(d)", by striking out in line eleven (11) of the printed bill the words "Mortgages upon real property located in this state or in counties adjoining this state", and substituting in lieu thereof the words "Bonds or notes secured by mortgage on real estate, provided that the amount of such lien and of all superior liens upon said real estate shall not exceed three-fourths of the actual cash value thereof."

Amend section twenty-two (22) by striking out of line eleven (11) of the printed bill all following the word "purchaser", by striking out all of lines twelve, thirteen, fourteen, and by striking out of line fifteen the

word "and" before the word "shall" and substituting the word "he", and by striking the word "also" out of said line fifteen.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 2:30 p. m.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:40 p. m.

Further consideration deferred.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Foster filed the following substitute amendment:

I move, as a substitute for the pending amendment, to strike from section 2, paragraphs (d) and (e) thereof, and to substitute therefor the following:

"(d) Promissory notes and the mortgages, contracts, collateral or other things, if any, securing the same, when said notes and securities have, in a bona fide way, been issued, given or acquired in the ordinary course of legitimate business, trade or commerce.

"(e) Shares of stock in corporations organized under the provisions of the laws of Iowa and doing business in accordance therewith."

Senator Enger filed the following amendment:

Amend Senate File No. 247 in section 9 by inserting after the words "December 31st", in line 2 of said section, the words "or at such time as they make their annual statement to their directors".

Senator Thomas filed the following amendments:

I move to amend Senate File No. 247 by striking out all of paragraph "(e)" of section 2 in line 14 of the printed bill, and inserting after the letter "(e)" and in lieu thereof the following:

"The stock of any corporation organized under the laws of this or any other state or territory of the United States, or of the federal government, provided that under the laws of such state or territory or federal government, no capital stock of a corporation may be issued unless the par value of said stock is either paid for in full in cash before the issuance of such stock, or if property or anything other than money is given in exchange for stock, the same shall be valued at not less than its actual value by some duly appointed officer or commission of such state, territory or federal government under the laws of which said corporation is organized."

AMENDMENT FILED.

Senator Whitmore filed the following amendments to Senate File No. 219:

1. Add to Section 4, the following:

"SECTION 4-a. Profits or dividends in any shape or form, shall not, directly or indirectly, over and above seven per centum per annum be declared or distributed or paid, but shall each year be written and applied to and held in reserve fund until such fund equals and is maintained at one-half the capital stock issued."

2. Amend Section 5 by adding at the 11th line the following:

"When a resident director becomes a non-resident of the State of Iowa, or when any director shall own less than five shares of stock of the bank, his office of director shall thereupon become vacant."

3. Add to Section 10, the following:

"8: The bank shall not receive chequing deposits, or engage in the general banking business."

4. Amend Section 17 by inserting after the 3d line thereof:

"Such bonds shall be in denominations of One Hundred Dollars (\$100), Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) and One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), in such proportion as there may be demand for purchase of same and as the Board may determine. Such bonds shall for thirty days be by such Board offered for sale, to citizens of Iowa upon competitive bids, which offer shall be by printed lists of such bonds, a copy of such list to be given or mailed to such citizens of Iowa as may inquire for same, and which lists shall be printed at such times and in such manner as the Auditor of State may by regulation prescribe."

5. In Section 17, add to first paragraph:

"The amount of such bonds said bank may issue in any one year is limited to and shall not exceed the amount of mortgages maturing the same year, or prior thereto, on deposit with the auditor of state."

6. In Section 19, at the end of the first sentence, insert the following:

"Such mortgage so deposited shall be accompanied by an abstract of title together with written opinion of the attorney general, or of such competent attorney-at-law of this State as he may in writing appoint, showing such mortgage to be a first and valid lien upon the land covered by such abstract. The auditor may loan such abstract of title for a reasonable limited length of time to responsible parties upon deposit with him of proper security."

7. In Section 19, second paragraph, tenth line of the printed bill, between the words "district," and "or", insert the words: "drainage district"; and in the same line insert between the words "state" and "to", the words: "or cash".

8. Add to Section 20, the following:

"In the event of failure of the bank to pay interest or principal within six months of maturity of either, the Auditor of State may demand substitution of other security in lieu thereof and exchange therefor."

9. In Section 22, between the words "taxation" and "in", insert the following:

"and execution"

10. In Section 22, change the final period at end of section, to a comma, and add thereto the following:

"and, when owned by an individual citizen of and residing in this State, shall, in a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) be exempt from execution; but not more than one member of a family shall be entitled to such exemption."

11. In Section 28, line 6 of printed bill, after the word "mortgage" and before the word "provided", insert the word "note".

12. In Section 28, strike out that part of same reading:

"provided that no such endorsements shall be made if bonds of such bank outstanding are for a greater amount than the total amount of mortgages, cash and other securities of such bank held by the auditor of state."

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 570, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty (880) of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Farr, Senate File No. 571, a bill for an act to amend he law as it appears in chapter eight-a (8-a), title XII, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability for personal njury sustained by employes in line of duty, fixing compensation herefor, securing the payment thereof, providing for the appointment of a commissioner and defining his duties.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 572, a bill for an act to provide for and regulate public warehouses, the warehousing, shipping, weighing and inspection of grain, and to repeal acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 573, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred nine (809) of the code, relating to the putting in of water works connections before permanent improvement of the street, alley or public place where the same is located and the taxing of the cost of same to the property benefited if the property owner fails and neglects to put in the same and pay the cost thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 574, a bill for an act to provide the conditions on which corporations, associations or companies, issuing policies of insurance of any character and not organized or existing pursuant to the laws of this state, shall transact business in this state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 575, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a 17 (1989-a 17), of supplement to the code, 1913, relating to a re-levy of special assessments in certain cases.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Frailey, from the committee on public utilities, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public utilities, to whom was referred Senate File No. 352, a bill for an act relative to certain public utilities, defining their duties, providing for a court procedure for the determination of controversies relative to their duties and their rights to operate in municipalities, and making provision for securing certain facts relative to services rendered by such public utilities and the cost thereof, and providing for the use of such facts by municipalities, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute, including title:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 352—BY CRIST.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Relative to Certain Public Utilities, Defining Their Right, Powers, Remedies and Duties, and Providing for Their Further Regulation and Control.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Every public utility, hereinafter designated, shall furnish efficient and adequate modern service and provide sufficient modern facilities for such purpose, and shall be entitled to charge a just, reasonable and adequate compensation for the service furnished and facilities provided.

SEC. 2. The district court of the county where such public utility is operating shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine all controversies involving the character and adequacy of the service being furnished by any public utility hereinafter designated, and of the sufficiency of the facilities for such purpose, and to render such judgment as will secure to any city or town and the inhabitants thereof, the service and facilities provided for in Section One (1) hereof, and may also as a part of such judgment provide for the forfeiture of the franchise of such public utility upon its failure to comply with the requirements of such judgment as to the service and facilities to be furnished and provided. The jurisdiction of the said court shall be invoked in a suit in equity brought by the city or town, or by any twenty-five persons, being freeholders, residing in such city or town, and shall be triable at the first term and be prosecuted and brought to trial as speedily as practicable. The party bring-

ing such suit shall file with the clerk a bond for costs accruing in such case, the amount of said bond to be fixed and said bond to be approved by such clerk.

SEC. 3. Before any city or town shall take any action to exercise any of the powers provided by Section 725 of the Code, or to extend or renew any then existing franchise, such city or town shall by resolution of its council, fix a time and place for a public hearing before the council, of all matters involved, including the question of whether any rental, rate or charge proposed to be fixed or regulated is just, reasonable and adequate, and shall give at least ten days notice of the time and place of such hearing to the public utility affected.

At such time and place so fixed the said city council shall proceed to fully inquire into and hear all such matters receiving all evidence thereon offered by such city or town and by such public utility, and for such purpose the council shall have the power to adjourn the hearing from time to time, subpoena and compel the attendance of witnesses from any place within the state, the city or town clerk issuing all necessary subpoenas therefor, and the city or town council shall have power to compel the production of books and papers to be used as evidence, and shall employ a competent stenographer to take the evidence on such hearing.

Any public utility or any twenty-five resident freeholders residing in such city or town, affected by any action of the council, or electors, or both, of any city or town, whether by the extension or renewal of any franchise or otherwise, by which any rental, rate or charge for service to be furnished is fixed or regulated or the facilities to be provided is determined may appeal from such action to the district court of the county wherein such city or town is located, within ninety days from the taking of such action. Such appeal may be taken by serving written notice upon the mayor or clerk of such city or town, and filing with the city or town clerk, a bond for costs accruing on said appeal, the amount of said bond to be fixed and said bond to be approved by either of said officers. Upon such appeal all questions of the reasonableness and validity of such action including the justness, reasonableness and adequacy of any rental, rate or charge, and the reasonableness of any facilities required to be provided, shall be heard and determined by the court.

The action upon appeal in the district court shall be tried as a suit in equity and shall be triable at the first term, and shall be heard and determined as speedily as practicable. No pleadings shall be required upon the hearing of said appeal, but the city or town clerk shall immediately upon the giving of a notice of appeal, and approval and filing of the bond hereinbefore provided for, certify to said district court a transcript of all proceedings had before or by the council or electors, or both, in said matter, including any ordinance adopted and all other action taken either by said council or electors, or both, of said city or town fixing any rate, rental or charge for services or facilities to be furnished or provided. The validity of the actions and proceedings of the council or electors, or both, of said city or town as well as any election held in connection therewith, and the justness, reasonableness and ade-

quacy of any rental, rate or charge fixed and the reasonableness and justness of any facilities required shall be considered and held to be put in issue by operation of law. No such appeal shall be dismissed by reason of an insufficient transcript, but the district court shall have power at any time and at any stage of the proceedings, to require the city or town clerk to certify any additional transcript which such court shall deem necessary to a full hearing of the matters to be heard on such appeal.

The transcript of the city clerk need not include the evidence upon the hearing before the city or town council unless request is made therefor by a party to the proceeding and then only to such extent as may be requested by such party, and when so requested such portion of the evidence including such portion of the translation of the notes of the stenographer taking the same as the party requesting may desire, shall be certified to said district court, and when so certified by the stenographer, and city or town clerk, the same may be used upon the trial of the appeal in said district court.

If the court shall determine that any rate or charge fixed by such city is unjust, unreasonable or inadequate, or the facilities required to be furnished by such action are unreasonable or unjust, the same shall be cancelled and annulled, and such cancellation and annulment certified back to the council of said city or town, and the council or electors, or both, of said city or town may thereupon take the necessary action to fix new rentals, rates, or charges or facilities to be furnished and provided in lieu of those so cancelled or annulled, certifying such action to the court to which said appeal is taken, or such city or town may by resolution of its council elect to stand upon the rates and requirements previously fixed and which have been so cancelled or annulled by the court, by appealing from the judgment of the said district court to the supreme court as hereinafter provided.

The district court to which the appeal is taken shall retain jurisdiction for the purpose of passing upon the justness, reasonableness and adequacy of any new rentals, rates and charges to be made and facilities to be furnished as fixed by the council, or electors, or both, of such city or town in lieu of those cancelled or annulled, and said court shall proceed to hear and determine the question of the justness, reasonableness and adequacy thereof, as a part of the original appeal, and the time for appeal to the supreme court as hereinafter provided, from the judgment of the district court shall not begin to run until the determination as to the justness, reasonableness and adequacy of the said new rentals, rates, charges and facilities.

SEC. 4. The Judge of the district court hearing any cause or appeal provided for by this act, may at his discretion, or upon the motion of either party to any such action shall, certify such fact of the pendency of such action or appeal to the Chief Justice of the supreme court of Iowa, who shall thereupon designate a Judge from some other district to preside upon such cause or the hearing of such appeal, and the Judge so designated shall be entitled to receive his actual expenses caused by attendance upon such trial or hearing.

Either party may appeal to the supreme court from the whole or any part of the judgment of the district court rendered in any action or proceeding provided for in this act. Said appeal shall be taken within the same time and manner as in other civil actions and said cause or proceeding shall be heard and determined as an equitable action. The supreme court upon motion of either party shall advance on its docket any cause arising under this act, and hear the same as speedily as practicable.

SEC. 5. The term "public utility," as used in this act, means and includes every person, partnership or private corporation and their assignees, trustees, lessees or receivers that now or may hereafter for hire be engaged in the production, sale, transmission for sale or distribution, or distribution of gas, electricity, or water, or energy for light, heat or power in any city or town within this state having a population not exceeding twenty-five thousand, and includes the physical properties used and useful in furnishing or rendering the services referred to in this section and all rights and privileges appertaining thereto.

JOS. R. FRAILEY,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Frailey, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

Senator Clarkson, from the committee on mines and mining, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on mines and mining, to whom was referred Senate File No. 477, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-twelve-a (2489-12-a), supplement to the code, 1913, requiring the owner, lessee, operator or person in charge of a mine to file annual reports of accidents, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN T. CLARKSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Journal of March 25th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Savage moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 27, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President pro tem of the Senate, L. E. Crist, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. B. F. Fellman, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Robinson presented petitions of citizens of Cerro Gordo and Franklin counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Gillette presented a remonstrance of citizens of Plymouth county, against increase in passenger rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Chase presented petitions of citizens of Wright county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Chase presented petitions of citizens of Iowa Falls and Radcliffe, Iowa, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Monona county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Mitchell county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Story county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Page county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Doran presented petitions of citizens of Boone and Story counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 576, a bill for an act to repeal sections four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a 6 (4999-a6), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a 7 (4999-a7), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eight (4999-a8), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a nine (4999-a9), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a ten (4999-a10), and four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eleven (4999-a11) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor relating to fire escapes, stairways and means of escape from buildings, structures or enclosures and protection against fire and providing for the inspection of such means of protection of buildings, and the duties of commissioner of labor and other officers in relation thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Doran, Senate File No. 577, a bill for an act amending chapter two (2) of the code of 1897, relating to the membership of the board of educational examiners.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on educational institutions.

By Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 578, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirty-six (836), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Grout, Senate File No. 579, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to protection against fire as it appears in sections forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a six and forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven, supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on educational institutions.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 580, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-two-b (2562-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the issuance of licenses permitting certain persons to engage in the business of raising and selling certain game birds, and fixing the ownership and title to such game.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on fish and game.

By Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 581, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-one (2561), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to taking, killing, or having in possession certain birds other than game birds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on fish and game.

By Senator Parker by request, Senate File No. 582, a bill for an act to require all contractors entering into contracts with counties, townships, cities, towns, school districts or other municipalities for the building of public improvements or the constructing of public buildings, to furnish security bonds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 485, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), supplement to the code, 1913 relating to the limitation of the number of saloons in cities and towns acting under special chapter.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on suppression of intemperance.

House File No. 422, a bill for an act to provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

House File No. 267, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the selection of official newspapers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on printing.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Whitmore, from the committee on military affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the erection of soldiers' monuments and memorial halls as the same appears in section 430, supplement to the code, 1913, and section 435 of the code, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass: By striking out all of Section 2 thereof.

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 205, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the erection of soldiers monuments and memorial halls as the same appears in section 430, supplement to the code, 1913, and section 435, of the code, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass: By striking out all of Section 2 thereof.

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 500, a bill for an act to provide for the erection of a memorial hall for the use and benefit of the members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Women's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Sons and Daughters of Veterans, the Sons and Daughters of Veterans of the American Revolution, Spanish War veterans and other patriotic associations, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

C. W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

Senator Whitmore moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were :

Allen, Clarkson, Francis, Heald, Laffer, Parker, Perkins—7.

Absent or not voting :

Frailey, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—12.

So the report was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Arney offered the following concurrent resolution and moved its adoption :

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That whereas, Carl Peters, one of the elevator operators of the State House, has been suddenly summoned from our midst by death,

Be It Resolved, as a mark of respect to the deceased and his family, that Senator Fleck, of the Senate, and Representative Craven of the House, accompany the remains to their resting place; also that the President of the Senate is authorized to appoint one of the employees of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House, one of the employees of the House, to attend the burial services.

Be It Further Resolved, that the sergeants-at-arms of the Senate and House be authorized and directed to take such steps as may be necessary for carrying out the provisions of this resolution, and that the necessary expense in connection therewith be paid out of the contingent fund of the state.

Be It Further Resolved, that the secretary of the Senate and the chief clerk of the House transmit a copy of this resolution to the family of the deceased.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had this day approved Senate File No. 157.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 563, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred thirty-four-c (2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-a (2634-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the educational board of examiners, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out of line six (6) of section one the words and figures "one hundred and fifty (\$150.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and twenty-five (\$125.00)".

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Jones, from the committee on banks and banking, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred House File No. 376, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred eighty-one (1881) of the code, relating to the report of the condition of banks by the auditor of state to the governor, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. F. JONES,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred Senate File No. 362, a bill for an act providing for the organization of home banks incorporated, defining the powers of the directors,

specifying the nature and character of the investments to be made, limiting the liabilities of the stock holders, limiting the salaries to be paid its officers, limiting the dividends to be paid the stockholders, providing for the disposition of the surplus, making provision for the encouragement of home ownership and providing funds with which to make chattel loans and that class of loans now made by loan sharks, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. F. JONES,
Chairman.

Senator Allen moved that Senate File No. 362 be placed on the Calendar.

Carried.

Senator Larrabee, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 269, a bill for an act to amend section 1661-a of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By striking out the words "of the" preceding the word "supplement" in line two of the title, and by striking out the words "of the" preceding the word "supplement" in line two of section one, and inserting in lieu of the words "of the" in the title and line two of section one a comma ",".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House is returning herewith House File No. 46, as requested by the Senate.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 515, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred sixty-four (164), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the executive council.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 110, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume of said reports and the terms and conditions thereof, to provide for the copyrights of said reports; to provide for the preparation, printing, binding and certification of the acts of the General Assembly and the form and number thereof, to provide for the annotations of the laws of the state and the supplement embracing the same, to provide for the contents of the volumes containing said acts and laws, to provide for a revision of the laws of the state; to fix the salary of the reporter of the supreme court, to make annual appropriation for said work, and to repeal chapter four (4) of title three (3), section thirty-eight (38), section thirty-nine (39), section forty (40), and section one hundred thirty-three (133), of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the government of the Soldiers' Home, as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred four (2604), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 479, a bill for an act to regulate political advertising and to provide penalties for the breach thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 530, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred thirty-three (333), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to exemptions from jury duty.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 383, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the allowance made for labor performed by dipsomaniacs and inebriates, as the same appears in section 2310-a 37, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 273, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the treatment of Tuberculosis, Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Hospital for Inebriates, Penitentiary and Reformatory, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Boe moved that Senate File No. 339 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Carried.

Senator Francis, from the committee No. 1 on judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 235, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Strike out sections 1 and 2 of the bill and substitute the following as sections 1 and 2:

SECTION 1. That Section 2911-a, Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "stock" in the 5th line of said section, the words, "or fixtures, or stock and fixtures" and by striking from line 5 of said section, the word "three" and insertnig in lieu thereof the word "seven".

SECTION 2. That section 2911-b, Supplement to the Code, 1913, be amended as follows: By striking out the period after the word "transaction" in the last line, and adding the following: "; except creditors to whom notice was mailed as provided in section 2911-a, but if such

creditors have received any part of the purchase price paid they shall be required to contribute equitably to those who have not received such notice."

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 346, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred thirty-eight (3538), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the manner of commencing actions against unknown defendants, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 520, a bill for an act to legalize a certain school election held February 6, 1915, for the organization of the consolidated independent district of Beech, in Warren county, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 569, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants issued by the town of Bagley, in the county of Guthrie and state of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 41, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four thousand eighty-seven (4087), of the code, relating to equitable proceedings auxiliary to execution, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 149, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws becoming effective by publication, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend Senate File No. 149 by striking out Section 2 and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, will take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Muscatine Journal, a newspaper published in the city of Muscatine, Iowa."

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 198, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand seven hundred twenty-eight (4728), of the code, limiting the punishment to be inflicted for the crime of murder in the first degree, to the imprisonment for life at hard labor in the penitentiary, and taking the right of determination thereof from the jury, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Senator Doran moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the adoption of the report of the committee a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foster, Francis, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, White of Iowa—13.

The nays were:

Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger.

Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Wilson—23.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Fleck, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Kimball, ~~Quincy~~, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore—14

So the Senate refused to adopt the report of the committee.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 198, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand seven ~~hundred~~ twenty-eight (4728) of the code, limiting the punishment ~~to be~~ inflicted for the crime of murder in the first degree, to imprisonment for life at hard labor in the penitentiary, and taking the right of determination thereof from the jury, was taken up and considered.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now,

Motion withdrawn.

Senator Taylor moved that consideration be deferred until 10:30 a. m. next Wednesday and be made a special order for that time.

Senator Francis moved to amend, making time for special order at 11:45 a. m. today.

Amendment lost.

Motion of Senator Taylor was lost.

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to the bill the following words: "by inserting in line five of section 4728 of the Code after the word 'and' and before the word 'shall' the following: 'if confession or admission of guilt is made or secured shall be punished with death or imprisonment for life at hard labor in the penitentiary, as determined by the jury or by the court where the defendant pleads guilty.'"

Senator White of Iowa moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. Monday.

Motion lost.

Senator Helmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Motion lost.

Senator Francis moved the previous question on the amendment and the bill.

Carried.

The amendment offered by Senator Caswell was lost.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Gillette invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Gillette, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Wilson—19.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, White of Iowa—20.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Kimball, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore—11.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

Senator Francis moved that the vote whereby Senate File No. 198 failed to pass the Senate be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Senator Gillette raised the point of order that the losing side only had the right to move a reconsideration and that the motion of Senator Francis was out of order.

President pro tem held the point of order not well taken.

Senator Gillette then demanded a division of the motion by Senator Francis and cited Rule 13.

Chair held the point not well taken.

On the question to reconsider and lay the motion to reconsider on the table, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Francis invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larra-
bee, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, White of Iowa—20.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Gillette,
Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Taylor,
Thomas, White of Benton, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Kimball, Savage, Schrup,
Shean, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore—11.

The roll call was verified.

Motion carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the
House has concurred in Senate concurrent resolution, in which the con-
currence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to the death and burial services
of Carl Peters.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the
House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House
was asked:

Senate File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand
sixty-a one hundred twenty (3060-a 120), supplement to the code, 1913, re-
lative to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable in-
strument.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the
House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate
is asked:

House File No. 596, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in
section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-a (2692-a), supplement to the code,
1913, and section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-c (2692-c), supplement to
the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of state agents and providing
for compensation for same.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

The chair appointed Earl Collins, on the part of the Senate, to attend the burial services of Carl Peters, as provided by Senate concurrent resolution already adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 583, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 584, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purposes of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eighth (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contests.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 585, a bill for an act making an appropriation for extra clerical assistance and help in the office of the secretary of state.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

Journal of March 26th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Heald moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. Monday.

Senator Wilson moved to amend, making time of adjournment 2 o'clock p. m. today.

By unanimous consent, Senator Heald withdrew his motion and Senator Wilson moved that the Senate adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m. today.

Senator Eversmeyer moved to amend this motion, making time of adjournment 9:30 o'clock a. m. Monday.

Carried.

Senator Francis moved to amend the motion as amended and make time of adjournment 2 o'clock p. m. today.

Motion lost.

On the motion to adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m. Monday, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foster, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Thomas, White of Benton—14.

The nays were:

Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Wilson—18.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Kimball, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore—18.

Motion lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 247, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter thirteen-b (13-b), title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee.

Senator Thomas moved that further consideration of Senate File No. 247 be deferred until 10:30 a. m. Monday.

Carried.

On request of Senator Clarkson leave of absence was granted Senator Allen until Monday.

On request of Senator Wilson leave of absence was granted Senators Sheean and Voorhees for the day.

On request of Senator Francis leave of absence was granted Senator Whitmore for today, Monday and Tuesday.

On request of Senator Heald leave of absence was granted Senator Kimball for today.

On request of Senator Heald, he was granted leave of absence for the afternoon.

On request of Senator Francis, he was granted leave of absence for the afternoon.

On request of Senator Laffer, he was granted leave of absence for the afternoon.

On request of Senator Hilsinger, he was granted leave of absence for the afternoon.

On request of Senator Robinson, he was granted leave of absence for the afternoon.

On request of Senator Gillette, he was granted leave of absence for the afternoon.

On request of Senator Perkins, he was granted leave of absence for the afternoon.

On request of Senator Foster, he was granted leave of absence for the afternoon.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Allen filed the following amendments:

I move to amend Senate File No. 216 by striking out the amendment as same appears on page 905 of the Journal of the Senate, and by substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the comma following the word 'whatever' in line seven of said section the following: 'including all patent and proprietary or other compounded medicines, terpeneless extracts of orange and lemon, anise, celery seed, rose and thyme extracts, or other liquid compounds or mixtures containing alcohol, ale, wine, beer, or any other spirituous, vinous or malt liquor which has not been compounded with other ingredients in such manner and to such extent as to destroy its distinctive character as an intoxicating liquor and to render its use as a beverage impossible, except extracts used for food purposes as defined by section 4999-a 31 of the supplement to the code, 1913, not herein enumerated'."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 335, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to rape and providing a punishment therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

Strike out sections 1 and 2 and substitute the following as sections 1 and 2:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the Code be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"If any person ravish and carnally know any female of the age of sixteen years or more, by force and against her will, or carnally know and abuse any female child under the age of sixteen years, he shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary for life or any term of years."

SECTION 2. "This act shall not apply to an offense of such character committed prior to the time when this act takes effect; but as to an offense of such character committed prior to the time when this act takes effect, the law as the same appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the Code shall remain in force and effect."

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Senator Helmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:45 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:45 p. m., President pro tem Crist presiding.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) to indemnify George D. Shaw for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital of the insane at Clarinda, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Also:

Senate File No. 314, a bill for an act making an appropriation to enable the state railroad commission to investigate, prepare and prosecute

cases in resistance to advances asked by the carriers in the western advance rate case before the interstate commerce commission.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 124, a bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings for renewals of corporations for pecuniary profit.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) to indemnify George D. Shaw for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital of the insane at Clarinda, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Also:

Senate File No. 314, a bill for an act making an appropriation to enable the state railroad commission to investigate, prepare and prosecute cases in resistance to advances asked by the carriers in the western advance rate case before the interstate commerce commission.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

The Secretary was instructed to call the roll to ascertain if a quorum was present.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henig-

baum, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The roll call showed a quorum present.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Helmer, House File No. 263, a bill for an act to legalize the transfer of board of health fund of Washington township, Greene county, Iowa, to the township road fund of such township, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President pro tem Crist announced that as President pro tem of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 77, 314 and 201.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Darrah, Senate File No. 465, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-b-six (2634-b6), supplement to the code,

1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Darrah moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 388, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred fifty-four (2754), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the time of filing petitions for directors of school boards, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by substituting the word "full" for the word "clear" in the fourth line of the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 469, a bill for an act amending section one thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (1258), code of 1897, relating to removal of municipal officers, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the following amendment:

"Amend by striking out the words 'code of 1897' and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'of the code' where same occur in the bill."

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Arney, Chase, Eyersmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—18.

Senator Foskett submitted the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption :

Strike the words "code of 1897" from the title and substitute therefor the words "of the code".

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m five (1571-m 5) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles, was taken up and considered.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the bill passed the Senate.

Carried.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the bill passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by striking out the words "of the" in the second line of the title; also by striking out the word "and", being the last word in line 1 of the title; also amend by striking out the letter "M" between the words "one" and "five" in line 2 of section 1 and inserting the letter "m"; also by striking out the word "and" as it occurs in line 2 of section 1.

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster Senate File No. 479, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were :

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 556, a bill for an act to amend section twenty hundred twenty-eight (2028) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to highways to lands, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend the bill by striking out the words "by the condemnor" in line 6 and substituting therefor the following: "upon an application therefor."

Insert after the word "to", before the word "having", in line 6 of the bill, the following: "such applicant".

Adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Wilson moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 496, a bill for an act to legalize the acts of the incorporated town of

Gladbrook, Iowa, in voting to purchase or erect an electric light and power plant in said town and as a part thereof, a transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the high potential transmission line of the Iowa railway and light company extending between the towns of Marshalltown and Tama; to issue the bonds of said town in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of such light and power plant and transmission line; and to sell such plant to the Iowa Railway and Light Company, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator White of Benton moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Thompson, Voorhees—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 396, a bill for an act to to repeal sections 1396 and 1397 of the code, relative to the county treasurer giving information as to taxes due, and to enact substitutes therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jackson, Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof, was taken up and considered.

Senator Jackson moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

Amend by striking out Section 2 thereof.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees—22.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 334, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Further consideration deferred.

On motion of Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 467, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation, acts and proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theater Company, of Keokuk, Lee county, Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Frailey offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 467 by adding thereto the following: "Such publication to be without expense to the state."

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson was called to the chair at 3:10 p. m.

Senator Frailey moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 405, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the town of Lenox, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 151, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587) of the code, relating to regulations for cemeteries.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 208, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgage prior to January 1, 1900.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 564, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirty-six (836), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charter.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 457, a bill for an act to legalize the plat of Gallaher's addition to the town (now city) of Jefferson, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section eleven hundred seven (1107) of the code, relating to the printing of the official ballot, by limiting the cost of same per thousand.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 498, a bill for an act to validate the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Norwalk, in Warren county, Iowa, and proceedings taken to authorize the issuance of bonds of said district in the amount of \$25,000, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, President pro tem Crist resumed the chair at 3:20 p. m.

On Motion of Senator Wilson, House File No. 503, a bill for an act to amend section 3558 of the code relating to copies of plead-

ings, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—24.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 488, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Further consideration deferred.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 516, a bill for an act to legalize the establishment and location of a stand pipe in the public street of the city of Harlan, Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—23.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 77, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) to indemnify George D. Shaw for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital for the insane at Clarinda, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 201, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Also:

Senate File No. 314, a bill for an act making an appropriation to enable the state railroad commission to investigate, prepare and prosecute cases in resistance to advances asked by the carriers in the western advance rate case before the interstate commerce commission.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 586.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Legalize the Proceedings Under Which the Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison County, Iowa, was Established, and to Legalize the Establishment Thereof and to Legalize the Election of Directors and Officers Thereof and to Legalize the Issuance of the Bonds of Said District for School Funding and School Building Purposes.

WHEREAS, on or about the ninth (9th) day of May, 1914, a petition duly approved by the county superintendent of Harrison county, Iowa, was filed with the board of directors of the school district of Mondamin Independent District, Harrison county, Iowa, asking for the establishment under the provisions of Section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the Code, 1913, of a consolidated Independent School District, including said Mondamin Independent District and a part of Morgan, Taylor, Raglan and Clay townships, containing not less than sixteen (16) sections, the whole thereof being described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast (NE) corner of the west half (W 1-2) of the east half (E 1-2) of section eleven (11) township eighty (80), range forty-five (45) west of the fifth P. M. Iowa, thence south on the quarter section line to the southeast (SE) corner of the west half (W 1-2) of the east half (E 1-2) section fourteen (14) of said township and range, thence west to the northwest (NW) corner of section twenty (20) of said township and range, thence south to the southwest corner of section thirty-two (32) of said township and range, thence east to the southeast (SE) corner of the west half of section thirty-five (35) of said township and range, thence south to the center of section two (2) of said township seventynine (79) range forty-five (45), thence east to the southwest (SW) corner of the northwest quarter (NW 1-4) of section one (1) of said township and range, thence south to the southwest (SW) corner of the northwest quarter (NW 1-4) of the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) of said section one (1), thence east directly across said section one (1), thence east directly across sections six (6), five (5) and four (4) to the southeast (SE) corner of the northeast quarter (NE 1-4) of the southeast quarter (SE 1-4) of said section four (4), of township seventy-nine (79), range forty-four (44), thence north to the northeast (NE) corner of said section four (4), thence east to the southeast (SE) corner of section thirty-four (34), township eighty (80), range forty-four (44), thence north to northeast (NE) corner of section twenty-seven (27) of said township and range, thence west to the southwest (SW) corner of the southeast quarter (SE 1-4) of section twenty-two (22) of said township and range, thence north to the center of section fifteen (15) of said township and range, thence west to the southwest (SW) corner of the northwest quarter (NW 1-4) section seventeen (17) of said township and range, thence north to the southwest (SW) corner of the northwest quarter (NW 1-4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1-4) of said section

seventeen (17), thence west to the southeast (SE) corner of the northeast quarter (NE 1-4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1-4) of section eighteen (18) of said township and range, thence south to the center of said section eighteen (18), thence west to the center of section thirteen (13) of said township and range, thence north to the northeast (NE) corner of the northwest quarter (NW 1-4) of section twelve (12) in said township and range, and thence west to the place of beginning; which petition was signed by the legal number of qualified electors and

WHEREAS, on May twelfth (12th), 1914, the board of directors of said Mondamin Independent District called a special election of the voters of the territory described, said election to be held at the Mondamin Council room on May twenty-fifth (25th), 1914, and

WHEREAS, notice of said election was duly posted in five public places as required by law and

WHEREAS, at said election said board of directors failed to furnish a regular printed ballot upon which should appear the proposition for the consolidation of said district, but in fact furnished to said voters ballots upon which they should indicate whether they were for or against the following proposition: "Shall the proposed districts consolidate with the Mondamin Independent School District", upon which the voters should indicate whether they were for or again said proposition by placing a cross in the square opposite the word "yes" or "no" as the case might be, and

WHEREAS, a large majority of the voters of said district voted at said election and the proposition for the consolidation of said district duly carried, and,

WHEREAS, on or about June tenth (10th), 1914, a special election of said consolidated Independent School District was called for the purpose of electing five directors therein, and

WHEREAS, notice of said election for June tenth (10th), 1914, was duly given as required by law, and

WHEREAS, at said election the following were elected directors of said Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, A. D. Gilmore and G. H. Wallace for the term expiring the second Monday in March, 1915; M. F. McEvoy and W. A. Robinson for the term expiring the second Monday in March, 1916; G. G. Cooper for the term expiring the second Monday in March, 1917, and

WHEREAS, on the eighth (8th) day of March, 1915, being the regular annual meeting of the voters of the said district, there was submitted to said voters the following proposition: "Shall the board of education bond the district for twenty-five thousand dollars, (\$25,000) for improvements, viz., to pay registered outstanding warrants and bonds to install a heating plant, to erect a new building, and purchase additional grounds", and

WHEREAS, said proposition was submitted to said voters without the previous filing with the president of the board of directors of a petition signed by a majority of the qualified electors of such Independent District, stating the purpose for which the money was to be used, and that

the necessary school-house could not be built and furnished within the limit of one and one quarter (1-4) per centum of the valuation of the taxable property within such Independent School District, as ascertained by the last county tax list, and

WHEREAS, at such election upon said proposition said board of directors failed to furnish a regular printed ballot in the form required by law, but submitted a ballot upon which was the proposition hereinbefore stated, and upon which the voters were to indicate whether they were for or against said proposition by placing a cross in the square opposite the word "yes" or "no", as the case might be, and

WHEREAS, at said election a majority of the duly qualified electors of said District voted in favor of issuing the bonds of said District for twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for improvements, viz., to pay registered outstanding warrants and bonds; to install a heating plant, to erect a new building and to purchase additional grounds, and

WHEREAS, the said Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, has been known and designated in said records as "Mondamin Consolidated Independent School District," and as "Consolidated School District of Mondamin Independent School District", and as "Consolidated Independent District", and as Consolidated Independent School District of Mondamin, Iowa," and as Mondamin Independent School District", and

WHEREAS, the notice of the said meeting to be held on March eighth (8th), 1915, as posted, stated that there would be submitted to the voters of said District at said meeting, for their approval and suggestion the following proposition:

"Shall the board of education issue bonds against the Mondamin Independent School district for the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), or so much thereof as is necessary for the purpose of refunding outstanding bonds, to pay all registered outstanding warrants, to install a heating plant, to erect a new building, to furnish same, to purchase additional play ground", and

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the directors of said district a resolution was duly adopted providing for the issuance of school funding and school building bonds of said Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars \$(25,000) for the purpose of refunding valid bonds of the Mondamin Independent District, heretofore issued by it and known as school building bonds in the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), and for the purpose of refunding or paying warrants of the Mondamin Independent District to the amount of thirty-two hundred sixty-seven dollars and sixty-six cents (\$3267.66), and for the purpose of erecting a new school building, installing a heating plant therein and furnishing the said building and purchasing additional ground for a play ground, and

WHEREAS, the board of directors of said Independent School District of Mondamin has entered into a contract for the sale of said bonds at a price not less than the par value thereof, and has directed that the same be dated June first (1st), 1915, of the denomination of one thousand dol-

lars (\$1,000), numbered one (1) to twenty-five (25), inclusive, bear interest at the rate of five per cent (5%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and be due in numerical order; one thousand dollars (\$1,000) on June first (1st) of each of the years 1918, 1920, and 1921, two thousand dollars (\$2,000) on June first (1st), 1922, three thousand dollars (\$3,000) on June first (1st), 1923, three thousand dollars on June 1st, 1924, and thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000) on June 1st, 1925, and that principal and interest be payable at National Bank of the Republic, Chicago, Ill., and

WHEREAS, questions have arisen as to the validity of the proceedings had and done in the organization of said Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, and as to the validity of proceedings had and done to authorize the issuance of the school funding and school building bonds of said district aforesaid, and

WHEREAS, the best interests of the state and of the territory embraced within said Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, and of the inhabitants thereof, demand that the organization of said district and the proceedings done to authorize said bonds, be in all respects validated, now, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the petition for said election, the approval thereof by the county superintendent and the filing thereof with the board of directors of the Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa; the action of the board thereon, the calling of said special election to vote upon the question of establishing the territory described in said petition into an independent consolidated school district; the notice of election, the form of ballot used at said election so held upon said proposition; the election within said territory so consolidated electing directors and officers thereof; the action of said directors and officers calling a special election for the purpose of voting the bonds of said school district in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) the proceeds thereof to be used for the purpose of refunding valid bonds of the Mondamin Independent District, heretofore issued by it and known as School building bonds in the sum of three thousand (\$3,000), and for the purpose of refunding or paying warrants of the Mondamin Independent District to the amount of thirty-two hundred sixty-seven and sixty-six cents (\$3267.66), and for the purpose of erecting a new school building, installing a heating plant therein and furnishing the said building and purchasing additional ground for a play ground; the election so held thereon; the action of said board of directors in declaring said proposition duly carried; the action of said board of directors and officers of said consolidated school district in the issuance of said bonds and the sale thereof, and the meeting of said board at which such action was taken, be and the same are hereby legalized and made binding and effective with the same force and effect as though the law then in force had been fully, specifically and in every particular complied with and the establishment of said consolidated school district is hereby confirmed and declared legal, the election of said officers is hereby declared legal and

confirmed and the election for the issuance of said bonds is hereby declared legal and effective and the bonds so issued are hereby declared th legal binding bonds of said school district and same are hereby declared legal as a valid binding indebtedness of said Independent School District.

SEC. 2. That all proceedings had and done by the board of directors, officers and electors of said Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, to authorize the issuance of school funding and school building bonds of said district in the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), for the purpose of funding bonds and warrants heretofore issued by Mondamin Independent District, and for the purpose of building a new school house, furnishing the same, installing a heating plant therein and purchasing additional ground, be and the same are hereby in all respects legalized, ratified and confirmed, and that the officers of said district be and they are hereby authorized to issue the school funding and school building bonds of said district, described in the preamble hereof.

SEC. 3. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.

SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Mondamin Enterprise, a newspaper published at Mondamin, Iowa, such publication to be without expense to the State.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 587, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in sections four hundred (400) and four hundred two (402), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal and relocation of the county seat in any county in this state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Thomas filed the following amendments to Senate File 190:

Amend Sec. 2 by adding after the period (.) following the word "county" in line fifteen of the printed bill the following:

When a family removes from one county to another within the state, the county superintendent or depository of the school district in which he resides, may purchase out of the proper fund, the text books in actual use by the children of the family at a fair price, based on the condition of the books and under such rules and regulations as the county board of education may adopt; the said books to be resold, when necessary, to other pupils moving into the said district.

By unanimous consent, Senator Enger withdrew the amendment to Senate File No. 247 filed by him on March 27th and shown on page 1049 of the Journal.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Enger filed the following amendment:

Amend Senate File No. 247, in Section 9 by inserting after the words December 31st, in line 2 of said section the words: "or at such time as they make their annual statement to their directors, but not less than once each year."

Senator Henigbaum moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. Monday, March 29th.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 29, A. D. 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 10:00 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. P. S. Ervin, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Frailey presented petition of citizens of Lee county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Hagemann presented petitions of citizens of Butler county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Perkins presented petitions of citizens of Buchanal and Delaware counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Henigbaum presented petitions of citizens of Scott county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Farr presented petitions of citizens of Woodbury county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Geneva, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Hampton, Iowa, favoring establishment of a board of examiners for chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Robinson presented petitions of citizens of Hancock county, opposing the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Harlan, Iowa, urging passage of House File No. 88, relative to the practice of chiropractic.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Woodbury county, urging passage of House File No. 369, relative to the poultry bureau bill.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of the state, urging passage of Senate File No. 270 to establish a bureau of vital statistics for Iowa.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator White presented a petition of citizens of Iowa county, urging passage of plumber and steam fitters bill.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Calhoun county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of teachers of Fort Dodge, Iowa, urging passage of teacher's pension bill.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Polk county, relative to the employment of veterans as doorkeepers and janitors during the general assemblies.

Referred to committee on retrenchment and reform.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 588, a bill for an act amending section seven hundred twenty-five (725), supplement to the code, 1913, giving to cities and towns power to require gas water, electric and power companies to furnish service to certain persons.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 589, a bill for an act authorizing independent school districts having a population of 10,000 or more to retire public school teachers upon an annuity, creating a fund for such purpose and a board of trustees to administer the same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 515, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred sixty-four (164), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the executive council.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the government of the soldiers' home, as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred four (2604), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

House File No. 530, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred thirty-three (333), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to exemptions from jury duty.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 110, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume of said reports and the terms and conditions thereof, to provide for the copyrights of said reports; to provide for the preparation, printing, binding and certification of the acts of the general assembly and the form and number thereof; to provide for the annotations of the laws of the state and the supplement embracing the same, to provide for the contents of the volumes containing said acts and laws, to provide for a revision of the laws of the state; to fix the salary of the reporter of the supreme court; to make annual appropria-

tion for said work, and to repeal chapter four (4) of title three (3), section thirty-eight (38), section thirty-nine (39), section forty (40), and section one hundred thirty-three (133), of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 479, a bill for an act to regulate political advertising and to provide penalties for the breach hereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 564, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirty-six (836), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 201, a bill for an act regulating lobbying; requiring the registration of legislative counsel and agents and officers, agents and employes of corporations, firms and associations and regulating their activity; prohibiting state officers and officers, agents and employes drawing a salary from the state and officers, agents and employes of any institution drawing its support from the state, from urging the inadequacy of their salaries or the needs of any institution with which they are connected; and prohibiting improper and corrupt lobbying, and providing penalty therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 596, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-a (2692-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-c (2692-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of state agents and providing for compensation for same.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

House File No. 457, a bill for an act to legalize the plat of Gallaher's Addition to the town (now city) of Jefferson, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section eleven hundred seven (1107) of the code, relating to the printing of the official ballot, by limiting the cost of same per thousand.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on printing.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 489, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the city council of the city of Emmetsburg, Iowa, relative to the permanent improvement of certain streets therein and the contract entered into for said improvement, and assessment of benefits to be made against property benefited thereby.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 382, a bill for an act legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction and reconstruction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar river in said city.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 354, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to school corporations as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 318, a bill for an act to repeal section nine hundred thirty-two-b (932-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 259, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter fourteen-B (14-B), sections twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w (2538-w), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w1 (2538-w1), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w2 (2538-w2), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w3 (2538-w3), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w5 (2538-w5) and twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w8 (2538-w8), supplement to the code, 1913, and to add thereto section twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w12 (2538-w12), relative to the manufacture and distribution of hog cholera serum, toxines, vaccines and biological products.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 577, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred seventy-b-two (1570-b2), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the transference of unexpended balances in the township road dragging fund.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 460, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred ninety-two (2692), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the liability of counties for the support of children in the soldiers' orphans' home, by providing method of payment by the county.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 80, a bill for an act to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg Anniversary Commission created by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly in carrying out the provisions of chapter three hundred thirty-five (335), acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 354, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to school corporations as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

House File No. 318, a bill for an act to repeal section nine hundred thirty-two-b (932-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 259, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter fourteen-b (14-b), sections twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w (2538-w), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w1 (2538-w1), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w2 (2538-w2), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w3 (2538-w3), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w5 (2538-w5), and twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w8 (2538-w8), supplement to the code, 1913, and to add thereto section twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w12 (2538-w12), relative to the manufacture and distribution of hog cholera serum toxins, vaccines and biological products.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

House File No. 577, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred seventy-b-two (1570-b2), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the transference of unexpended balances in the township road dragging fund.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 460, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred ninety-two (2692), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the liability of counties for the support of children in the soldiers' orphans' home, by providing method of payment by the county.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 396, a bill for an act to amend section 741-d, section 741-e and section 741-f, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of city halls and the purchasing of ground therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend the title by inserting immediately preceding the word "supplement" in the third (3) line thereof the words "and Section Seven hundred forty-one-h (741-h),"

Amend by inserting at the end of said bill the following:

"SECTION 5. That Section Seven hundred forty-one-h (741-h) be amended by inserting after the word city in line two (2) thereof the words "or town."

Also by striking out all of said section after the period (.) following the word "purpose" in the third (3) line thereof, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "In cities having a population of five thousand or over notice of such election shall be published in two newspapers published in said city once each week for not less than four consecutive weeks. In all other cities and towns notice of such election shall be given by publication in one newspaper published in said city or town once each week for not less than two consecutive weeks. The election shall be held not less than five nor more than twenty days after the completion of the publication of such notice. The question to be submitted shall be in the following form:

Shall the city (or town) of _____ erect a city (or town) hall at a cost not exceeding \$ _____."

CLEM F. KIMBALL,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 258, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in Section 695 of the code, relating to the rights, powers, privileges and jurisdiction of cities and towns, including cities under commission government and cities under special charter, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Add after the period in line twenty-three (23) the following: "Nothing in this law shall be construed as granting any municipality power to incur any debt or levy any taxes unless the same is now, or may be hereafter, specifically authorized by law."

Add after the period in line twenty-nine (29) the following: "Nothing in this law shall be construed as repealing any of the police powers of the

state and all laws enacted by the state shall be binding on all municipalities and municipal officers."

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 361, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section 894, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Wilson withdrew the motion to reconsider the vote on Senate File No. 178, found on page 477 of the Journal.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Wilson withdrew Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Senator Thomas withdrew Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Robinson, Senate File No. 262, a bill for an act to safeguard water supplies to prevent the discharge of sewage or the deposit of garbage into lakes, ponds, natural or artificial depressions or reservoirs, rivers or other water courses or upon land subject to overflow; to provide a plan for enabling cities and towns to provide sewage treatment for existing sewer systems, and to provide for the supervision, direction and care of sanitary installations, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Robinson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to Section 1 the following:

Provided that the discharge of sewage into streams and water courses within the state by municipal sewerage systems installed and in operation at the time of the passage of this act shall not be unlawful except on the

failure of the municipalities to comply with the remaining provisions of this act; and the compliance of said municipalities with the provisions of this act providing for the installation of the sewage treatment plants required for the proper equipment of such sewerage systems within a reasonable time shall be a bar to injunction proceedings or other legal actions brought against such municipalities until the expiration of the time so determined and fixed under the provisions of this act.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the word "municipal" in the amendment.

Adopted.

The amendment by Senator Robinson as amended was adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Doran, Farr, Quigley, Ream,—4.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Fleck, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, White of Iowa, Whitmore—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for Special Order, Senate File No. 247, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter thirteen-b (13-b), title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, com-

panies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee, was taken up for further consideration.

By unanimous consent, Senator Thomas withdrew the following amendments pending and printed on pages 1048 and 1049 of the Journal:

Amend section two (2), paragraph "(d)", by striking out in line eleven (11) of the printed bill the words "Mortgages upon real property located in this state or in counties adjoining this state", and substituting in lieu thereof the words "Bonds or notes secured by mortgage on real estate, provided that the amount of such lien and of all superior liens upon said real estate shall not exceed three-fourths of the actual cash value thereof."

Amend section twenty-two (22) by striking out of line eleven (11) of the printed bill all following the word "purchaser", by striking out all of lines twelve, thirteen, fourteen, and by striking out of line fifteen the word "and" before the word "shall" and substituting the word "he", and by striking the word "also" out of said line fifteen.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 10:50 a. m.

Senator Savage raised the point of order that as this bill carried an appropriation, under Rule 20, it should be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Point of order withdrawn.

Senator Perkins moved that the bill be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Senator Allen moved that the motion be amended so as to instruct the committee on appropriations to report back to the Senate by 1:30 p. m., Friday, April 2d, and that the bill retain its place on the Calendar.

Senator Thomas moved to amend by fixing time for report of committee on appropriations at 1:30 p. m., Wednesday.

Declared out of order.

Senator Allen asked unanimous consent to substitute the hour 1:30 p. m. Wednesday for the hour 1:30 p. m. Friday, in his amendment to the motion made by Senator Perkins.

Objection raised.

On the adoption of the amendment by Senator Allen, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Allen moved to change the time in his motion to Wednesday, at 1:30 p. m.

Declared out of order.

Senator Allen moved as a substitute for his amendment that the committee on appropriations be required to report back by Wednesday, March 31st, at 1:30 p. m.

Declared out of order.

President resumed the chair at 11:30 a. m.

On the adoption of the amendment by Senator Allen, the ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—24.

The nays were:

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Foster, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton—17.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Quigley, Sheean, Whitmore—9.

The roll call was verified.

Senator Arney raised the point of order that no senator had a right to change his vote while the roll call was being verified.

Point of order not sustained.

The amendment was adopted.

The motion by Senator Perkins, as amended, to refer to the committee on appropriations, with instructions to report back by Friday, April 2d, at 1:30 p. m., prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board, with re-

port of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Be amended by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof, the following:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code, and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

(a) The county board of education shall consist of the county superintendent of schools, who shall be chairman ex-officio with power to call said board together at the county seat, a member of the board of supervisors, and four other persons named as hereinafter directed, two of whom shall be members of school boards in the county at the time of their appointment and chosen both for their business and educational qualifications, one from a rural school board and the other from a city or town school board, and two educators of standing who are engaged in teaching in the county at the time of their appointment, one of whom shall be a teacher in a rural school with not less than two years' experience in teaching, and one a teacher in a city or town school who has had not less than five years' experience in teaching, both of whom possess either a first grade uniform county certificate, or a regular state certificate, or a state diploma; but no two of these four members shall be from the same school corporation, or from the same civil township. Before entering upon their duties, they shall qualify by taking the oath of office.

(b) The board of supervisors sitting with the county superintendent of schools who shall act as chairman, and the county auditor, who shall act as secretary, and each having a vote, shall at the regular meeting of the board of supervisors in January, 1916, or if no meeting be held in January, then at the next regular meeting thereafter, choose the five members of the county board of education as directed above, excepting counties now having uniform contracts under the law, it is provided that the county board of education shall not be chosen until the January session of the county board of supervisors next preceding the expiration of said contract.

The members of said county board of education shall serve for five years from the date of their appointment and until their successors are chosen and qualified, and shall be made permanent by new appointments in the same way at the close of each recurring five-year period. It is further provided that in case of a vacancy in the county board of education by removal from the county or by ceasing to be a member of the class from which such member was originally chosen or otherwise, it shall be filled by the same body provided above for naming its membership and from the same class in which the vacancy occurs.

The county auditor shall keep a full and complete record of all meetings called to select the county board of education in a book provided for that purpose.

(c) In all counties not now having uniform series of text books, as provided by law, said county board of education shall meet between January 1, 1916, and July 1, 1916, and shall select and adopt and contract for a uniform series of text books in and for said county, under such rules and regulations as they may adopt and in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-eight hundred twenty-eight (2828) supplement to the code, 1913. The text books thus selected shall be the latest editions and shall be used by the graded departments of all school districts in the county. It shall be the duty of the county superintendent with the approval of the chairman of the board of supervisors to order such additional books from time to time under this contract as may be necessary.

(d) Any bidder, or any person in behalf of any bidder, who gives, or offers to give, any member of the county board of education, any gift or favor of value, or attempts to influence the action of the members of said board, except by arguments, and any member of the county board of education who accept from any bidder, or any person in the interest of any bidder, any gift or favor of value, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; and conviction of any member of said board shall disqualify him from further service on said board; provided that any member of the board may accept one copy only of any school text book upon which bids have been submitted by any person, firm or corporation.

(e) Any bidder, or any person in behalf of any bidder, who gives or offers to give any gift or favor of value, or attempts in any way to influence the selection of the county board of education, or any member of said appointing board who accepts any gifts or favor of value from any bidder, or from any person in behalf of said bidder shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

(f) In counties already operating under county uniformity law no adoptions shall be made until the expiration of the existing contracts.

(g) The compensation allowed the members of said board of education shall be the same mileage and per diem as is received by the board of supervisors for session work; provided that no member shall be paid two salaries for the same day's work.

SECTION 2. That the law as it appears in section twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832) supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

When a list of text books has been selected they shall be used in the elementary grades of all public schools of said county and the board of supervisors may arrange for such depositories and under such rules and regulations as they may deem best, and shall require such bond as may be necessary from said depositories to safeguard the public interest.

It shall be the duty of the county board of education to select the books necessary and to execute contracts for the same in triplicate; one copy of

which shall be given to the successful bidder, one copy to the board of supervisors and one copy shall be mailed to the state superintendent of public instruction.

It is hereby made the duty of the county board of supervisors to pay for the books purchased under this contract out of the county fund upon itemized invoice bills approved by the county superintendent.

The books shall be sold by the depositories at the contract price at which they are obtained by the county.

The county superintendent shall have charge of such text books and the distribution thereof among the depositories selected by the board of supervisors and shall return monthly to the county fund all moneys received for the sale of text books.

It shall be the duty of the county superintendent to keep an account with each depository and to check up the books on hand at least once in every three months, and he shall render to the board of supervisors, at their January and June meetings, an account of his doings and shall be liable on his official bond therefor.

SECTION 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. 2 by adding after the period (.) following the word "county" in line fifteen of the printed bill the following:

When a family removes from one county to another within the state, the county superintendent or depository of the school district in which he resides, may purchase out of the proper fund, the text books in actual use by the children of the family at a fair price, based on the condition of the books and under such rules and regulations as the county board of education may adopt; the said books to be resold, when necessary, to other pupils moving into the said district.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill, Senate File No. 190, as follows:

That a new section be added to said bill to be designated as section 3, as follows, to wit:

SECTION 3. At the regular school elections to be held in March, 1916, the question shall be submitted to the electors of each school corporation within the state as to whether county uniformity of text books for use in the common and high schools of the county in which said school corporation is situated shall be adopted as provided for in this act, and notice of the submission of said question shall be given in writing by the county superintendent to the secretary of each school corporation within said county not less than thirty days prior to the holding of said

annual school meetings, and each said secretary shall include the same in his call for said meeting. The form of the submission of said question shall be: Shall county uniformity of text books for use in the common and high schools of this county be adopted? Yes. No. The county auditor shall cause sufficient ballots to be printed and distributed to the several school secretaries within said county not less than three days prior to holding of said school elections. The votes shall be canvassed by the respective boards of directors and the result thereof certified to by the president and secretary of said board of directors, and the secretary of said school board shall transmit the same promptly to the county auditor. Said several returns shall, as soon as practicable thereafter, be canvassed by a board of canvassers consisting of the county auditor, county superintendent and the chairman of the county board of supervisors of said county, and if a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said proposition it shall be declared duly carried, and the result thereof duly published. The cost of printing and distributing said ballots shall be paid out of the general county fund.

Further consideration deferred.

Senator Taylor moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

Communications were received from the Governor, stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 209, 77, 314 and 201.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 556 passed the Senate.

CHAS. C. HELMER.

On request of Senator Arney leave of absence was granted Senator Whitmore for the day.

On request of Senator Robinson leave of absence was granted Senator Gillette for the day.

On request of Senator Wilson, leave of absence was granted Senator Shean for the day.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board.

The amendment offered by Senator Clarkson was pending.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by adding thereto after the figures "1916" in the second line the following: "and each five-year period thereafter".

Adopted.

Senator Boe offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the words "and high" from the pending amendment wherever they appear.

Adopted.

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by striking out the word "superintendent" in the seventh line thereof and substituting the word "auditor" therefor, and by striking out the word "a" in the twenty-first line and all thereafter in the twenty-second line and that part of the twenty-third line preceding the words "the county board".

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the amendment by adding thereto the word "and grade" after the word "common" wherever the same appears in the amendment.

Adopted.

On the adoption of the amendment by Senator Clarkson, as amended, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

Arney, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Grout, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Schrup, Thomas, White of Iowa—15.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Sheean, Whitmore—7.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by adding thereto after the figures "1916" which follow the word and figure "July 1st", as the same appears in line, subdivision c, section one, the following:

"Or at such other time as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act."

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

That a new section be added to said bill to be designated as Section 5, as follows, to-wit:

SECTION 5. In each school corporation in which free text books are not now provided for, the board of directors of each and every school corporation in the state of Iowa, shall, at the annual school meeting to be held in March, 1916, and each five year period thereafter, submit to the qualified electors the question of providing for text books for free use of pupils in the public schools thereof, and the secretary shall cause notice of such proposition to be given in the call for such meeting, and in any school corporation in which text books are now or may hereafter be furnished free, the board of directors of said school corporation is hereby authorized and empowered, and it shall be his duty, to select the text books to be used in the schools of said corporation, and said school corporation shall cease to be represented on the county board of education, and its vote shall not be counted on the question of county uniformity submitted as hereinbefore provided.

Adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by adding the following as section four:

It shall be unlawful for any school book house, firm or corporation or their representatives in any way to interfere or attempt to interfere or to exert influence in any manner upon the voters in any county either in favor of or against the adoption of county uniformity. Any person or persons found guilty of such an act, or any person or persons found guilty of abetting or aiding in such an act, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Amendment withdrawn.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 190 by adding the following at the end of Section one:

(h) The provisions of this act shall not apply to any city.

1. That now has or hereafter shall provide for free text books.
2. That contains fifty per cent or more of the entire population of the county.

Senator Clarkson moved to amend the amendment by striking out the word "shall" in the second line.

Adopted.

The amendment as amended offered by Senator Farr was adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, association or representative thereof, engaged in the publishing or selling public school text books to circulate petitions, letters or other means of information with reference to county uniformity of text books, when the proposition has been submitted to the people for adoption or rejection. A violation thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine of not less than \$1,000.00.

Adpoted.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend substitute for Senate File No. 190 by striking out sub-division "g" of section one.

Amendment lost.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Boe, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Greene, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Schrup—16.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Gillette, Grout, Sheean, Whitmore—5.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 190 passed the Senate and lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Thomas invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—25.

The nays were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Greene, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thompson—21.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Gillette, Sheean, Whitmore—4.

The motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 481, a bill for an act amending section forty-five hundred three (4503) and section fifty-five hundred eighty-six (5586) of the code relating to changes of venue in justice courts.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 243, a bill for an act making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being injured by the falling of a building on the fair grounds, at Des Moines, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 572, a bill for an act to repeal sections twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-j (2881-j), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-k (2881-k), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-l (2881-l), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-m (2881-m), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-n (2881-n), of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the care and permanent preservation of the public archives and fixing and defining the authority and responsibilities of administration, care and custody thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 499, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred fifty-d (850-d), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the expenditure of park funds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 462, a bill for an act relating to the equipment of street cars and maintenance of toilet facilities for street car employes, amendatory of section seven hundred sixty-eight (768), supplement to the code, 1913, and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Journal of March 27th was taken up corrected and approved.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 319, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-nine hundred-a-7 (2900-a-7), supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 431, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-10 (2215-f-10), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-15 (2215-f-15), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-17 (2215-f-17), and to repeal section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-43 (2215-f-43), and enact a substitute therefor, of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 542, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-six (726) of the code, relating to municipal bonds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 566, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-l (2963-l), supplement to the code, 1913, legalizing certain conveyances made by an executor, administrator, trustee, guardian, referee or commissioner, and including therein certain conveyances made by an assignee or receiver.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 487, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred seventy-five-c (4975-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to soliciting.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Voorhees moved that Senate File No. 219 be made a special order for consideration at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday, March 31st.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Ream, Senate File No. 89, a bill for an act to provide free text books and supplies in all school districts of the state, to authorize the making of contracts therefor, and the terms, conditions and form thereof, to provide the terms and conditions under which publishers may lawfully contract to furnish such books, to fix the duties of school officers in reference thereto, to provide the terms and conditions under which such books may be loaned to pupils and their responsibility therefor, to authorize the levy or an additional contingent fund with which to pay for such books and supplies, and to repeal acts and parts thereof in conflict herewith, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Senator Ream, Senate File No. 380, a bill for an act to abolish the office of school treasurer and provide that the county treasurer shall perform the duties of said officers, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Ream moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out of section 7 of the bill after the word "shall" in the first line, and before the word "deposit" in the third line of said Section, the words and comma "with the approval of the board of supervisors by resolution entered of record as to place of deposit,".

Amend section 20 by striking out the words "Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa," and

insert in lieu thereof the words "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa."

Adopted.

Senator Ream moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Thompson, White of Benton—23.

The nays were:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Greene, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—22.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Foster, Gillette, Sheean, Whitmore—5.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 380 failed to pass the Senate.

L. W. BOE.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Darrah, House File No. 142, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred ninety-one (1391) of the code of 1913 relating to the collection of penalty of interest upon delinquent taxes, with report of committee recommending passage was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Darrah moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—45.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Gillette, Helmer, Shecan, Whitmore—5.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 41, a bill for an act to create the office of city manager, providing for the appointment, salary and term of office and prescribing the duties and powers thereof. (Additional to chapter two (2) title five (5) of the code), with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By adding to section three thereof the following words: "Whenever by ordinance or resolution of the council the powers and duties heretofore vested in any other appointive municipal officer are to be wholly performed by the said city manager, then no appointment of such other appointive officer shall be made, and any appointment of such other officer, made prior to the adoption of such ordinance or resolution shall be hereby cancelled.

Adopted.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

By striking out all of the bill following the enacting clause and substituting therefor:

"Sec. 1. That all cities and towns, except cities under the commission form of government and cities having a population of more than twenty-five thousand (25,000) as shown by the last preceding census, are hereby authorized to provide by ordinance for the creation of the office of city

manager and to fix likewise the duties and powers and compensation of such officer.

"Sec. 2. The city manager shall be appointed by a majority vote of the city or town council at a regular meeting of such body, and such manager shall hold office during the pleasure of the said body, and shall be subject to removal by a majority vote thereof.

"Sec. 3. That said city and town after having selected or appointed such city manager may by ordinance provide that the city manager shall perform any or all of the duties incumbent upon the street commissioner, or manager of public utilities, cemetery sexton, city clerk and superintendent of markets, and that he shall superintend and inspect all improvements and work upon the streets, alleys, sewers, and public grounds of the city or town, and to perform such other and further duties as may be imposed upon him, and to possess such other and further powers as may, from time to time, be by ordinance conferred upon him.

"Sec. 4. Whenever by ordinance or resolution of the council the powers and duties heretofore vested in any other appointive municipal officer are to be wholly performed by the said city manager, then no appointment of such said appointive officer shall be made, and any appointment of such officer, made prior to the adoption of such ordinance or resolution shall be hereby cancelled."

"Sec. 5.—This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Times-Republican, a newspaper published in Marshalltown, Iowa."

Adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

Doran, Thompson—2.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Gillette, Helmer, Laffer, Sheean, White of Iowa, Whitmore—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Arney, House File No. 357, a bill for an act to amend section eighteen hundred seventy (1870), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the limit of liabilities to state and savings banks, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Francis, Gillette, Helmer, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Whitmore—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Grout, House File No. 361, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section 894, supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—37.

The nays were :

Doran, Lindly—2.

Absent or not voting :

Arney, Chase, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Gillette, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Grout withdrew Senate File No. 303 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 474, a bill for an act to amend an act of the thirty-sixth general assembly, entitled an act to amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred thirty-seven (937) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities, being House File forty-five (45), with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that Senate File No. 474 be laid on the table.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, a joint resolution proposing to amend the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the number of members of the General Assembly and providing for their apportionment of the different counties and districts, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson—33.

The nays were :

Allen, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foster, Quigley, Ream, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—9.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Chase, Gillette, Jackson, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees, Whitmore—8.

So the report was adopted and the joint resolution was indefinitely postponed.

On request of Quigley, leave of absence was granted Senator Chase for the day.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.

By Senator Quigley, by request, Senate File No. 590, a bill for an act allowing mutual fire insurance companies, or associations, to form an underwriter's syndicate and issue policies.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on insurance.

By Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 591, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four thousand eight hundred ninety-seven-b of the supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a provision for the payment of fees for county attorney for the prosecution of persons escaping from the prison as therein set forth.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Allen, Senate File No. 592.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Legalize the Action of the Board of Supervisors of Humboldt County, Iowa, in the Passing of a Resolution Providing for the Payment of Engineers in Drainage Districts on an Acreage and Percentage Basis, and Legalizing the Acts of the Said Board of Supervisors in Making Payments in Accordance with the Said Resolution.

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of Humboldt County, Iowa, did, on the 6th day of May, 1914, pass a resolution as follows:

It is moved by Byrne and seconded by Sayers that from and after this date, the civil engineers appointed on drainage districts in Humboldt County be allowed as full compensation got all drainage work performed on account of said appointment, either by themselves or parties employed by them, as follows:

For preliminary and permanent surveys for districts comprising 500 acres or less, 15 cents per acre; for preliminary and permanent surveys for districts comprising more than 500 acres, 10 cents per acre; for construction work for districts costing from One Hundred Dollars to Five Hundred Dollars, 12% of contract price; for construction work for districts costing from Five Hundred Dollars to One Thousand Dollars, 10% of the contract price; for construction work for districts costing from One Thousand Dollars to Three Thousand Dollars, 8% of the contract price; for construction work for districts costing from Three Thousand Dollars to Fifteen Thousand Dollars, 6% of the contract price; for construction work for districts costing from Fifteen Thousand Dollars to Forty Thousand Dollars, 4% of the contract price; for construction work for districts costing from Forty Thousand Dollars to Sixty Thousand Dollars, 3% of the contract price; for construction work for districts costing Sixty Thousand Dollars and over, 2½% of the contract price, and while employed on assessment of benefits, they are to receive Seven Dollars per day without expense and furnish transportation for benefit commissioners," and

WHEREAS, engineers have been employed as provided by said resolution and payments made in accordance therewith; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legality of the action of the said Board of Supervisors in said matter, now, therefore,
Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the actions of the board of supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passage of the said resolution and the paying of the engineers under the provisions thereof, be and are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and legal, the same as though the law in all respects had been fully complied with.

SECTION 2. This act shall not affect pending litigation.

SECTION 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Doran moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 30, A. D. 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Edgar Price of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator White of Iowa presented a remonstrance of citizens of Marengo, Iowa, against advance in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Franklin county, favoring passage of bill providing for the incorporation of co-operative associations.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Wayne county, favoring passage of Senate File No. 565, providing for a uniform standard for practitioners.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Chase presented petitions of citizens of Ackley, Eldora and Iowa Falls, Iowa, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Greene county, favoring passage of Senate File No. 565, providing for a uniform standard for practitioners.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county, favoring passage of House File No. 282 relative to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Foskett presented a remonstrance of citizens of Randolph, Iowa, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments in which the concurrence of the House was asked to House File No. 86, a bill for an act relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 246, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491), code supplement, 1913, relating to the appointment, qualification, and compensation of deputy treasurers and other assistants in the office of the county treasurer, and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 218, a bill for an act to amend section 2547-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the taking of fish from the waters of the Big Sioux river and that part of the Des Moines river forming the part of the boundary between the state of Iowa and the state of Missouri.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 347, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code relating to the placing of fish ways in dams or other obstructions across rivers and streams.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 397, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to homestead exemptions, as the same appears in section twenty-nine hundred eighty-five (2985) of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 329, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct or maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend sections one thousand eighty-seven-a5 (1087-a5), one thousand seventy-six (1076), and one thousand ninety-three (1093), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judges and clerks of election.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 593, a bill for an act authorizing the giving of annuities to retired public school teachers, fixing the term of service and the manner of retirement, and authorizing a tax levy to provide the necessary funds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 594, a bill for an act to prevent increases of salary from taking effect during the term for which incumbent of office is elected.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator Heald, Senate File No. 595, a bill for an act to punish the crime of compounding misdemeanors and to declare the elements of such offense, and to provide the punishment therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 596, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section five hundred thirty (530), title four (IV), chapter seven (7) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to fees of witnesses and jurors in coroner's inquest.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on board of control, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on board of control, to whom was referred House File No. 596, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty six hundred ninety-two-a (2692-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-c (2692-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of state agents and providing for the compensation of same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations, with recommendation that same do pass.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Robinson the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 594, a bill for an act creating the office of State Document Editor, prescribing the method of selecting the State Document Editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out Section 1 and adopting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The Governor shall appoint, on or before the 1st day of July, 1915, and every two years thereafter, a Document Editor whose term of office shall begin on the 1st day of July, 1915, and continue for two years and until his successor is elected and qualified. All appointments for said office subsequent to the one first appointed must be approved by the members of the State Senate in executive session, by two-thirds vote before it shall become effective."

Further amend by striking out Sections 11 and 12 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:—"Section 11. The Executive Council shall have authority to supply the State Document Editor with such assistance as in its opinion may be necessary from time to time."

Further amend by renumbering 13 as Section 12.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Gillette, House File No. 7, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the election of county superintendent of schools as the same appears in section one thousand seventy-two (1072) supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

Senator Wilson moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Allen invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton—23.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—21.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Frailey, Laffer, Sheean, Thomas, Whitmore—6.

Report adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 216, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to intoxicating liquors, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen moved that consideration be deferred until Wednesday, at 2 o'clock p. m., and be made a special order for that time.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senator File No. 85, a bill for an act to define a private bank and to require statements, and to provide for the examination of same, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Jones moved the adoption of the following amendments:

SEC. 2. No new private bank shall, after July 1, 1915, be permitted to engage in, and no private bank shall, after January 1, 1917, be permitted to continue in, any of the business mentioned in Section One of this act until it has furnished the Auditor of State with a satisfactory statement setting forth the character of the business, and which shall also contain:

1st. The name under which the business is to be transacted;

2d. The place of business;

3. The capital, and of what composed, to be not less than Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars, employed exclusively in the business;

4th. By what officers and persons the affairs of the bank are to be conducted, and the estimated expenses to be paid annually from the business; and has received from the Auditor of State a certificate authorizing it to commence or continue said business; which authorization shall be furnished upon compliance with the foregoing provisions. And no change shall be made in the name, ownership, place of business, or amount or character of capital, prejudicial to depositors, unless the same is authorized by the Auditor of State.

Adopted.

Consideration deferred.

Senator Wilson moved that Senator Cummins, who was then present, be invited to address the Senate.

Carried.

Senator Albert B. Cummins addressed the Senate in part as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT AND SENATORS—The honor just conferred on me is a very agreeable and certainly a very delightful surprise. It gives me an opportunity to pay my respects to the Senate of the state of Iowa. I am always interested in seeing the representatives of a great people at work. I have been in the public service continually now for nearly fourteen years and the deepest impression I have, I think, with respect

to the government of our country, both Federal and state, is the increasing difficulty which confronts the legislative branches of our government. I understand how much more difficult it is now for the executive department to execute and enforce the laws. I understand something of the problems that are confronting the judicial branch. These problems, however, are not comparable with the questions with which the legislative branch has to deal.

Every day of my public life strengthens my confidence in the integrity, the honesty of those whom the people choose to make their laws. There was a time when I did not feel just that way. Formerly, I was dead sure that I was right and that everyone who differed with me was wrong. I have come along these many years, and although I am just as sure now that I am right, when I make up my mind on a public matter, I am not so sure that those who differ with me are wrong. This is a strange paradox but it accurately expresses my feeling.

I refer again to the suggestion of a moment ago. In so far as we fail it will be because we are inadequate to make laws which will render justice, to make laws which will fit the wonderful conditions and the marvelous growth of our social, commercial and industrial life. It is not because men do not want to make the right sort of laws. It is because the problems are too hard for the human mind to solve.

I am constantly overwhelmed with the thought that it is almost impossible to become informed so as to reach just and sound conclusions. We ought not to spend our time in questioning the motives of our fellow men, but in mastering this marvelous array of facts and conditions which confront us. When we once know the truth, I believe the majority of the human kind are desirous of giving expression to it in the laws which they enact. It is an encouraging conclusion to which I have come. I am not saying that any man should surrender his convictions. He should fight and fight persistently, but he ought not to color his views with the thought that those who oppose him consciously intend to bring disaster on the people whom they represent.

I thank you for the opportunity of addressing for a moment the representatives of our great state. There is no commonwealth like ours. There is no state that combines all the virtues and strength of citizenship so completely as the state which you are representing in this branch of the legislature. Whether in the general assembly here or whether in the Congress at Washington, it is a priceless honor to represent the people of so great a state.

I believe that our commonwealth is not only the first in opportunity, but it is first in government. I am glad to believe that this General Assembly is the very climax of our civilization, the very flower of our state, and hope that your labors will result in lifting still higher the standard of free institutions.

I thank you again for this chance to say a word in your presence.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the address of Senator Cummins be printed in the Journal.

Carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate voted to indefinitely postpone House File No. 7.

FREDERICK W. EVERSMEYER.

Senator Foster moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Crist, Senate File No. 597, a bill for an act relative to certain public utilities, defining their rights, powers, remedies and duties, and providing for their further regulation and control.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public utilities.

By Senator Darrah, Senate File No. 598, a bill for an act to regulate the purchase and sale of eggs as an article of food additional to chapter ten-A (10-A) title twenty-four (XXIV), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on dairy and food.

By Senator Darrah, Senate File No. 599, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter one hundred four (104) acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly of the state of Iowa, relating to the non-partisan nomination and election of the judges of the supreme, district and superior courts of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

By Senator Darrah, Senate File No. 600, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-eight (2738), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to normal institutes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

By Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 601.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to legalize certain acts and proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fremont in the Matter of Establishing the Waubonsie Drainage District, Locating a Drainage Ditch Therein, Apportioning Costs and Benefits Thereunder and Issuing Bonds Against Said District for Funds to Construct Said Ditch.

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of Fremont County, Iowa, did on the 3d day of June, 1913, locate a drainage ditch and establish the drainage district known as Waubonsie Drainage District, and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of said county did on the 8th day of October, 1913, apportion costs and benefits against the property in said drainage district, and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of said county did on the 3d day of December, 1913, order an issue of bonds in the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) against the property in said district, and the sale thereof, and levy a tax against the property of said drainage district for the payment of said bonds, and

WHEREAS, Bonds in the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) have been issued against the property of said district and placed upon the market, and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors has twice levied the drainage tax against the property included in the drainage district and the first levy has been collected and the second levy is in process of collection, and

WHEREAS, There were irregularities in said proceedings and the record of the proceedings of said board are incomplete, and

WHEREAS, Notice to the property owners of said drainage district was published twice consecutively in the Fremont County Herald, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published at Sidney, Fremont County, Iowa, said publication being on the 19th and 26th days of September, 1913, citing property owners of said district to enter protest on or before noon of October 8, 1913, to classification of benefits, which said notice was not sufficient in that the last publication was not twenty days before said hearing, and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the action of the Board of Supervisors in establishing the classification of the property of said drainage district for benefits, ordering issuance of bonds, and levy of taxes against the property of said drainage district, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the acts and proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of Fremont county, Iowa, in 1913, in locating the drainage ditch and establishing the drainage district known as the Waubonsie Drainage District, classifying and apportioning benefits against the property in said drainage district and in ordering, issuing and placing upon the market the bonds of said drainage district against the property of said district and levying taxes for the payment of said bonds, and all proceedings of said board on which said issue of said bonds is based, be and the same is hereby legalized and made valid in all respects as though the law relating thereto had been fully complied with and notwithstanding the irregularities in its proceedings or the incompleteness of its record. That the

apportionment of benefits and the bonds issued and the tax levied for the payment therefor are hereby legalized and validated.

SECTION 2. This act shall not affect pending litigation.

SECTION 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Fremont County Herald, a newspaper published at Sidney, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

By Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 602.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Legalize the Actions of the Board of Directors of the Consolidated Independent School District of Lanyon, in the Counties of Webster and Greene, State of Iowa, Relative to the Issuance of Certain Bonds of Said Consolidated Independent School District.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a petition signed by qualified electors of the Consolidated Independent School District of Lanyon, in the Counties of Webster and Greene, State of Iowa, in number more than twenty-five per centum of those voting at the last preceding school election, asking that an election be called to submit to the voters of said Consolidated Independent School District the proposition of issuing bonds in the sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00), for the purpose of purchasing a school site and constructing and equipping a school house, the Board of Directors of said Consolidated Independent School District, acting on said petition at a special meeting on the twenty-eighth day of August, 1914, did call an election, fixing the time and place thereof, for the submission of the aforesaid proposition; and notice of said election and of the sub-

WHEREAS, At said election held on the sixth day of October, 1914, a majority of the voters of said Consolidated Independent School District, voting thereat, voted in favor of the issuance of bonds; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the aforesaid proceedings and acts, said Board of Directors made all appropriate provisions for the issuance of bonds of said Consolidated Independent School District in the sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00), dated March 1, 1915, and due March 1, 1925, and bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and in particular adopted, at a meeting on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1915, a resolution, entitled, "Resolution to provide for the issuance of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00), School Building Bonds", ordering the issuance of such bonds; and

WHEREAS, The proceedings had, and acts done, by said Consolidated Independent School District, and by its Board of Directors, officers, and qualified electors, to authorize the issuance of the aforesaid bonds were in attempted compliance with Chapter 184 of the Laws of the Thirty-third General Assembly of Iowa, as amended by Chapter 145 of the laws of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly and Chapters 10 and 254 of the Laws of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly (appearing as Sections 2820-d 1, et seq. of the Supplement to the Code, 1913); but doubts have arisen as

to the validity of the provisions for the issuance of bonds because of defects in such proceedings and acts, and in particular the fact that the hours of said election as provided for by said Board of Directors and by said notices of election, and as actually held, did not conform with law and that the ballots used at said election did not adequately state the proposition submitted; and

WHEREAS, None of the voters of said Consolidated Independent School District were misled by the inadequacy of the ballots, and none of the voters of said Consolidated Independent School District were prevented from voting by the irregularity in the hours of election, and the result of the election could not have been affected by compliance with the law in either of the aforesaid respects; and

WHEREAS, It is deemed advisable to put the aforesaid doubts and all other doubts as to the validity of the aforesaid provisions and resolution, forever at rest, and to cure the aforesaid and all other defects affecting the validity of the aforesaid provisions and resolution; now therefore,
Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the actions of the Board of Directors of the Consolidated Independent School District of Lanyon, in the Counties of Webster and Greene, State of Iowa, relative to the issuance of bonds of said Consolidated Independent School District, in the sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00), dated March 1, 1915, maturing March 1, 1925, and bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of purchasing a school site and constructing and equipping a school house thereon, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared legal and valid the same as though in all respects the law had been complied with by said Consolidated Independent School District and by its Board of Directors, officers, and qualified electors; and in particular the resolution adopted by said Board on the 29th day of March, 1915, entitled, "Resolution to provide for the issuance of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00), School Building Bonds," be and the same is hereby declared legal, valid and binding according to its terms.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this act shall affect any pending litigation.

SECTION 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Gowrie News, a newspaper published at Gowrie, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

By Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 603, a bill for an act to amend chapter four (4), title seven (7), of the code, relating to the collection of a tax upon inheritances.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

By Senator Chase, Senate File No. 604, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred sixty-nine (1569), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to vehicles approaching from the rear.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on highways.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 80, to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg anniversary commission created by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly in carrying out the provisions of chapter three hundred thirty-five (335) acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

Also:

Senate File No. 151, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587) of the Code, relating to regulations for cemeteries.

Also:

Senate File No. 208, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgage prior to January 1, 1900.

Also:

Senate File No. 382, a bill for an act legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction and reconstruction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar River in said city.

Also:

Senate File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand sixty-a one hundred twenty (3060-a 120), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable instrument.

Also:

Senate File No. 405, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the town of Lenox, Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No.

80, to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg anniversary commission created by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly in carrying out the provisions of chapter three hundred thirty-five (335) acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

Also:

Senate File No. 151, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587) of the Code, relating to regulations for cemeteries.

Also:

Senate File No. 208, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgage prior to January 1, 1900.

Also:

Senate File No. 382, a bill for an act legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction and reconstruction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar River in said city.

Also:

Senate File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand sixty-a one hundred twenty (3060-a 120), supplement, to the Code, 1913, relating to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable instrument.

Also:

Senate File No. 405, a bill for an act to legalize certain wararnts of the town of Lenox, Iowa.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 86, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.

Also:

House File No. 503, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand five hundred fifty-eight (3558), of the code, relating to copies of pleadings.

Also:

House File No. 263, a bill for an act to legalize the transfer of the Board of Health Fund of Washington township, Greene County, Iowa, to the township road fund of such township.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 85, a bill for an act to define a private bank and to require statements, and to provide for the examination of same.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Boe invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Greene, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—16.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleek, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Iowa—26.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Farr, Francis, Jackson, Laffer, Shecan, Taylor, Whitmore—8.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 26, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-three hundred seventy-nine (3379), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the share of the surviving spouse where intestate leaves no issue.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 489, a bill for an act to repeal section three hundred forty-four (344) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section five thousand two hundred forty (5240), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the drawing and summoning of grand juries.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 524, a bill for an act to empower school boards, under stated conditions, to purchase or lease for stated educational purposes, comprised under the term Park Life, tracts of land and to improve the same for the purpose of establishing thereon summer homes or school for children who desire to continue their studies in useful pursuits throughout the year, and to define the purposes, functions and objects of such schools.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 595, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code and section one thousand three (1003), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of general taxes for cities, including cities acting under special charter and the commission plan of government.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President of the Senate announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 80, 151, 208, 316, 382 and 405.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Doran, Senate File No. 27, a bill for an act for the regulation, supervision and control of the business of banking and to provide penalties for its violation for the repeal

of all acts or parts of acts in so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the motion to adopt the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thompson—24.

The nays were:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Jones, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—17.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Farr, Francis, Heald, Laffer, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—9.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 596, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2692-a, supplement to the code, 1913, and section 2692-c, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of state agents and providing for compensation for same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

AMENDMENT FILED.

Senator Chase filed the following amendment to Senate File No. 4:

Provided, however, that in counties in which the established width of 66 feet or more is necessary, in the judgment of the Board of Supervisors of such county, for the construction or maintenance of grades, such Boards of Supervisors may retain the existing width by passing a resolution covering such roads or parts of roads, and by having the same entered of record.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Robinson, House File No. 596, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-a (2692-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-c (2692-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of state agents and providing for compensation for same, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 3 by striking out the word "Daily" after the word "Des Moines" and before the word "News" in the third line thereof.

Adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Clarkson, Crist, Farr, Francis, Heald, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Whitmore—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 121, a bill for an act to amend section 3283 of the code of Iowa, 1897, relating to the trial of actions to contest the probating of wills, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 121 by striking out the quotation marks (") and the period (.) following the last word in section 1 thereof, and by inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) and the following: "and the appearance term shall be the trial term."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 121 by striking out of the second line of section 1 of the printed bill the words and figures "of Iowa, 1897".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Farr, Greene, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Ream—9.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Laffer, Perkins, Sheean, Whitmore—12.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title of Senate File No. 121 by striking out of the same the words and figures "of Iowa, 1897", immediately following the word "code".

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend sections one thousand eighty-seven-a-5 (1087-a-5), one thousand seventy-six (1076), and one thousand ninety-three (1093), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judges and clerks of election.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

House File No. 246, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491) of the code supplement, 1913, relating to the appointment, qualification, and compensation of deputy treasurers and other assistants in the office of the county treasurer, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 397, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to homestead exemptions, as the same appears in section twenty-nine hundred eighty-five (2985) of the code.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

House File No. 347, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code, relating to the placing of fish ways in dams or other obstructions across rivers and streams.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on fish and game.

House File No. 218, a bill for an act to amend section 2547-a of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the taking of fish from the waters of the Big Sioux river and that part of the Des Moines river forming the part of the boundary between the state of Iowa and the state of Missouri.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on fish and game.

House File No. 481, a bill for an act amending section forty-five hundred and three (4503) and section fifty-five hundred and eighty-six (5586) of the code relating to change of venue in justice courts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 243, a bill for an act making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being injured by the falling of a building on the fair grounds, at Des Moines, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 572, a bill for an act to repeal sections twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-j (2881-j), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-k (2881-k), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-l (2881-l), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-n (2881-n) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the care and permanent preservation of the public archives and fixing and defining the authority and responsibilities of administration, care and custody thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public libraries.

House File No. 462, a bill for an act relating to the equipment of street cars and maintenance of toilet facilities for street car employes, amendatory of section seven hundred sixty-eight (768), supplement to the code, 1913, and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 499, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred fifty-d (850-d), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the expenditure of park funds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 431, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f 10 (2215-f 10), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f 15 (2215-f 15), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f 17 (2215-f 17), and to repeal section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f 43 (2215-f 43) and enact a substitute therefor, of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on military affairs.

House File No. 566, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-l (2963-l), supplement to the code, 1913, legalizing certain conveyances made by an executor, administrator, trustee, guardian, referee or commissioner and including therein certain conveyances made by an assignee or receiver.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 542, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-six of the code relating to municipal bonds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 487, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred seventy-five-c (4975-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to soliciting.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 605, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-four (2584) of the code; and to repeal sections twenty-five hundred eighty-seven (2587) and twenty-five hundred eighty-nine-a (2589-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to provide an appropriation for reciprocal arrangements, all relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By committee on retrenchment and reform, Senate File No. 606, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-two (1571-m-2), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-six (1571-m-6), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-fifteen (1571-m-15), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-7) (1571-m-7), and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-twelve (1571-m-12) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By Senator Parker, by request, Senate File No. 607, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-twenty (2575-a 20), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to erection, establishment or maintenance of maternity hospitals.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 588, a bill for an act amending section 725, supplement to the code, 1913, giving to cities and towns power to require gas, water, electric and power companies to furnish service to certain persons, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 573, a bill for an act to amend section 809 of the code, relating to the putting in of water works connections before permanent improvement of the street alley or public place where the same is located and the taxing of the cost of same to the property benefited if the property owner fails and neglects to put in the same and pay the cost thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 420, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, and cities acting under special charter, to permit the erection of soldiers' monuments or memorial halls erected under the provisions of section 430 of the supplement to the code, 1913, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 419, a bill for an act to authorize the river front improvement commission to permit the erection of soldiers' monument or memorial hall upon any ground, the title to which is in such commission, under the provisions of chapter 9-a, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 559, a bill for an act granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license, tax and regulate so-called "jitney" busses, and all busses, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out the comma and the word "tax" after the word "regulate" in the third line of Section 1.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 462, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in Section 758 of the code, and sections 758-a, 758-d and 758-e of the supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 511, a bill for an act to amend sections 2479-a,

2489-c, 2489-e and 2489-f, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties, compensation, etc., of the board of examiners of engineers and firemen, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 116, a bill for an act to amend chapter 52, acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly, relative to equipment of street cars with power brakes and sand appliances, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 405, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section 768-c, section 768-d, section 768-e and section 768-f of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to equipment of street railways, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Hagemann, from the committee on federal relations, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on federal relations, to whom was referred a concurrent resolution recommending an amendment to the constitution of the United States concerning polygamy, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 80, a bill for an act to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg anniversary commission created by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly in carrying out the provisions of chapter three hundred thirty-five (335) acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly.

Also :

Senate File No. 151, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587) of the code, relating to regulations for cemeteries.

Also :

Senate File No. 208, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgage prior to January 1, 1900.

Also :

Senate File No. 382, a bill for an act legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction and reconstruction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar River in said city.

Also :

Senate File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand sixty-a one hundred twenty (3060-a120), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable instrument.

Also :

Senate File No. 405, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the town of Lenox, Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Senator Balkema moved that five hundred additional copies of Senate File No. 567 be printed.

Carried.

On request of Senator Darrah, leave of absence was granted Senator Arney for the day.

On request of Senator Wilson, leave of absence was granted Senator Sheean for the day.

Journal of March 29th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Doran moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, MARCH 31, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. P. S. Ervin, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Larrabee presented a petition of citizens of Calhoun county, favoring passage of Senate File No. 565, relating to uniform standard for practitioners of the healing art.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Chase presented petitions of citizens of Hamilton county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, favoring passage of Senate File No. 190, and remonstrating against House File No. 221, relating to uniformity of text books.

Referred to committee on public schools.

Senator Crist presented a petition of citizens of Clarke county, in regard to road laws.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Enger presented petitions of citizens of Winneshiek county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Thomas, Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section nine (9) of article one (1) of said constitution, and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for trial by jury and prohibiting the taking of life, liberty or property without due process of law.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on constitutional amendments.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 20.

A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa by Repealing Section Nine (9) of Article One (1) of Said Constitution, and the Enactment and Adoption of a Substitute Therefor, Relating to and Providing for Trial by Jury and Prohibiting the Taking of Life, Liberty or Property Without Due Process of Law.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the following amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa is hereby proposed, to-wit:

"Repeal section nine (9), article one (1) of the constitution of the state of Iowa, and in lieu thereof enact and adopt the following, to-wit:

'SECTION 9. The right of trial by jury shall remain inviolate; but the general assembly may authorize trial by a jury of a less number than twelve (12) electors in inferior courts. In all civil cases and proceedings, in both courts of record and inferior courts, the general assembly may authorize a valid verdict by not less than five-sixths (5-6) of the jury duly and legally empanelled. No person shall be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law.'

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 26, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-three hundred seventy-nine (3379), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the share of the surviving spouse where intestate leaves no issue.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 489, a bill for an act to repeal section three hundred forty-four (344) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section five thousand two hundred forty (5240), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the drawing and summoning of grand juries.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 524, a bill for an act to empower school boards, under stated conditions, to purchase or lease for stated educational purposes tracts of land and to improve the same for the purpose of establishing thereon summer homes or school for children who desire to continue their studies in useful pursuits throughout the year, and to define the purposes, functions and objects of such schools.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

House File No. 595, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code and section one thousand three (1003), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of general taxes for cities, including cities acting under special charter and the commission plan of government.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Hilsinger, from the committee on insurance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred House File No. 495, a bill for an act relating to insurance, providing for the supervision and examination of insurance rating bureaus by the commissioner of insurance; providing for an inspection and survey by such bureaus of all insurance risks specifically rated; requiring insurance concerns to adopt insurance bureau ratings, or to maintain or co-operate in maintaining and operating insurance rate making bureaus; authorizing a hearing upon and review of the rates fixed by any such bureau for insurance upon property within the state of Iowa; prohibiting discrimination in fixing and collecting insurance rates, and also rebates of premiums paid under such rates, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Thomas, chairman, pro tem, from the committee on public libraries, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public libraries, to whom was referred House File No. 572, a bill for an act to repeal sections 2881-j, 2881-k, 2881-l, 2881-m, 2881-n, of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the care and permanent preservation of the public archives and fixing and defining the authority and responsibilities of administra-

tion, care and custody thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman, pro tem.

Ordered passed on file.

On motion of Senator Thomas, the report of the committee was adopted.

On motion the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 308, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-h (2341-h), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend sections twenty-three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g), twenty-three hundred forty-one-i (2341-i), twenty-three hundred forty-one-k (2341-k), twenty-three hundred forty-one-m (2341-m), twenty-three hundred forty-one-o (2341-o), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-q (2341-q), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept for public service, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out all of that part of section three following the word "enrollment" in line eight and by inserting a period after the word "enrollment" in line eight.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Jones, from the committee on banks and banking, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on banks and banking, to whom was referred House File No. 268, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. F. JONES,
Chairman.

Senator Voorhees moved that House File No. 268 be placed on the Calendar.

Senator Crist moved that further consideration of this bill be deferred until 11 o'clock a. m. today.

Carried.

Senator Grout, from the committee on public health, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred House File No. 365, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter 19-B of title XII, supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor to prevent the procreation of the insane, idiots, imbeciles and feeble-minded, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 517, a bill for an act to amend section 5007-e, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the use of cigarettes by minors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 543, a bill for an act to amend section five thousand five (5005) of the code, relating to the sale of tobacco to minors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 129, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the compensation of township trustees as the same appears in section five hundred ninety (590), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 113, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the compensation of township clerks as the same appears in section five hundred ninety-one (591) of the supplement to the

code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Motion lost.

Senator Gillette moved to reconsider the vote by which the motion was lost.

Carried.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 446, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred seventy-eight (578) of the code, relative to the posting of statement of receipts and expenditures by the township clerk, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 368, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter one hundred thirty-eight (138) of the acts of the Thirty-third General Assembly, defining what constitutes a tight partition fence, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute: A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend the Law as It Appears in Section Twenty-three Hundred Sixty-seven (2367) Supplement to the Code, 1913, Defining What Constitutes a Lawful Partition Fence.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section twenty-three hundred sixty-seven (2367), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be amended by inserting after the word "high" and before the period, in line thirty-five the words "or any other fence which in the opinion of the fence viewers shall be equivalent thereto.

SENATOR DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

Senator Thomas, from the committee on dairy and food, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on dairy and food, to whom was referred Senate File No. 244, a bill for an act regulating the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs, defining the same, providing for their labeling, the collection of an inspection fee, fixing penalties for the violation of its provisions and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on dairy and food, to whom was referred Senate File No. 256, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sanitation in food producing establishments as the same is found in section 2527-a to 2527-o, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend Section One of the printed bill by adding after the period following the word "officers" in line three, the following: "The same section shall also be amended by substituting a period for the semi-colon after the word "building" in sub-division "a" line fourteen of said section and by striking out all of line fourteen following said semi-colon and all of line fifteen preceding the word "doors".

Also amend section three of the printed bill by striking from line six the word "word" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "period following the word". Also amend the same section by adding after line eight the following: "The same section shall also be amended by inserting after the period following the word 'commissioner' in line ten the following: 'provided that nothing herein shall require the payment of a license fee under this act for the operation of a restaurant or cafe operated by and in connection with any hotel licensed by the State Board of Health.'"

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Chase called up for consideration the following resolution, offered by him on March 17th, and moved its adoption:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, the completion of the Panama Canal has greatly lessened the cost of transportation on products and freight from coast points to coast points, and

WHEREAS, the products and freight of the Mississippi River Valley must at the present time be transported by rail and thus compete with this water rate, to the great disadvantage of the shippers and consumers of the Mississippi River Valley, and

WHEREAS, the Mississippi River and its tributaries have possibilities, if developed, for cheap water transportation of the freight of the Valley, to and from the markets of the world on an equality with the coast trade of our country, and

WHEREAS, Iowa is one of the great freight producing states of the country and vitally interested in transportation charges, and

WHEREAS, if the Mississippi River and its tributaries are to be made navigable it will require the co-operation of all the states of the Mississippi Valley,

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House Concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Governor of the state is hereby authorized to appoint a committee of twenty-five (25) citizens of the state, to cooperate with similar commissions or committees from other interested states in a general meeting to devise ways and means to develop navigation on the Mississippi River and its tributaries.

SECTION 2. That said members serve without pay from the state.

SECTION 3. That a copy of this Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Governors of Minnesota, Louisiana, Mississippi, Wisconsin, North Dakota, Missouri, Illinois, South Dakota, Arkansas, Tennessee, Nebraska.

The resolution was adopted.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 503, 86 and 263.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Heald, Senate File No. 96, a bill for an act amending section five thousand seven hundred eighteen-a eighteen (5718-a18) supplement to the code, 1913, bringing prisoners committed to the penitentiaries, serving life sentences for murder, under the jurisdiction and operation of the parole law, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins was called to the chair at 10:20 a. m.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking from the fifth line of the printed bill the words "for murder".

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Heald invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—24.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—20.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Schrup, Whitmore—6.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 2, on motion of Senator Voorhees, Senate File No. 219, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up and considered.

Senator Taylor moved that Senate File No. 219 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Senator Clarkson moved that further consideration of Senate File No. 219 be deferred and that Senate File No. 219 and House File No. 268 be made a special order for Tuesday, April 6th, at 10:30 a. m.

The motion by Senator Taylor was withdrawn.

Senator Wilson moved as a substitute that Senate File No. 219 be referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary, with instructions to report back to the Senate April 6th, at 10:30 a. m.

Senator Crist moved, as an amendment to the substitute, that Senate File No. 219 and House File No. 268 be referred to a special committee, to be appointed by the Chair, consisting of five mem-

bers, the Senator from Cass to be chairman, with instructions to report back to the Senate before 10:30 a. m., Monday, and that the bill be made a special order for Tuesday, at 10:30 a. m.

Senator Wilson accepted the substitute motion of Senator Crist.

Motion carried.

The chair appointed as such committee, Senators Voorhees, Clarkson, Whitmore, Jones and Chase.

President Harding resumed the chair at 11:10 a. m.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 4, a bill for an act to fix the standard width of public roads in the state, at fifty (50) feet and regulating the removal of poles and fences to conform thereto, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

Senator Frailey moved the previous question.

Motion withdrawn.

Senator Taylor moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, White of Benton—22.

The nays were:

Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Hilsinger, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—21.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Fleck, Grout, Henigbaum, Jackson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—7.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 596, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 153, a bill for an act providing for an absolute and incontestable title to real estate, specifying the exceptions thereto, and fixing a method for preserving rights claimed in real estate by notice.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 226, a bill for an act relating to the safety of the public and requiring that any car or cars operated as a part of a street railway by any person, partnership or corporation shall be in charge of at least two competent employees, excepting one-man cars, and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section fifty-four hundred forty-seven-a (5447-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the suspension of execution of sentence of certain convicts on first conviction by the district court in which such conviction is had, or any judge thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 363, a bill for an act to provide juvenile playgrounds in cities of this state, providing for submitting the proposition to the voters, providing for the purchase or condemnation of real estate for such playgrounds, providing for the issue of city bonds with which to

purchase same, creating a fund by the levy of a millage tax for the establishment and maintenance of such playgrounds and providing for rules and regulations to govern the operation of such playgrounds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 484, a bill for an act to amend sections one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a52f (1989-a52f) and one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a 52 d (1989-a 52 d), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers, duties, etc., of trustees in the matter of expenditure of funds for levees, ditches, drains, etc., and further relating to the filling of vacancies in office of trustees.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 500, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the accepting and giving of tips or gratuities, as the same appears in section five thousand twenty-eight-n (5028-n), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 537, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-three hundred ten-a2 (2310-a2), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the detention and treatment of dipsomaniacs, inebriates and those addicted to the excessive use of narcotics.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 587, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty (2730), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tax that may be levied for the support of county high schools in the state of Iowa, and to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three-one a (2733-1a), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tuition to be paid high schools in counties where county high schools are maintained.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 51, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 53, a bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Caswell, House File No. 233, a bill for an act to repeal paragraph two of section three hundred one of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the duties of the county attorney, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hillsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—44.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Fleck, Henigbaum, Jackson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Ream, Senate File No. 109, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sustained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the Capitol ground, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Ream moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend the title by striking out the word "capital", in line four, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "capitol"; and further amend by striking out the word "capital" in the preamble and inserting in lieu thereof the word "capitol"; and amend section 1 by striking out, in the third line thereof, the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "six hundred seventy-five dollars (\$675.00)".

Adopted.

Senator Ream moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Henighbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—9.

Senator Ream offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 109 and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1000)", where the same occur in the title, and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures, "six hundred seventy five dollars (\$675)".

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 223, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bids for street improvements, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out all following the enacting clause and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting the words "from the first publication" between the words "days" and "by" in the fourth line thereof.

SECTION 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in full force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Indianola Herald, a newspaper published in Indianola, Iowa.

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Doran, Foskett, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Quigley, Thomas, Whitmore—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jones moved the adoption of the report of the committee on appropriations.

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting the word "annually" in line six of section 1 after the word "appropriated" and by striking out all after the word "treasury", in line seven, down to and including the word "thereafter", in line nine, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "not otherwise appropriated,"

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Henigbaum, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, Whitmore—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 4 was indefinitely postponed.

H. C. WHITE.

J. R. FRAILEY.

On request of Senator Francis leave of absence was granted Senator Whitmore for the day.

Senator Fleck moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s three (1527-s3), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the employment of county engineers, and fixing their terms of office and bonds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Further consideration deferred.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 285, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s seventeen (1527-s 17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to removal of obstructions from highways and notice thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Alien, Arney, Balkema, Boc, Caswell; Clarkson, Crist, Darran. Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hil-

singer, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Enger, Fellows, Jackson, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, White of Iowa, Whitmore—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 292, a bill for an act to authorize cities and towns to regulate, license and tax livery stables and garages, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 292 by striking out all after the word "amended" in line two (2) of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"by adding to said section at the end thereof the following: 'and cities of the second class and towns shall also have the right to regulate, license and tax livery barns and garages doing an auto livery business.'"

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Francis moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 292 passed to its third reading be reconsidered.

Carried.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting the word "public" immediately before the word "garages" in the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Voorhees, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Doran, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—10.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 299, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section one thousand five hundred seventy (1570) of the code, relating to trimming hedges, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Caswell, Kimball, Quigley, Savage, White of Benton, White of Iowa—6.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Enger, Frailey, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Schrup, Sheean, Whitmore—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 216, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to intoxicating liquors, was taken up for further consideration.

By unanimous consent, Senator Allen withdrew the following amendments filed by him, found on pages 905 and 1072 of the Journal:

Amend Senate File No. 216 by striking out all after the enacting clause and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the comma following the word 'whatever' in line seven of said section the following, 'including all patent and proprietary or other compounded medicines or other liquid compounds or mixtures containing alcohol, ale, wine, beer, or any other spirituous, vinous or malt liquor which has not been compounded with other ingredients in such manner and to such an extent as to destroy its distinctive character as an intoxicating liquor and to render its use as a beverage impossible.'"

I move to amend Senate File No. 216 by striking out the amendment as same appears on page 905 of the Journal of the Senate, and by substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the comma following the word 'whatever' in line seven of said section the following: 'including all patent and proprietary or other compounded medicines, terpeneless extracts of orange and lemon, anise, celery seed, rose and thyme extracts, or other liquid compounds or mixtures containing alcohol, ale, wine, beer, or any other spirituous, vinous or malt liquor which has not been compounded with other ingredients in such manner and to such extent as to destroy its distinctive character as an intoxicating liquor and to render its use as a beverage impossible, except extracts used for food purposes as defined by section 4999-a 31 of the supplement to the code, 1913, not herein enumerated.'"

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 216 by striking out all after the enacting clause and by substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is

hereby amended by inserting after the comma (,) following the word "whatever" in line seven (7) of said section the following:

'including terpeneless extract of orange, terpeneless extract of lemon, extract of anise, extract of celery seed, extract of rose and extract of thyme, and also including all patent and proprietary or other compounded medicines, or other liquid compounds or mixtures containing alcohol, ale, wine, beer, or any other spirituous, vinous or malt liquor which has not been compounded with other ingredients in such manner and to such extent as to destroy its distinctive character as an intoxicating liquor and to prevent its use as a beverage.'

"And by inserting after the period (.) following the word "principal" in the third (3rd) line from the end of said section the following: 'Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to repeal any of the provisions of section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one (4999-a 31), Supplement to the Code, 1913, except as herein expressly provided, nor shall it be construed as repealing any of the provisions of section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588), Supplement to the Code, 1913.'"

Senator Frailey offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

I move as an amendment to the amendment that there be inserted therein after the word "medicines", in line 8, the words "and ensilage and all alcoholic by-products of silos."

Amendment lost.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out beginning with the word "including", in line seven of Sec. 1, down to and including the word "beverage", in line 12 thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "including any patent or proprietary medicine, compound or substance, the manufacture or sale of which is taxed as an intoxicant under the internal revenue laws of the United States."

On the adoption of the amendment to the amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The following call of the Senate was filed:

The undersigned hereby join in a call of the Senate on Senate File No. 216, now under consideration.

J. H. ALLEN.
F. F. JONES.
F. A. HEALD.
L. E. FRANCIS.
N. BALKEMA.
FRED LARRABEE.
E. C. PERKINS.
J. H. DARRAH.

W. H. ARNEY.
H. W. GROUT.
L. W. BOE.
C. C. HELMER.
JOHN T. CLARKSON.
J. R. DORAN.
C. H. THOMAS.

The Secretary was instructed to call the roll to ascertain what senators were present.

Those present were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—44.

The Sergeant-at-arms was instructed to bring all absent senators into the Senate Chamber.

President instructed the Secretary to call the roll on the amendment to the amendment, by Senator Heald.

Senator Hagemann moved that all absent members, Senators Jackson, Whitmore and Laffer, be excused.

Motion carried.

On the amendment to the amendment, the ayes were :

Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—27.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas—20.

Absent or not voting :

Jackson, Laffer, Whitmore—3.

The amendment to the amendment was adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the call of the Senate be raised.

Carried.

Senator Allen asked unanimous consent to withdraw Senate File No. 216 from further consideration by the Senate.

Unanimous consent was granted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 1, a bill for an act to repeal the non-partisan judiciary law as the same appears in chapter two-B (2-B), title six (VI), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the nomination and election of judges of the supreme, district and superior courts.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 533, a bill for an act repealing section three thousand four hundred forty-seven-b (3447-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor fixing a later date for cutting off the interest of spouse in cases where the spouse has failed to join in deed or other conveyance prior to 1895.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

The Journal of March 30th was taken up, corrected and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 484, a bill for an act to regulate the sale of alcohol to registered pharmacists, physicians, veterinarians, hospitals, colleges and certain manufacturers and repealing sections, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
Chairman.

Senator Frailey moved that the bill be placed on the Calendar.

Carried.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on suppression of intemperance, to whom was referred House File No. 485, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the limitation of the number of saloons in cities and

towns acting under special charter, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

By unanimous consent, Senator Francis withdrew Senate Files Nos. 326 and 75 from further consideration by the Senate.

Senator Balkema moved that Calendar No. 128, Senate File No. 567, be made a special order for 10:30 a. m., Thursday, April 1st.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Chase, House File No. 469, a bill for an act to legalize and cure the acts and proceedings of the Independent Consolidated School District of New Providence, Hardin county, Iowa, preliminary to a certain bond issue voted September 5th, 1914, and to legalize and validate such bond issue, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Chase moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by adding thereto the following: "Such publication shall be without expense to the state".

Also, "Section 4. This act shall not affect pending litigation, if any."

Adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—46.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Jackson, Laffer, Whitmore—4.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 1, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. S. Grant Lewis, Pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Carroll, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Hamburg and Essex, Iowa, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Foskett presented a remonstrance of citizens of Coin, Iowa, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Thomas presented a petition of citizens of Ringgold and Union counties, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Davis county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Arney presented a petition of citizens of Marshall county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Enger presented a petition of citizens of Winneshiek county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Guthrie county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Darrah presented a petition of citizens of Wayne county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition of citizens of Davenport, Iowa, relative to providing a uniform standard for practitioners.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Crist presented a petition of citizens of Clarke county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Fleck presented petitions of citizens of Jasper county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Adams and Taylor counties, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Van Buren county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Enger presented a petition of The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Iowa, favoring the passage of the vital statistics bill.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Lee county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Humboldt county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Mitchell county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Fleck presented a petition of citizens of Jasper county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Chase presented a petition of citizens of Hamilton county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Jones presented a petition of citizens of Montgomery county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Lindly presented a petition of citizens of Washington county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Carroll county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Cass county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Hilsinger presented a petition of citizens of Jackson county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Story county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

The Lieutenant Governor presented a petition of citizens of Dickinson county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 80, 208, 316, 405 and 382.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 533, a bill for an act repealing section three thousand four hundred forty-seven-b (3447-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor fixing a later date for cutting off the interest of spouse in cases where the spouse has failed to join in deed or other conveyance prior to 1895.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House file No. 587, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty seven hundred thirty (2730), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tax that may be levied for the support of county high schools in the state of Iowa, and to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three-1-a (2733-1-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tuition to be paid high schools in counties where county high schools are maintained.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public schools.

House File No. 153, a bill for an act providing for an absolute and incontestible title to real estate, specifying the exceptions thereto, and fixing a method for preserving rights claimed in real estate by notice.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 226, a bill for an act relating to the safety of the public and requiring that any car or cars operated as a part of a street railway by any person, partnership or corporation shall be in charge of at least two competent employees and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 316, a bill for an act to amend section fifty-four hundred forty-seven-a (5447-a) of the supplement to the code,

1913, relating to the suspension of execution of sentence of certain convicts on first conviction by the district court in which such conviction is had, or any judge thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 363, a bill for an act to provide juvenile playgrounds in cities of this state, providing for submitting the proposition to the voters, providing for the purchase or condemnation of real estate for such playgrounds, providing for the issue of city bonds with which to purchase same, creating a fund by the levy of a millage tax for the establishment and maintenance of such playgrounds and providing for rules and regulations to govern the operation of such playgrounds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 484, a bill for an act to amend sections one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a 52 f (1989-a 52 f) and one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a 52 d (1989-a 52 d), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers, duties, etc., of trustees in the matter of expenditure of funds for levees, ditches, drains, etc., and further relating to the filling of vacancies in office of trustees.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 500, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the accepting and giving of tips or gratuities, as the same appears in section five thousand twenty-eight-n (5028-n), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 537, a bill for an act to amend chapter 2-a of title XII of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the detention and treatment of dipsomaniacs, inebriates and those addicted to the excessive use of narcotics.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 5, a bill for an act to repeal Section 2151 of the code relative to the transportation of railroad commissioners and enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

On motion of Senator Savage, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 370, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in Section 227, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts and the number of judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial district, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 180, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2727-a 3, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the secretary of the Board of Control, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass: By striking out Section Two (2).

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 462, a bill for an act relating to the equipment of street cars and maintenance of toilet facilities for street car employes,

amendatory of section 768, supplement to the code, 1913, and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section 792-g, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of property not abutting, for street improvements, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 542, a bill for an act to amend section 726 of the code, relating to municipal bonds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 576, a bill for an act to repeal sections 4999-a 6 to 4999-a 11 inclusive, supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, and amending sections 2514-i, 2514-n, and 2514-o, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fire escapes, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Repeal Sections Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Six (4999-a 6), Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Seven (4999-a 7), Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Eight (4999-a 8), Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Nine (4999-a 9), Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Ten (4999-a 10), and Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a eleven (4999-a 11) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, and enacting a Substitute Therefor, and Amending Sections Two Thousand Five Hundred Fourteen-i (2514-i), Two Thousand Five Hundred Fourteen-n (2514-n) and Two Thousand Five Hundred Fourteen-o (2514-o) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to Fire Escapes, Stairways and Means of Escape from Buildings, Structures or Enclosures and Protection Against Fire and Providing for the Inspection of Such Means of Protection of Buildings, and the Duties of Commissioner of Labor and Other Officers in Relation Thereto.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a 6 (4999-a 6) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

All buildings, structures or enclosures of three or more stories and such other buildings of a less number of stories as are included by law and which buildings are not equipped with fire escapes or which buildings may hereafter be erected or the fire escapes of which are renewed or in need of renewal, shall be equipped with such protection against fire and means of escape as is by law provided. The word "building" used in the law relating to fire escapes and protection against fire and means of escape from buildings shall be held to include all of the structures or enclosures embraced in this section or referred to more specifically in the law relating to fire escapes, protection against fire and means of escape from buildings. When a basement is five (5) feet or over above ground it shall be counted as a story.

SEC. 2. That Section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven (4999-a 7) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Every building, structure or enclosure of three or more stories and every school house of two stories and not provided with two (2) inside stairways located approximately at each end of the hallway in the second story and every structure having a stage, and every theater, or opera house of more than one story, or having balconies or galleries, shall have the number of fire escapes of the kind prescribed by law, which minimum number shall be based upon the following formula:

Number of fire escapes— $C \times P$

P equals the average maximum number of persons on any story above the first story having the largest number; such number to be fixed and determined according to the purpose for which the building is used.

C is a coefficient and is fixed and shall be taken for the various classes of buildings as follows:

Buildings having wooden or combustible walls, C equals .020.

Buildings having brick or noncombustible walls with combustible interior, C equals .014;

Buildings having brick or noncombustible walls and noncombustible roof and slow burning construction, C equals .012;

Buildings of fire proof construction throughout, C equals .007;

Buildings of wooden or combustible walls equipped with efficient water sprinkler system, C equals .014;

Buildings having brick or noncombustible walls with combustible interior equipped with efficient water sprinkler system, C equals .008;

Buildings having brick or noncombustible walls and noncombustible roof and slow burning construction equipped with efficient water sprinkler system, C equals .006.

Fire proof buildings equipped with efficient water sprinkler system, C equals .003.

When the result of the said formula is one (1) or any fraction thereof the number of escapes shall be equal to one (1). The number of es-

capas above one (1) shall be a number sufficient to cover the number indicated by the formula, including any fraction as unity, except when such fraction shall be thirty-three hundredths (.33) or less, in which case the fraction may be dropped if permitted by the inspector.

The first fire escape required by law shall be placed as far as possible from the existing inside stairway or exits to the lower floors of the building, taking into account the hazard and the path or route of access to the escape from such stairway.

The distance from any inside stairway or exit to the lower floor to the nearest fire escape shall not exceed two hundred (200) feet by way of the path or route of access to such fire escape from such stairway or exit.

Additional fire escapes to those otherwise provided by law shall be provided wherever it is necessary to pass within twenty (20) feet of any stairway or elevator shaft from any portion of the building more than twenty (20) feet from such stairway or shaft to reach the fire escape required by the other provisions of law and where there are peculiar, unusual or extreme hazards additional fire escapes may be required by those authorized by law to regulate and fix the number and requirements of fire escapes.

Provided also that if by reason of the height of buildings or by reason of many or all stories above the first story of such buildings having near the maximum of persons of any one floor above the first, such buildings shall be equipped with a sufficient number of fire escapes to permit the exit of all persons occupying such buildings above the first story, permanently, or temporarily in the course of business within the following periods of time:—

Buildings with wooden or combustible walls, two minutes; buildings having brick or noncombustible walls with combustible interior, three minutes; buildings having brick or noncombustible walls and noncombustible roof and slow burning interior construction, four minutes buildings of fire proof construction throughout, eight minutes; or a less period of time if hazard of merchantable contents of such building may so require; and in estimating the period of time required the rate of descent on the fire escapes shall not be taken in excess of one and five-tenths (1 5-10) feet of vertical distance, or height per second.

SEC. 3. That Section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eight (4999-a 8) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

All fire escapes shall be constructed as described in the following classifications:

Class A. Fire escapes of this class shall consist of those more safe and efficient than outside ladders and stairways and which shall have been approved as such by the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, and may include inside stairways and means of escape in fire-proof buildings, when approved by said commissioner.

Class B. Fire escapes of this class shall consist of a suitable outside stairway of not less than twenty-two (22) inches clear width of steel or wrought iron constructed with platforms and with stationary stairway carried down to within six and one-half (6½) feet from the ground or

with a drop or counterbalanced stairway from the second story platform or balcony to the ground.

Class C. Fire escapes of this class shall consist of at least one ladder not less than eighteen (18) inches in width of steel or wrought iron construction of sufficient size and strength for safety attached to the outside walls of the building and provided with platforms of steel or wrought iron enclosed by suitable railings and of such dimensions and in such proximity to the windows of each story above the first so as to render access to the ladder from each story easy and safe, the said ladder to extend to within six and one-half ($6\frac{1}{2}$) feet from the ground or be provided with a drop ladder hung at the second story in such a manner that it can be easily lowered for use. All fire escapes shall have suitable extensions reaching from the upper platform to safe landing on the roof of building.

All of the above classes of fire escapes shall be of suitable material, construction, arrangement and location to make the same safe and efficient and no fire escape of a higher class shall be less safe and efficient than of a lower class and the provisions of each lower class with respect to platforms, access to windows and openings and sufficiency of strength shall apply to the upper class except where allowed to be modified by those having authority.

All fire escapes of any of the foregoing classes shall have such necessary windows or openings leading to the platforms or balconies of the same as shall be necessary to make the same safe and efficient and all routes or paths of access to said fire escapes shall be safe and sufficient, with all doors of rooms leading to fire escapes one-half glass and equipped with mortice latches that the same may be easily and quickly opened by breaking the glass and turning the latches from the inside of the doors, all so as to render access to the fire escape from each floor above the first easy and safe. All windows or doors leading to the platforms of fire escapes shall not be fastened against exit.

The attachment of all fire escapes shall be made in a thorough and substantial manner and sufficient to carry the full load that may be placed on said fire escapes when the same are crowded, with a factor of safety of not less than four (4).

Suitable signs indicating the location of fire escapes shall be posted at all entrances to elevators, stairways, landings and in all rooms. In all buildings which are used for lodging or sleeping purposes and in opera houses, theaters and public assembly halls red lights shall be maintained at night or when the buildings are darkened to indicate the place or opening through which access to the fire escape is obtained.

SEC. 4. That Section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a nine (4999-a 9) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Hotels, lodging houses, tenements, apartment buildings, schools, retail or department stores, seminaries, and college buildings, office buildings, hospitals, asylums, opera houses, theaters, assembly halls and factories required to be equipped by law shall be equipped with escapes of class "A" or class "B". All other buildings and structures required

to be equipped with fire escapes shall be equipped with some one or more of said classes of fire escapes.

Class "C" shall not be used on any building over three stories in height in which more than five persons are at any one time allowed upon any one of the floors above said third story nor where any of the persons allowed upon any floor above the third story are females or minors; provided, however, the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics may under peculiar conditions and where the hazards are not great permit fire escapes of class "C" to be used on buildings of more than three stories but when ladder fire escapes are permitted on buildings more than three stories in height the ladders thereof must offset at the platforms and not be continuous from one story to the next.

Where stairways not less than forty-four (44) inches in clear width are provided they shall be taken as the equivalent of two or more single stairways in roportion to their width, provided the means of escape and efficiency and safety of said escapes are not thereby diminished.

SEC. 5. The entrance and exit doors of all hotels, churches, lodge halls, court houses, assembly halls, theaters, opera houses, colleges and public school houses and other structures where the hazard is deemed sufficient and the entrance doors to all class and assembly rooms in all public school buildings shall open outward and shall not be fastened against exit or so the same cannot be easily opened from within.

SEC. 6. That Section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a ten (4999-a 10) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

It shall be the duty of the building inspector in cities having such officer and if there be no such officer, then the chief of the fire department, and if there be no chief of a paid fire department, the mayor of each city or town or if the building is not within the corporate limits of any city or town, then the chairman of the board of supervisors shall inspect and they shall be the inspectors of all fire escapes within their respective jurisdictions, except such buildings as hotels and factories as are required otherwise to be inspected by law, and they shall as often as necessary and whenever complaint is made carefully inspect and examine such fire escapes and such inspection shall include all paths or routes of access between any inteiror exit to a lower floor and said fire escapes and shall include the openings and means of access to the said fire escapes and shall include signs, lights, exits and means of escape of all buildings required to be equipped with fire escapes and required to have certain exits and means of escape and upon the complaint or request of any person that any fire escape, exit or means of escape from fire or any rule or regulation relative thereto or relative to protection against fire is being violated, such inspector shall examine into the complaint or request and determine what, if any, requirements should be made in relation thereto, and shall have power to make all reasonable requirements and regulations in conformity with law and to determine all matters with respect to fire escapes, protection from fire and means of escape from buildings. Said inspectors, however, shall be subject to and their duties shall not conflict with the duties of inspection of the

commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, the engineer of the state board of health and their assistants or deputies.

The commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics shall have general charge and supervision of the inspection and regulation of fire escapes and means of escape and of the enforcement of the law relating thereto and for this purpose the inspectors named herein shall be subject to his direction and to the rules and regulations adopted by such commissioner. The said commissioner shall adopt standard uniform specifications for the various classes of fire escapes provided by law and shall keep such specifications on file in his office and shall furnish copies of such specifications to all persons made by law inspectors of fire escapes and means of escape from fire and such persons shall keep the same on file in their respective offices.

It shall be the duty of any inspector required by law to inspect fire escapes or means of escape from fire to serve or cause to be served a written notice in behalf of the state of Iowa upon the owner if he be a resident of the county in which the buildings are situated, or if he be a non-resident of such county, then upon his agent or lessee, that the buildings within this state are not provided with fire escapes in accordance with the provisions of this act, or that the fire escapes or means of escape from fire are defective, unsafe or dangerous, notifying such owner of such want of fire escapes, condition of the building, defective, dangerous or unsafe means of escape from fire or any matter relating thereto and notifying him to comply with the law and requirements of the inspector or commissioner within sixty (60) days after the service of such notice, provided the time of such notice may be extended by the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics if necessary.

The owner, by himself, his agent or lessee, may appeal from the action or requirement of any inspector at any time within the said sixty (60) days after the service of such notice by a written communication addressed to said commissioner, setting forth such objections as may be taken to the complaint, requirement or regulation of such inspector and it shall be the duty of the commissioner to pass upon and determine all matters of disagreement relating to fire escapes and the means of escape from fire from buildings and all rules, regulations, findings and orders of the commissioner shall be reasonable and not unduly burdensome wherever it is within the discretion of the commissioner.

The commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics shall make all necessary rules and regulations to carry out the purpose of this law and for all buildings wherever constructed and have the same printed in pamphlet form for distribution and he shall have the power to approve any and all plans relating to fire escapes of the various classes, and it shall be his duty to see that the same conform to the law and to make rulings and orders relative thereto, and where any dispute or disagreement arises with respect to the plans and specifications for any fire escapes or means of escape from fire the commissioner shall have the power and authority to determine and pass upon the same and make orders relative thereto. Said inspector shall, subject to the final decision of the commissioner, have power to determine the number of exits from all theaters, opera houses and assembly halls and those having

one or more balconies and the relation of such exits to the fire escapes, and shall require and enforce the requirements that all exits shall not be fastened against exit.

SEC. 7. That Section two thousand five hundred fourteen-i (2514-i) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by striking out all of the same down to and including the figures 1907 first appearing in said section and substituting therefor the following:

Every hotel shall be provided and equipped with fire escapes and means of exit and escapes from fire as is otherwise than in this chapter provided by law and all such law shall be additional to the provisions of this chapter.

SEC. 8. That Section two thousand five hundred fourteen-n (2514-n) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Every hotel except those which are of fire proof construction that are constructed with an inside court or light well and with sleeping rooms or sleeping apartments, the only outside openings of which open upon or into such court or light well, unless the same extends to the ground floor with suitable means of exit, shall have such court or light well supplied with a suitable runway, platform or balcony upon the roof or covering at the bottom thereof connecting with some easy and efficient means of egress to accessible fire escapes, and when the fire hazard is such that said roof or covering at the bottom of such court or light well is in danger of being destroyed by fire such runway, platform or balcony shall be attached to the walls of the court or light well as may be required by the inspector. Any doors or windows interposed between said runway, platform or balcony and the fire escapes shall not be fastened against the exit.

SEC. 9. That Section two thousand five hundred fourteen-o (2514-o) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Every hotel hereafter constructed or constructed since the fourth day of July, 1909, that is three or more stories high shall be provided with a hall on each floor above the ground floor extending from one outside wall to another and said halls shall be equipped at the end with fire escapes as is otherwise provided by law; provided, however, that in hotels of fire proof construction the provisions with reference to the hall extending from one outside wall to another may be modified with the approval of the commissioner of labor statistics, when such buildings are equipped with fire escapes of class "A".

SEC. 10. That Section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a 11 (4999-a 11) of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of law relating to fire escapes or means of escape from fire or any owner, agent or trustee having the full care and control of any building and who has been served with notice as provided herein and who shall within sixty (60) days of the service of the notice or within the time as extended by the commissioner fail and neglect to comply with the requirements of law or of the inspector or the commissioner, unless he appeal therefrom or

who shall fail, refuse or neglect to perform any order or requirement fixed by law or by the labor commissioner, if the same be reasonable, shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25) and not more than one hundred dollars (\$100) and shall be subject to a further fine of twenty-five dollars (\$25) for each additional week of neglect to comply with such notice, order or requirement.

CLEM F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second times.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 277, a bill for an act to grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of 25,000 or over, and organized under title 5, chapter 14 of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 564, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 836, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred House File No. 307, a bill for an act to amend section 1304 of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the exemption of certain property from taxation, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 428, a bill for an act to amend section 1310, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the taxation of moneys and credits, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Allen, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Francis, from the committee on judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 601, a bill for an act to legalize certain acts and proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fremont in the matter of establishing the Waubonsie Drainage District, locating a drainage ditch therein, apportioning costs and benefits thereunder and issuing bonds against said district for funds to construct said ditch, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 547, a bill for an act to amend an act passed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly and approved on the twelfth day of February, 1915, and entitled "A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the independent school district of Cherokee, county of Cherokee, and state of Iowa.", beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 560, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-B, Title III of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardian, appointment of probation officers, etc., beg leave to report

they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 586, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings under which the independent school district of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school funding and school building purposes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 385, a bill for an act to legalize the conveyance of certain real estate made to right Rev. John Hennessy, bishop of diocese of Dubuque, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 521, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-two hundred seventy (3270) of the code and relating to a husband's interest in a devise of real estate by will, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 373, a bill for an act legalizing the proceedings of the town council of Lake Mills, Winnebago county, Iowa, in connection with the passing of ordinance No. 45 providing for the election of three park commissioners for said town and legalizing the special election held on July 7, 1913, for the purpose of submitting said ordinance to

the voters of said town for their approval, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred House File No. 16, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas, and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 60, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand, six hundred fifty-six (3656) of the code, relating to appearance term not being the trial term for equitable actions, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 566, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the lien of taxes upon real estate as the same appears in section fourteen hundred (1400), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 25, a bill for an act to invest the district courts of the state of Iowa with jurisdiction and authority to restrain violations of any law heretofore or hereafter enacted to protect the public and trade and commerce against unlawful restraints, trusts, conspiracies, combina-

tions and monopolies, or, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend Senate File 25 by adding thereto as sections 5 and 6 the following:

SEC. 5. That the labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce. Nothing contained in the Anti-Trust laws shall be construed to forbid the existence and operation of labor, agricultural, or horticultural organizations, instituted for the purpose of mutual help, and not having capital stock or conducted for profit, or to forbid or restrain individual members of such organizations from lawfully carrying out the legitimate objects thereof; nor shall such organizations, or the members thereof, be held or construed to be illegal combinations or conspiracies in restraint of trade, under the Anti-Trust laws.

SEC. 6. That before any such action shall be instituted or commenced by the Attorney General or any County Attorney, at the request of any non-resident, or at the request of any person or persons for the benefit of any non-resident, said non-resident shall furnish a bond in such sum as shall be required by the Attorney General, which bond may from time to time be modified or increased by the court having jurisdiction of the said action, which bond shall require the plaintiff to pay all costs in said proceeding.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 366, a bill for an act to amend section forty-six hundred three (4603) of the code by providing for the cross-examination of the adverse party to the record of any civil action or proceedings, or the agent or employee of said party or one in privity with such party, or a person for whose benefit an action or proceedings is prosecuted or defended, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 1, to whom was referred Senate File No. 224, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section 254-a46 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the enticing away of children, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 224.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Repeal Section Two Hundred Fifty Four-a Forty Six (254-a46), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to the Enticing Away of Children, and to Enact a Substitute Therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. The law, as it appears in Section Two Hundred Fifty Four-a Forty Six (254-a46), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

SEC. 2. If any person maliciously, forcibly, or fraudulently, take, entice, or decoy away any child under the age of sixteen (16) years with intent to detain or conceal such child from its parents, guardian, or other person having the legal custody thereof, he shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary not more than ten (10) years, or be imprisoned in the county jail not more than one (1) year, or be fined not exceeding One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00).

SEC. 3. If any person maliciously, forcibly, or fraudulently, take, entice, or decoy any child, ward, or inmate from any institution having the legal custody thereof, or from any home or place in which such child, ward, or inmate of such institution may have been placed, before its release or discharge therefrom, with intent to detain or conceal such child, ward, or inmate from such institution, he shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary not more than ten (10) years, or be imprisoned in the county jail not more than one (1) year, or be fined not more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00).

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee No. 1 on judiciary, Senate File No. 608, a bill for an act confirming the title of Margaret Murphy to certain meandered lands in section number twenty (20), township number ninety-seven (97), north of range number thirty-five (35), west of the fifth (5th) principal meridian, in Clay county, Iowa, and authorizing and directing the issuance of a patent therefor.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee No. 1 on judiciary, Senate File No. 609, a bill for an act to legalize satisfactions of school fund mortgages where such satisfactions were executed or entered on the margin of the record by county auditors prior to July 4th, 1894.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee on ways and means, Senate File No. 610, a bill for an act providing for the reporting and taxation of electric transmission lines and properties.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has requested the return of House File No. 153, in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 464, a bill for an act to create a department in the office of commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics for the purpose of providing free public employment.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 501, a bill for an act to authorize, empower and direct the executive council to sell all that part of the capitol grounds lying and being west of East Ninth Street, and also to sell all that part of said capitol grounds lying and being east on East Twelfth Street and to amend section fourteen hundred-t (1400-t), and repeal section fourteen hundred-t-two (1400-t2), of chapter one-A (1-A), supplement to the code, 1913, and to specify the manner in which the money derived from the sale of said land shall be used, and the conditions governing such sale.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

COMMUNICATION FROM EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

The following communication was received from the Executive Council, was read and ordered printed in the Journal:

TO THE SENATE—In response to the resolution adopted by you on the 25th of March requesting the Executive Council to report to you an account of the receipts and disbursements under the Capitol Extension Act the following is respectfully submitted.

Section four (4) of Chapter Fourteen (14) of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly relating to the Extension and Improvement of the

State Capitol Grounds provides: "That the executive council is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to acquire any or all the real estate included in the territory described in section two hereof for the State and may purchase the same on option or contracts or in any other way which said council may deem expedient" and section nine provides: "That for the purpose of accomplishing the earliest possible completion of the work contemplated herein and the carrying out of the plans provided for in this act the executive council may anticipate the collection of the tax herein authorized to be levied for the extension and improvement of the Capitol Grounds and for that purpose may issue interest bearing warrants or certificates carrying a rate of interest not to exceed five per cent per annum." Section seven of said chapter provides "That the executive council is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to sell or cause to be sold either as it now stands or to cause the same to be platted and subdivided into lots and sold in parcels the real estate now owned by the State known as Governor's Square" * * * and the proceeds "shall be carried into the State Treasury to the credit of the Capitol Grounds Extension and Improvement Fund."

Acting under these provisions of the law the executive council proceeded to the discharge of the duties enjoined upon it. After careful consideration the conclusion was reached that much more money could be realized by platting Governor's Square and removing houses from the extended grounds to the lots, since authority was conferred to sell both the buildings and the lots.

In anticipation of the income from the tax levies and from the sale of Governor's Square and in harmony with the statutes and the decision of the Supreme Court in the Capitol Extension Case, the council proceeded to secure and did secure of Geo. M. Bechtal & Co., \$400,000.00, December 18th, 1913, \$50,000.00 January 14th, and \$225,000.00 February 9th, 1914, paying the said company for its services \$1,700.00. With the coming in of the 1913 taxes and the \$675,000.00 in anticipation of them and the tax of 1914 the council proceeded with the purchase of property, issuing five per cent warrants in payment therefor. Warrants to the amount of \$675,000.00 have been issued and in the subjoined statement the interest thereon has been figured to their maturity, some of them running to June 1st, 1915, others to December 1st, 1915.

Income from sales of lots in Governor's Square was also anticipated and it is especially anticipated in connection with the small sum, comparatively, which will become due in August, 1915. These purchases were made in anticipation of such income and also of the tax of 1915. Anticipation from sales in Governor's Square was also made in earlier purchases but the work of preparation of the lots for sale was delayed longer than was expected, due to inability to negotiate the purchase of lots in the Extension having houses desirable for moving. Besides, in order to make the property in the Square salable, excavations for basements and water and sewer connections had to be put in.

Mr. L. A. Jester, an experienced real estate man of East Des Moines thoroughly acquainted with values, was employed under the provision of Chapter 13 of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly, to make purchase

of extension territory and was paid \$6,312.50 for his services. Mr. Montis and Mr. Mathis were paid for services rendered in like behalf \$36.00 and \$25.00 respectively. Mr. Jester has not been in the employ of the State since February 6th.

Mr. T. E. McCurdy, who has had charge of renting buildings and collecting rents, selling houses and property from the grounds, cleaning up, looking after repairs, insurance, moving houses, preparing Governor's Square, and a multitude of other duties, was appointed in accordance with the provisions of Senate Joint Resolutions No. 15 of the 35th General Assembly and has been paid \$1,790.33.

The foregoing facts are stated to the end that the subjoined statement may be fully and clearly understood.

No estimate of the cost of the grounds yet to be purchased can be made that will be absolutely accurate but it is confidently believed that \$140,000.00 will approximate it very closely.

The city of Des Moines has not as yet vacated any portion of the streets within the Extension territory for the reason that the State only very recently acquired all the property along streets so that there could be no objections by abutting owners.

The Executive Council begs the privilege of suggesting to the Senate its very great hope that it will not halt or cripple this great enterprise by reducing the amount provided for it during the next biennium. The law itself, as now written, reduces the amount already provided during the last biennium, \$315,000.00 a year. \$150,000.00 per annum is not a burden and not to allow that sum would leave a deplorable condition about the capitol building, and subject the State to financial loss under conditions as they now exist.

Statement of available assets and disbursements in connection with the Capitol Extension Act.

ASSETS.

Total estimated collections from 1913 and 1914		
—98% levies		\$ 928,470.23
Warrants issued	\$675,000.00	
Interest on warrants.....	51,233.00	726,233.00
Available for purchases.....		202,237.23
Proceeds of warrants.....		675,956.77
Collections from rentals.....		27,113.48
Receipts from sales.....		11,706.72
Due on contracts for sales.....		1,665.00
Collectible notes		1,919.11
Estimated value of lots and houses, Governor's Square		100,000.00
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		\$1,020,598.32

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for lands.....	\$ 904,690.55
Due on unsettled contracts.....	64,125.50
August, 1915, contracts.....	18,048.00
Expenses of condemnation jury.....	297.50
Sundry items, taxes, court certificates, abstracts of title lands condemned.....	678.40

Geo. M. Bechtol & Co., expense on warrants.....	1,700.00	
Labor on grounds.....	4,330.84	
Materials for repairs on grounds.....	3,611.55	
Labor—Governor's Square	6,512.30	
Materials for repairs—Governor's Square.....	3,212.30	
Paid on contract for moving houses.....	2,304.00	
Water rentals for leased premises.....	513.23	
Insurance	941.88	
Recording deeds	150.35	
Fuel for leased premises.....	414.97	
Sundry refunds, repairs, etc.....	194.10	
		\$1,011,725.28
Paid T. E. McCurdy to April 1, 1915.....	\$1,790.33	} Chapter 13, 35th G. A.
Paid L. A. Jester.....	6,312.50	
Paid Mr. Montis	36.00	
Paid Mr. Mathis	25.00	

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 594, a bill for an act creating the office of State Document Editor, prescribing the method of selecting the State Document Editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties, with report of committee on appropriations recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out Section 1 and adopting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The Governor shall appoint, on or before the 1st day of July, 1915, and every two years thereafter, a Document Editor whose term of office shall begin on the 1st day of July, 1915, and continue for two years and until his successor is elected and qualified. All appointments for said office subsequent to the one first appointed must be approved by the members of the State Senate in executive session, by two-thirds vote, before it shall become effective."

Further amend by striking out Sections 11 and 12 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Section 11. The Executive Council shall have authority to supply the State Document Editor with such assistance as in its opinion may be necessary from time to time."

Further amend by renumbering Section 13 as Section 12.

Adopted.

By unanimous consent Senator Taylor withdrew the following amendment filed by him:

Strike out all of Section 9 and renumber the remaining sections.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to Section 9 the following: "except that the secretary of State shall remain custodian of documents and other publications the same as of the laws".

Adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Frailey, Lindly, Ream, Schrup—5.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s 12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16) and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m 32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s 2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s 3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 7 (1527-s 7), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s 8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s 11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s 13), fifteen

hundred twenty-seven-s 17 (1527-s 17), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 19 (1527-s 19), supplement to the code, 1913, defining the duties of township trustees and boards of supervisors relative to marking dangerous points on highways, defining the jurisdiction of state, county, township and corporation line roads, and providing for the transfer of the unexpended balance from the drag fund to the general township road fund, was taken up and considered.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That chapter I-A, title VIII, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following substitute enacted in lieu thereof.

Sec. 2. The office of state highway engineer is hereby created and located at the state capitol. Said engineer shall be appointed by the governor immediately upon the taking effect of this act, for a period of two (2) years from the first day of July, 1915, and his term of office shall thereafter be for the period of two (2) years. Said appointment shall be affirmed by a two-thirds vote of the Senate. Such engineer first appointed shall fill the interim between the taking effect of this act and the first of July, 1915. Said engineer shall be subject to removal as provided by section twelve hundred fifty-eight-b (1258-b), supplement to the code, 1913. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in said office, the governor shall fill such vacancy for the unexpired term. The attorney general shall act as attorney and advise said engineer on all legal matters pertaining to his office.

Sec. 3. Said state engineer shall be a resident of the state at the time of his appointment, and a graduate of some accredited school of civil engineering, and shall have had five (5) years experience in engineering, highway and bridge construction work.

Sec. 4. Said state engineer shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for his services, and actual expenses while traveling in the performance of his duties. He shall be required to give a bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the faithful performance of his duties.

Sec. 5. Said state engineer may appoint such assistants and clerks as are necessary to carry on the work of the office, but the total expenditure for assistants, clerks and other expenses shall not exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) in any year.

Sec. 6. The duties of such state engineer shall be:

a. To acquire knowledge of the latest improved methods of road and bridge construction and collect such other information as will be of value to the highway officers of the state.

b. To investigate the road and bridge work in any county upon the request of the board of supervisors, or when in his judgment, it would

be necessary to do so, to become familiar with the highway and bridge construction of that county.

c. To attend county road meetings when it is practical to do so, and confer with road officials on any matters pertaining to road work.

d. To devise plans and specifications for highway and bridge construction and maintenance suited to the needs of the different counties of the state. He shall also keep on hand standard plans for the different designs of permanent bridges and culverts of all sizes, to be furnished to the county upon the request of the board of supervisors or county engineer.

e. To disseminate information and instructions to county boards of supervisors or other highway officers; answer inquiries, and advise such supervisors and officers on questions pertaining to highway improvement, construction and maintenance, and of reasonable prices for materials and construction.

f. To keep a record of his office, and the progress of the road work in the state, and annually report same to the governor, which report shall be printed as a public document. He shall also render an itemized statement of the expenses of his office to the governor on the last day of December for the preceding year.

SEC. 7. The highways now designated as county roads by the plats and records now on file in the county auditor's office of each county and all county highways from time to time added thereto shall be known as the county road system. All other highways in the county shall be known as the township road system.

SEC. 8. All county system road plats, profiles, engineers' records and records of surveys now on file in the auditor's office of each county under and in accordance with which permanent highways, culverts and bridges have been constructed or are in the process of construction, or highways designated or established as county roads for improvement shall be a part of the system known as the county road system and are hereby so recognized. Such highways, culverts and bridges as at the present time are completed or are in course of construction under the said county highway system, are deemed to be of proper width and are hereby so recognized. All of said plats, profiles, engineers' records and records of surveys shall be preserved by the auditor for future reference.

SEC. 9. The county board of supervisors shall have full control and supervision of the highways in the county, designated as county road system, as shown by the plat now on file in the county auditor's office in each county, and such other roads as they shall from time to time add to said system. County boards of supervisors of adjoining counties, shall confer with each other and determine and secure continuity of roads leading from the principal points in one county to the principal points in the other county.

SEC. 10. The board of supervisors may from time to time add to the county road system such roads from the township road system as in their judgment have become sufficiently improved to become a part of said system, but in no case shall more than ten per cent (10%) of

the township roads be added to the county road system in one year. They shall cause a map to be made plainly marking the road or roads proposed to be added to said system, and file the same with the county auditor to be kept open for public inspection. Upon the filing of said map the county auditor shall at once fix a date of hearing thereon, which shall not be more than twenty (20) days distant from the date of filing same, and ten (10) days notice of the filing of said map with the county auditor, and the date of hearing fixed, shall be published in one issue of each of the official county papers.

At any time before said hearing is concluded, any ten (10) freeholders of the county may file a petition with the county auditor asking for any change in said designated roads which may be deemed advisable, which petition shall set forth the reasons of the proposed change, and shall be accompanied by a plat accurately showing such proposed change. Upon such hearing the board of supervisors shall after taking into consideration the volume of traffic, continuity, and maintenance, finally determine the road or roads that are to become a part of the county road system, and cause said map to be marked in conformity to the added road or roads as finally designated.

SEC. 11. The board of supervisors of each county may employ a competent engineer or engineers, who shall be employed for such length of time and at such compensations as may be fixed by the board of supervisors, and to be paid out of the county fund, and who shall make general specifications for grading, repairing, and building of roads, bridges and culverts, and who shall perform such other duties as the board of supervisors may determine. Said engineer or engineers shall give bond for the faithful performance of their duties in a sum of not less than Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000), or more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5000), to be fixed by the board of supervisors.

SEC. 12. Upon and under the direction of the board of supervisors, the engineer shall in writing divide said roads into sections, designating each section by some appropriate number, name or letter, and clearly designate the starting point and terminus of each such section, and such designation shall be recorded at length in the county road book, whereupon the engineer shall proceed to survey said roads and report to the board of supervisors the plan for the road, bridge, tile and culvert work thereon. Such survey and report shall be on the basis and with the object in view of the permanent improvement of said roads as to bridge, culvert, tile and road work. Said survey and report shall consist of an accurate plan and profile of said roads, showing cuts and fills and outline of grades, with careful attention to surface, and lateral drainage and sub-drainage, and shall show the location of all lines of tile and the size thereof, and of all bridges and culverts, their length, height and width, and foundation soundings, and an estimate of the watershed relating to each bridge and culvert.

SEC. 13. After said survey and plan for each section has been approved and filed by the board of supervisors, the county auditor shall record same at length in the county road book, and the board of supervisors shall thereupon proceed with the construction of the road, tile, bridge and culvert work in accordance therewith.

The duty to construct and maintain all bridges and culverts throughout the county shall be imposed on the board of supervisors, with the exception of temporary culverts and repair work done upon the culverts of the township road system, which work shall be under the supervision of the township trustees, and the cost of which shall, when the work has been authorized by the board of supervisors, be paid for out of the county road fund when itemized bills therefor are certified to by one or more trustees.

Repair work shall be known as work of a temporary character, or of immediate necessity, and work necessary to maintain finished roads completed under this act.

SEC. 14. All permanent bridges having a clear span of less than sixteen (16) feet shall be classified as culverts and shall be so constructed as to carry a clear roadway of not less than twenty (20) feet in width.

All permanent bridges with a clear span of sixteen (16) feet or more shall be not less than sixteen feet in width. All culverts having a span of four (4) feet or less may be classified as road work and may be paid for out of the county road funds. All culverts having a span of over four (4) feet, and all bridges shall be paid for out of the county bridge fund.

All permanent grading shall provide for a roadway of not less than twenty-four feet in width.

SEC. 15. Standard plans and specifications for all permanent bridges and culverts shall be furnished without cost to the counties by the state engineer, and the work shall be done in accordance therewith and when said work is completed and approved, a duplicate statement of the cost thereof shall be filed with the state highway engineer by the county auditor. All culverts and bridge construction, tile and tiling and repair work, or materials therefor, of which the engineer or supervisors' estimated cost shall be One Thousand Dollars (\$1000) or less, may be advertised and let at the public letting, or may be let privately at a cost not to exceed the engineer's or supervisors' estimated cost, or may be built by day labor.

All culverts and bridge construction, tile and tiling, and repair work on materials therefor, of which the engineer's or supervisors' estimated cost shall exceed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) shall be advertised and let at a public letting, provided that the board shall have the power to reject any or all bids, in which event they may re-advertise. All bids received shall be opened at the time and place specified in the advertisement and shall be recorded in detail in a book kept for that purpose by the county auditor, which book shall at all times be open to the public for inspection. Before beginning the construction of any bridge or culvert by day labor or contract, the plans, specifications, estimate of drainage area, estimates of cost and their specific location shall be filed in the county auditor's office by the engineer or board of supervisors. On completion a detailed statement of cost and of any additions or alterations to the plans shall be added to the above records by the engineer or board of supervisors, all of which shall be retained in the county auditor's office as permanent records, and when said work is completed and approved a

duplicate statement of the cost thereof shall be filed at once with the state highway engineer by the county auditor.

Sec. 16. All bills for road work, tile and tiling, culvert and bridge construction, or for repairs, made or done under the supervision of the engineer, shall be filed in itemized form and certified to by the engineer before being allowed by the board, and before warrants in payment therefor are drawn by the county auditor.

Before any warrant shall be issued by the county auditor upon the county road fund in payment for any grading or construction of highways, or culverts made under the supervision of the engineer, the person to whom the money is due must secure on his bill a certificate of the county engineer, that such improvement has been made in accordance with the plans and specifications approved by the board of supervisors, and when so endorsed and allowed by the board of supervisors warrants may be drawn for the amount so certified by the county engineer, but if said engineer makes said certificate when said work has not been done in accordance with the plans and specifications and the same be not properly made good without additional cost then the full cost of making good may be recovered upon said engineer's bond.

Partial payment may be allowed on contract work not to exceed sixty per cent (60%) of the work actually done.

Sec. 17. All moneys, except the bridge fund, received by the board of supervisors for road purposes shall be paid out only on the order of said board for the purchase of tools, machinery, and equipment, or for work done upon the county road system, or for tile or tiling or for culverts, classified as road work as herein provided. All moneys received by the township trustees for road purposes shall be expended for and upon the township road system.

Sec. 18. At the February meeting or as soon thereafter as possible, the township trustees of each township shall select from its township road system, the roads to be dragged for the year, to be known as draggable roads, and shall employ a superintendent or superintendents of the township road system, who shall give bond for the faithful performance of his duties in such sum as the township trustees may direct. Such superintendent or superintendents shall have the general supervision of all dragging and repair work on the township road system, whose term of office and compensation shall be at the discretion of the township trustees. He shall see that the approaches to all the bridges on the said roads are maintained in such manner as to present smooth and uniform surfaces; keep the openings to all culverts and ditches free from weeds, brush and other material that will in any manner prevent the free discharge of surface water.

He shall have charge of all draggable roads of the township road system and make contracts for dragging, and shall see that all draggable roads of the township road system are properly dragged at such times as are necessary to maintain such roads in a smooth condition, at such price as is reasonable and necessary to secure such contracts. For this purpose there shall be expended, under the direction of the township trustees, through the road superintendent or superintendents, upon the town-

ship road system not less than one mill drag tax now authorized by law. The township trustees shall not allow any bills for dragging, maintenance, or repair work, nor shall warrants in payment therefor be drawn by the township clerk upon funds of the township road system until itemized bills therefor shall have been certified to by the township road superintendent or superintendents. A violation of this section shall render the township clerk liable on his bond for the amount of said warrant. The compensation of such superintendent or superintendents for all duties, including any dragging actually performed by him or them, and the cost of all equipment for dragging, shall be paid for out of the township road funds. Each superintendent shall at least once a year, or on demand, furnish the township trustees a report of all work done under and by them.

SEC. 19. Before beginning any work upon the township road system, other than hereinbefore described as repair work, the trustees shall make application to the board of supervisors, who may furnish them with an engineer to be paid out of the county fund, who shall survey and lay off such roads according to plans and specifications approved by the board of supervisors, and the work shall be done in accordance therewith. The county board of supervisors are charged with the duty of repairing and dragging the county road system as is required to keep the same in proper condition, and shall adopt such methods as are necessary to maintain continuously, in the best condition practicable, the entire mileage of this system.

SEC. 20. No state engineer or assistant, or any other person in the employ of the state engineer, supervisor, township trustees, county engineer, road superintendent, or any person in their employ or one holding an appointment under them, shall be either, directly or indirectly, interested in any contract for the construction or building of any bridge or bridges, culvert or culverts or any improvement of any road or parts of road coming under the provision of this act.

SEC. 21. Not later than the first Monday in November, or at any time upon the demand of the township trustees, the township clerk shall report the work accomplished on the township road system in his township, and said township trustee shall, as nearly as practicable, recommend what is to be done upon the township road system for the succeeding year. A duplicate report of the work accomplished shall be filed by the clerk with the county auditor; and the county board as nearly as practicable, shall credit the same on the township road system of the county map.

It also shall be the duty of the board of supervisors to cause to be made a written report of the work accomplished upon the roads for the current year, which report shall show what roads of the county and township system have been completed or partially completed, and credit to such roads shall be shown upon the county road plan not later than January 1st, and a copy of said report shall be immediately forwarded to the state highway engineer upon standard printed forms.

All forms and blanks necessary to secure uniformity of records and reports in the systems herein provided, shall be furnished by the state highway engineer.

SEC. 22. County and township boards, charged with the duty of improving public highways, shall have power to remove all obstruction in the highways under their jurisdiction, for fences and poles used for telephone, telegraph or other transmission purposes, shall not be removed until notice, in writing, of not less than ten (10) days has been given to the owner, occupant, or agent of the land enclosed in part of such fence or to the owner or company operating such lines. The notice to any owner or operator of any such telephone, telegraph or transmission line may be served on any agent or officer of such line, and all such fences and poles shall, within the time designated, be removed to such line on the highway, as designated by the board of supervisors, and if not removed by the date fixed in such notice, same may be forthwith removed by the proper officials.

Any new lines, or part of lines hereinafter constructed, shall be located by the board of supervisors, and shall be removable according to the provisions of this section.

The notice of removal may designate to which side of the highway the said poles shall be removed. Any removal made in compliance with this section shall be at the expense of the owners thereof, without liability on the part of any officer ordering or effecting the removal.

SEC. 23. The board of supervisors shall require all contractors to give a bond for the faithful performance of the contract, in such sum as the board of supervisors may deem necessary.

The surety on any bond given to guarantee the faithful performance and execution of any work shall be deemed and held, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding, to consent without notice:

a. To any extension of time to the contractor in which to perform the contract when each particular extension does not exceed sixty (60) days.

b. To any change in the plans, specifications or contract when such change does not involve an increase of more than twenty per cent (20%) of the total contract price, and shall then be released only as to such excess increase.

No contract shall be valid which seeks to limit the time to less than five (5) years in which an action may be brought upon the bond covering concrete work nor to less than one (1) year upon the bond covering other work.

SEC. 24. The board of supervisors shall levy for grading and building of roads not more than two (2) mills on the dollar to be known as the road building fund, but such tax shall not be assessable within the limits of any city or incorporated town. None of such road tax shall be used in the grading or building of any roads within the limits of such cities or town.

SEC. 25. Any association organized to promote the improvement of any continuous highway not less than twenty-five miles in length may, by making application to the state highway engineer, register in the office of said engineer the name, detailed route, color combination and design used in marking said route. The highway engineer shall have

power to determine priority of right in the use of said name, color combination and designs.

SEC. 26. The application shall be in the form prescribed by the engineer upon blanks furnished by him, and shall be properly acknowledged by the president and secretary of the association before a notary. Said application shall be accompanied by a registration fee of five dollars (\$5.00), which fee shall be returned to the association if the application be not granted.

SEC. 27. If the state highway engineer shall, after investigation, adjudge the application meritorious and the route to be worthy of the protection of this act, he shall issue to the association a certificate which shall designate in detail the name, the starting and the terminal points, the color combination and designs used in marking the route; all of which facts shall be recorded as a part of the permanent records of the engineer in a book kept for that purpose.

SEC. 28. It shall be unlawful for any person or association of persons to use for similar purposes the name, any recorded color combination and designs herein referred to.

SEC. 29. Any person who shall injure or deface any signboard, design or other markings designating routes, shall be subject to the provisions of section forty-eight hundred and one of the code.

SEC. 30. When any such highway association ceases to exist or when the interest in the route, name and markings has ceased, the state highway engineer may, after proper investigation, cancel the records and registration herein referred to and reassign the name, color combination, designs or other markings to any association making application for their use.

SEC. 31. All fees received by the state highway engineer under this act shall be turned into the state treasury.

SEC. 32. Any person or officer of any association violating any of the provisions of Sections 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 or 31 of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 33. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 34. This act, being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Senator Clarkson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 157, a bill for an act authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section sixteen, township seventy-three north, range eighteen, west of the fifth p. m., Monroe county, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 143, a bill for an act authorizing cities (other than special charter cities) having a population of two thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvements and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 202, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in section eight hundred forty-g (840-g), supplement to the code, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined, and find correctly enrolled, Senate File No. 489, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the city council of the city of Emmetsburg, Iowa, relative to the permanent improvement of certain streets therein and the contract entered into for said improvement, and assessment of benefits to be made against property benefited thereby.

Also:

Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the meeting of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 319, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-nine hundred-a-seven (2900-a-7), supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands.

Also:

Senate File No. 329, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct or maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 489, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the city council of the city of Emmetsburg, Iowa, relative to the permanent improvement of certain streets therein and the contract entered into for said improvement, and assessment of benefits to be made against property benefited thereby.

Also:

Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 319, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-nine hundred-a-seven (2900-a-7), supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands.

Also:

Senate File No. 329, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct or maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 156, 319, 329 and 489.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal the law as the same appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16) and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 7 (1527-s7), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 17 (1527-s17), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 19 (1527-s19), supplement to the code, 1913, defining the duties of township trustees and boards of supervisors relative to marking dangerous points on highways, defining the jurisdiction of state, county, township and corporation line roads, and providing for the transfer of the unexpended balance from the drag fund to the general township road fund.

The amendment offered by Senator Chase was pending.

Senator Crist moved that further consideration of the pending measure be deferred until Tuesday, April 6, 1915, at 10:30 a. m., and be made a special order for that time.

On the adoption of this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—24.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Shean, Taylor, Whitmore—26.

Absent or not voting:

None.

Motion to defer lost.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—22.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—27.

Absent or not voting:

Sheean—1.

The motion to adjourn was lost.

On the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Chase, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Doran, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—15.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

Absent or not voting:

None.

The amendment was lost.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

I cannot vote for the substitute, known as the Johnston road bill, for the following reason:

"While it contains certain features that I favor, particularly Sections 2 and 3 that provide for a State Highway Engineer, under bond and with

his office located at Des Moines, I cannot agree to the plan to give him only limited supervisory power. He should be given some real power and control if we are ever to have connected, systematic and effective building of good roads in Iowa. The vast sums that tax payers of this state are paying annually for road building should not be left entirely to ninety-nine boards of county supervisors working independently and with almost as may different plans. It would be too much like a great railway corporation leaving the building and maintenance of its trackage to each section force operating independently of the other. If the present road law could be substantially amended, making its administration less expensive and autocratic, and substitute the State Highway Engineer for the present State Highway Commission in the administration of the law, substantially as proposed in Sections 2 and 3, of House File No. 282, would in my judgment be wise and progressive road legislation by this General Assembly.

C. H. THOMAS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 489, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the city council of the city of Emmetsburg, Iowa, relative to the permanent improvement of certain streets therein and the contract entered into for said improvement, and assessment of benefits to be made against property benefited thereby.

Also:

Senate File No. 156, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 319, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-nine hundred-a-seven (2900-a-7), supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands.

Also:

Senate File No. 329, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct or maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Thomas filed the following amendments:

I move to amend Senate File No. 247 as follows:

Amend section 2 by striking out all after "(e)" in paragraph "(e)" and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "The stock of any corporation organized under the laws of this or any other state or territory of the United States, or of the federal government, provided that under the laws of such state or territory or federal government no capital stock of a corporation can be legally issued unless the par value of said stock is paid for in full in either cash or property at its actual value before the issuance of such stock and where all property and any other thing given in exchange for such stock other than cash must be valued at not more than its actual cash value by some duly appointed officer or commission of such state, territory or federal government under the laws of which such corporation is organized and where such stock has been issued in accordance with the provisions of such laws."

Amend section 9 by adding at the end of line 2 of the printed bill the following: "or at such time as they make their annual statement to their directors, but not less than once each year."

Amend section 22 of the printed bill by striking out, all of line eleven following the word "purchaser," all of lines twelve and thirteen, and all of line fourteen before the "," at the end of said line, and by striking out of line fifteen the word "and" before the word "shall" and substituting in lieu thereof the word "he", and by striking out of the same line the word "also".

Amend section 2 by striking out all of paragraph (d) and substituting therefor the following:

"(d) Promissory notes and the mortgages, contracts, collateral or other things, if any, securing the same, when said notes and securities have, in a bona fide way, been issued, given or acquired in the ordinary course of legitimate business, trade or commerce."

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 2, 1915.

The Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Richard R. Newby, Pastor of the Friends' Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Kimball presented a remonstrance of citizens of Carson and Macedonia, Iowa, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Allen presented a remonstrance of citizens of Buena Vista and Humboldt counties, and Laurens, Iowa, against the passage of the Johnston bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Fellows presented a remonstrance of physicians of Waukon, Iowa, against the passage of House File No. 88, relating the chiropractors.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Hagemann presented a petition of citizens of Butler county, favoring the Johnston road bill.

Referred to committee on highways.

Senator Foskett presented a remonstrance of citizens of Fremont county, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Caswell presented a remonstrance of citizens of Harrison and Monona counties, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 1, a bill for an act to repeal the non-partisan judiciary law as the same appears in chapter two-B (2-B), title six (VI), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the nomination and election of judges of the Supreme, District and Superior Courts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on elections.

House File No. 501, a bill for an act to authorize, empower and direct the Executive Council to sell all that part of the capitol grounds lying and being west of East Ninth Street, and also to sell all that part of said capitol grounds lying and being east on East Twelfth Street and to amend section fourteen hundred-t (1400-t), and repeal section fourteen hundred-t two (1400-t 2), of chapter one-A (1-A), supplement to the code, 1913, and to specify the manner in which the money derived from the sale of said land shall be used, and the conditions governing such sale.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on public lands.

House File No. 464, a bill for an act to create a department in the office of commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics for the purpose of providing free public employment.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on labor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Fellows, from the committee on fish and game, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on fish and game, to whom was referred Senate File No. 68, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter one hundred fifty-three (153), acts of the Thirty-third (33) General Assembly, relating to the use of trot lines, and to the time during which one may take fish from the waters of the state, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUT FOR SENATE FILE NO. 68.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend the Law as It Appears in Section Twenty Five Hundred Forty (2540) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to Use of Trot Lines.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in Section Twenty Five Hundred Forty (2540) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from line thirty five (35) thereof the words, "extending not more than half" and substituting therefor the words "such line may extend all the."

A. M. FELLOWS,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Fellows, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on fish and game, to whom was referred Senate File No. 580, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-two-b (2562-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the issuance of licenses permitting certain persons to engage in the business of raising and selling certain game birds, and fixing the ownership and title to such game, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. M. FELLOWS,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Helmer offered the following motion:

I move that Senators be limited to five minutes in speaking on any bill, resolution, motion or amendment, unless extension of time is granted by vote of those present or by unanimous consent.

Senator Clarkson raised the point of order that this motion was in conflict with the rules of the Senate.

President held the motion of Senator Helmer not in order, as there were rules adopted by the Senate governing debate in the Senate, and to attain the result desired by the Senator from Carroll, it would be necessary to amend the rules.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had signed Senate File No. 151.

Senator Foster moved that the committee on railroads be instructed to report House File No. 81 back to the Senate by 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, April 5th.

Carried.

On request of Senator Hagemann, leave of absence was granted Senator Jackson for the day.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on retrenchment and reform, Senate File No. 611, a bill for an act to repeal section thirteen (13) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to General Assembly employees and their compensation.

Read first and second time and placed on the Calendar.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16) and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 7 (1527-s7), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 17 (1527-s17), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 19 (1527-s19), supplement to the code, 1913, defining the duties of township trustees and boards of supervisors relative to marking dangerous points on highways, defining the jurisdiction of state, county, township and corporation line roads, and providing for the transfer of the unexpended balance from the drag fund to the general township road fund.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by numbering the following as section 2 and renumbering all the following sections:

"SECTION 2. Amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 1 (1527-s1), Supplement to the Code, 1913, by adding after the word 'commission' and before the word 'The' in line three (3) thereof the following: 'and all necessary traveling expenses and other expenses incurred while in the performance of his duties as such commissioner.'"

Adopted.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 10 of the bill by placing a period "." after the word "installed" in line six (6) of the printed bill; also by striking from line six (6) of said section the words "and said" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "The"; also by striking from line seven (7) of said section the period "." following the word "year"; also the words "The township trustees" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and".

Adopted.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 15 by adding thereto the following:
"provided the draggable roads of such township have been regularly dragged in compliance with law during the preceding year and said transfer approved by the board of supervisors."

Adopted.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section eight (8) of the bill by adding thereto the following:
"also amend said section by inserting after the word 'superintendent' in line seven (7) the following: 'may appoint one or more assistants and'"

Adopted.

Senator Doran offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the present bill by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting the following therefor, including all amendments:

SECTION 1. Whenever the owners of not less than sixty per cent of all the land included in a given locality shall file a petition and an engineer's plat showing the boundaries and the total mileage of road in a local road district sought to be organized, with the clerk of the township, having the largest portion of the land sought to be organized into a local road district, it shall be the duty of the trustees to give not less than twenty days' notice to all the resident land owners of the district, and by mailing a registered letter and notice to the last known postoffice address of all non-residents land owners of the time and place, for holding a hearing upon the petition, and remonstrance, if any are filed, five days before the day set for hearing the same.

SEC. 2. The trustees of the township having the greatest number of acres of land in the proposed district with whom jurisdiction is hereby lodged, shall have authority to send for person and papers to examine witnesses, and if the petition is found to be sufficient and the local road district found to be necessary and proper, and that the

public interest would be benefited thereby, they shall establish the local road district or as much thereof as shall be found to be the best interest of the public, and cause the township clerk to copy all proceedings in the township records with the engineer's plat filed in his office attached thereto.

SEC. 3. When a local road district is established in accordance with this act, the township clerk shall give not less than ten days' notice by posting up three notices in three of the most public places in said district of the time and place, when and where an election will be held for the purpose of electing three managers and a secretary for said local road districts, who shall hold their offices until the first Tuesday after the first Monday in April following their election, and their successors shall be elected annually on the above day thereafter for the term of one year each.

SEC. 4. The board of managers shall organize by electing one of their number president, one treasurer and one road master. The president shall preside at all meetings and issue all orders for money. The treasurer shall receive all money of the district and pay it out on the orders of the president, countersigned by the secretary and report annually all the transactions of his office. The road master shall have charge of the maintenance of the roads of the district, and shall superintend all road construction as directed by the board of managers. All the above described officers shall receive for their services, twenty-five cents per hour for all time actually employed in the services of the local road district.

SEC. 5. The secretary shall keep an accurate account of all money received and paid out, together with an itemized account, giving dates of the time when received and when paid out and from whom received, and to whom paid. The secretary shall countersign all orders for money issued by the president and keep a record of all orders so countersigned, and report annually to the board of managers all the transactions of his office.

SEC. 6. The township clerk of all townships in this state in which there are one or more local road districts, shall pay over to each road district all money in his hands that was raised upon the property of such district or districts, upon the order of the president, countersigned by the secretary of that district.

SEC. 7. Every local road district organized under the provisions of this act shall be entitled to its pro rata share of all money and property belonging to the township in which it is located and shall be liable for its pro rata share of all indebtedness.

SEC. 8. All local road districts organized under the provisions of this act, and any other senatorial division of roads in this state, shall be entitled to its proportionate share of all money derived from the state automobile license, upon the following conditions, viz: for every completed mile of permanent road made in any district in this state, and approved by the board of supervisors of the county in which the district is located, that district, or other division of road territory, shall receive one hundred dollars (\$100.00) out of any unexpended automobile

license tax that the county in which such improvement is made shall be entitled to.

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Doran, Greene, Lindly, Quigley, Wilson—5.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Shecan, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore—30.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Crist, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Helmer, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Savage, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—15.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 16 of Senate File No. 567 by adding thereto at the end thereof the following:

“Provided, however, that all motor vehicle funds heretofore appropriated and made available for the use and benefit of the state highway commission under the provisions of said section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m thirty-two (1571-m32), supplement to the code, 1913, shall be and remain available for the maintenance, use and benefit of said state highway commission until the first day of July, 1915.”

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 16 by striking out, beginning with the word “ninety” in the third line of the printed bill and including the word “received” in the eleventh line of the printed bill, and substituting therefor the following:

Ninety per cent of all moneys paid into the state treasury by the owners of motor vehicles, from each county, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 2-b, Title VIII, Supplement to the Code, 1913, shall be paid over to the county treasurer of said county on the first day of April and the first day of August of each year, and the county treasurer shall pay to each city and town within said county, a proportionate share of such funds, to be determined by the ratio of miles of

streets and roads in said city or town to the miles of public highway within said county, outside of cities and towns, and all the moneys paid over to such city or town shall be used by said city or town only for the improvement of the roads within said city or town. The balance remaining in the hands of the county treasurer shall be credited to the county motor vehicle fund, and the county treasurer shall forthwith give notice to the county auditor of the amount of money belonging to said motor vehicle fund.

Senator Fleck offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by adding thereto the following: "Provided, however, that if they so desire, the city council shall have the right to return this money to the Board of Supervisors to be worked out on the county road system, adjacent to the town that is donating the money."

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment to the amendment, as amended, offered by Senator Farr:

Amend the amendment by inserting the word "unpaved" before the word "streets" in line 8 of the amendment.

Adopted.

On the adoption of the amendment, as amended, offered by Senator Farr, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Kimball, Lindly, Quigley, Schrup, Thompson, Whitmore—14.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—30.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Heald, Jackson, Laffer, Savage, Taylor—6.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by inserting after the word "received" and before the words "The county motor vehicle", first appearing in section 16, and in line 11 of the printed bill, the following:

"The county treasurer shall pay into the treasury of cities and incorporate towns in such county a portion of said motor vehicle fund to be determined as follows: Each city or incorporated town shall receive a share to be determined by the ratio of miles of unpaved streets within the limits of said cities or incorporated towns to the number of miles of public highways within the county outside the limits of such cities and towns. For the purpose of making such apportionment the city or town clerk shall file in the office of the county treasurer ten (10) days before the date of the apportionment from the state treasurer, a certified statement of the number of miles of unpaved streets within such city or town, and the county auditor shall make a like statement of the number of miles of highway in such county outside the limits of cities and towns.

The treasurer of such city or town shall charge himself with such sum and credit same to the grading fund, and he shall forthwith give notice to the city auditor of the amount of money so received.

Amendment lost.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Farr, Frailey, Greene, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Quigley, Schrup, Thompson, Whitmore—12.

Absent or not voting:

Jackson, Laffer, Taylor—3.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment to the title:

Amend the title of Senate File No. 567 by inserting after the word "Sections" in line six thereof the following, "Fifteen Hundred Twenty Seven-S-1 (1527S-1)"

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

Senator Balkema moved the vote by which Senate File No. 567 passed the Senate be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 469, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relating to the development of the Mississippi River Valley.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 106, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the duties, office, and salaries of railroad commissioners.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Substitute for Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of The Reformatory at Anmosa, and The Penitentiary at Fort Madison.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 517, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section seven hundred fifty-eight (758) of the code, sections seven hundred

fifty-eight-a (758-a), seven hundred fifty-eight-d (758-d), and seven hundred fifty-eight-e (758-e), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 619, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the Independent School District of Fort Atkinson, in the county of Winneshiek and state of Iowa, on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said independent school district to be voted upon by them, the question of issuing bonds in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars for the purpose of constructing and equipping schoolhouses in said independent school district, and to validate and legalize the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 620, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the city of Cresco, Howard county, Iowa, on March 10, 1915, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said city the question of issuing city water bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting a new water tower in said city, and purchasing grounds upon which to erect the same; to legalize the acts of the city council in respect to said election, canvassing the returns of, said election and declaring the result thereof, and ordering the issuance of bonds thereunder; and to legalize the bonds issued in pursuance thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a thirteen (5718-a 13), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to indeterminate sentences, repealing section five thousand seven hundred eighteen-a fourteen (5718-a14), supplement to the code, 1913, and defining the duties of the Board of Control in certain cases.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 351, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter (13-B), title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has reconsidered the request for the return of House File No. 153.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 161, a bill for an act to repeal sections sixteen hundred eighty-three-k (1683-k) and sixteen hundred eighty-three-l (1683-l) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, and to amend section sixteen hundred eighty-three-b (1683-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to corporations for the improvement of agriculture, animal husbandry and horticulture, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 336, a bill for an act making appropriation for the purchase of twenty thousand copies of the Railroad Commissioners' official maps to be distributed by the Railroad Commission, with report of committee recommending passage; was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greenc, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum,

Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

Chase, Lindly, Perkins, Thompson—4.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Farr, Fleck, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Frailey, House File No. 542, a bill for an act to amend section 726 of the code, relating to municipal bonds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Frailey moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Taylor—5.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Frailey withdrew Senate File No. 466 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 8, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a thirty-two (1056-a32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, powers and duties of the civil service commissioners in certain cities, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Darrah, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Taylor, White of Benton—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 586, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings under which the Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school funding and school building purposes, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Enger, Farr, Foster, Helmer, Jackson, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley, Taylor, White of Benton—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, House File No. 6, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the qualifications of county superintendent of schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b (2734-b), supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Boe invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

Clarkson, Doran—2.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Frailey, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Boe, House File No. 373, a bill for an act legalizing the proceedings of the town council of Lake Mills, Winnebago county, Iowa, in connection with the passing of Ordinance No. 45, providing for the election of three park commissioners for said town and legalizing the special election held on July 7, 1913, for the purpose of submitting said ordinance to the voters of said town for their approval, etc., with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Boe moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Farr, Frailey, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Taylor—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 6 passed to its third reading and passed the Senate.

JOHN H. DARRAH.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

We move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 5 was indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE.
 J. H. ALLEN.
 WM. J. GREENE.
 J. M. WILSON.
 W. D. SHEEAN.
 J. R. DORAN.
 T. J. B. ROBINSON.
 H. I. FOSKETT.
 C. C. HELMER.
 H. C. WHITE.
 F. E. THOMPSON.
 J. M. LINDLY.
 C. H. THOMAS.
 A. D. NYE.
 A. M. FELLOWS.
 JNO. W. FOSTER.
 G. E. HILSINGER.
 FRED LARRABEE.
 JOHN F. REAM.
 CHESTER W. WHITMORE.
 N. BALKEMA.
 L. E. FRANCIS.
 J. R. FRAILEY.
 E. P. FARR.
 H. W. GROUT.
 F. G. HENIGBAUM.
 G. M. GILLETTE.

Senator Arney moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 247, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter 13-b, title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks,

bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out of Senate File No. 247, all following the colon at the end of line two (2) of section one (1) of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. If any person, including a corporation or association and the officers or agents thereof, alone or in common with others, having devised or intending to devise any scheme or artifice to defraud by the issuance, sale, promotion, negotiation or distribution of any stocks, bonds, notes or other securities, shall, in executing such scheme or artifice or in attempting so to do, commit any overt act within the state, such person shall, upon conviction, be punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,000, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such punishments, at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 2. Any dealer in securities including a corporation or association selling its own securities, and any officer or agent thereof, and any promoter or other person acting with or for it, who, as principal or agent, shall promote by advertisement or by general or public offering, or through agents, the sale of any securities and shall knowingly make any representation of the existence of a fact tending to enhance the value of such securities or to induce the purchase thereof, without having knowledge or information sufficient to justify a belief in such fact, or, having knowledge of any fact adversely and materially affecting the value of any speculative securities so promoted who shall fraudulently conceal such fact in any prospectus of such securities or fraudulently conceal from any purchaser of such securities, for the purpose of inducing the purchase thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof be punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,000, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or by both such punishments, at the discretion of the Court.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 572, a bill for an act to repeal sections 2881-j, 2881-k, 2881-l, 2881-m, 2881-n, of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the care and permanent preservation of the public archives and fixing and defining the authority and responsibilities of administration, care and custody thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and return it to the senate without recommendation as it does not carry an appropriation.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 448, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of the board of supervisors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 381, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-three (423), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 443, a bill for an act to repeal section 296, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees of the clerk of the district court, and enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 499, a bill for an act to repeal section 2742, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county superintendents, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 345, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred and eight (308), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county attorneys, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Fellows, from the committee on Fish and Game, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on fish and game, to whom was referred Senate File No. 40, a bill for an act to amend section 2540 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the season during which fish may be taken, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend Section 2540 of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to the Season During Which Fish May be Taken.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section 2540 of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File No. 447 of the acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out all of lines 47, 48 and 49 following the comma after the word "unlawful" in the 47th line of said section, and inserting the following in lieu thereof: "but the provisions of this section shall not prevent the taking of carp, sucker, red horse or buffalo by use of a spear from the lakes, sloughs, bayous and waters on the bottom lands and islands of the Mississippi River".

A. M. FELLOWS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Fellows the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 351, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter (13-B) title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee.

Read first and second time.

Senator Thomas moved that House File No. 351 be placed on the Calendar without being referred to a committee.

Motion held not in order, under Rule 20-a, and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Francis moved that consideration of Senate File No. 247 be deferred until next Tuesday at 10 o'clock a. m. and be made a special order for that time.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Henigbaum, House File No. 282, a bill for an act to amend sections 2692 and 2691 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Henigbaum moved the adopted of the following amendment:

Amend by striking out the words "of the" in line two of the title and the words "of the" in line two of section one and the words "of the" in line two of section two.

Adopted.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the word "fourteen" in line 3 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirteen".

Adopted.

Senator Henigbaum moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees-White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Enger, Farr, Frailey, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Taylor—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 374, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of sanitary districts and districts for street sprinkling, and the establishment and maintenance of garbage disposal plants, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

Doran, Farr, Gillette, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Wilson—8.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Enger, Frailey, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Schrup, Taylor, White of Iowa—9.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment to the title of House File No. 374 and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by inserting the word "oiling" before the word "flushing" and after the word "sprinkling" in the title.

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title, as amended, was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Kimball withdrew Senate File No. 18 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, Senate File No. 435, a bill for an act to amend section 654, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of police matrons, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boc, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigmaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Farr, Fleck, Grout, Jackson, Laffer, Taylor—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Crist, House File No. 75, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to the east thirty (30) acres of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three (23) in township seventy-seven (77), north of range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth p. m. of Iowa, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the word "OF" following the word "NORTH" in line four (4) of the title thereof, also by striking out the word "OF" following the word "NORTH" in line five (5) of section one (1) thereof; by inserting after the parenthesis "(23)" in line five (5) of section one (1) a comma.

Adopted.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the enacting clause by inserting after the word "of" the words "the state of".

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Farr, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thomas—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Fleck, Senate File No. 187, a bill for an act making an appropriation to Mrs. Etta Jopling on account of the death of her husband, Robert Jopling, caused by assault upon him by inmates of the state hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Fleck moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Fleck offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the substitute amendment for Senate File No. 187 as the same appears on page 817 of the Senate Journal by striking out of section one thereof as the same appears in line three the words and figures "one thousand (\$1,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00);" also amend said substitute amendment by striking out of section one thereof as the same appears in line nine the words and figures "two hundred (\$200)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "three hundred (\$300.00)"; also amend said substitute amendment by striking out of section one thereof as the same appears in line seventeen the words and figures "eight hundred (\$800)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twelve hundred (\$1,200.00)".

On the adoption of the amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—25.

The nays were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Foskett, Gillette, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Parker, Schrup, White of Benton—13.

Absent or not voting:

Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foster, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson—12.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Fleck moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

Jones, White of Benton—2.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Foster, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Taylor, Thomas—8.

Senator Fleck offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out of the title to Senate File No. 187 the words and figures "one thousand (\$1,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00)".

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title, as amended, was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f thirty-one (2215-f 31), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f thirty-six (2215-f 36), supple-

ment to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the militia and military code of Iowa, arms, equipment, etc., and to absence of soldiers without leave.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 508, a bill for an act to repeal section one thousand six hundred twenty-eight (1628) of the code, relating to non-user of franchises by corporations.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 507, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred thirty-seven (1637), supplement to the code, 1913, striking out certain words contained therein which relate to qualification of foreign corporations to transact business in this state.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 483, a bill for an act to repeal section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756), of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor defining the crime of rape and providing a penalty therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Senator Heald moved that Senate File No. 276 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 139, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Further consideration deferred.

On request of Senator Foskett, leave of absence was granted Senator Taylor for the day.

The Journal of March 31st and April 1st were taken up, corrected and approved.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Gillette filed the following amendment:

I move to amend Senate File No. 139 by striking out the words "one week" in the next to the last line of the printed bill and substitute in lieu thereof the following "three weeks."

Senator Whitmore filed the following amendment:

I move to amend Senate File 139 by inserting in the tenth line between the words "such" and "exemplary" the following:

"actual, special and" and insert between the words "both" and "special" in the eighth line insert "actual,"

Senator Francis filed the following amendment:

I move to amend Senate File 139 by striking from line eight of the printed bill the word "special" and substitute therefor the word "actual".

Senator Farr filed the following amendment:

I move to amend Senate File 139 by inserting after the word "newspaper" in the first line, the following:

"If the defendant can show that such libelous matter was published through mis-information or accident."

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON IMPROVEMENTS AND REPAIRS TO STATE CAPITOL.

Your joint committee on improvements and repairs makes the following report:

We recommend that four of the boilers in the power plant be re-set and the stokers and engines overhauled:

That automatic lubricators for engines, steam indicators for engines, and damper control for the boilers be installed:

That an automatic sprinkler be installed immediately over the Senate chamber, and that same be so placed as to protect the ceiling from injury or destruction by fire:

That such changes be made in walks, north capitol steps and tunnel leading from the capitol to the power house as will, if possible, prevent the flowing of water into the tunnel:

That the circular glass floor immediately beneath the dome, on the main floor be removed for the purpose of ventilation and light for the lower or basement story:

That an ash conveyor for boiler room be supplied, and proper connections with stoker and dynamo be made:

That a cistern be installed in the boiler room:

That the brick arches over the library in east attic be concreted:

That cement walks around the state house be repaired:

The pedestals at the entrance of the Historical Building have been greatly injured by the effects of water freezing and thawing, which

has caused them to crumble, and we recommend that they be replaced by granite, and that the steps to the Historical Building be given a slight slope toward the street, so that water will run away from the building:

We recommend that the waste space in the attic of the Historical Building be lighted and ventilated for storage purposes:

That the walls of said building now covered with burlap or water color be finished with oil paint:

That appropriate signs and labels be furnished in the Historical Building:

That individual lockers for the keeping of work clothes, tools and other belongings of employees be furnished in the Historical Building:

That some provision be made for the delivery of ice for use in the Historical Building be made outside of the building:

That the elevator landing in the Historical Building be changed so that it will be on the street level:

We recommend that the Curator of the Historical Building be directed to enforce rules against smoking and use of matches by employes and the public, in said building:

The custodian has suggested to the committee that repairs be made on certain buildings now occupied by some of the departments and that a new building is necessary.

Your committee recommends that these departments (insofar as it may be necessary to maintain them outside of the capitol building) be removed to buildings now in good repair, and belonging to the State, and that the executive council arrange for such removals:

Your committee recommends that the executive council take steps to make changes in the room now used as a post office, the room immediately north of said room, room 29 now occupied by the oil inspector and room 28 adjacent thereto, such changes to be such as to render them fit for occupancy by different departments, and that different department now outside of the capitol building be assigned to these rooms or parts of rooms as may be needed:

That balconies be arranged in said rooms, so that clerks and stenographers may use such balconies, and thereby save valuable space and do away with the necessity of so many departments being housed outside of the capitol building.

We also recommend that the Horticultural Department and belongings be moved to the room now occupied by the Agricultural Department, and the room now occupied by the Horticultural Department, the room occupied by the custodian and the room known as the treasurer's room, now being used very little, together with the fire proof vault, be so arranged by the executive council as to provide for their use by departments now outside the capitol building, or by some department or departments now within the capitol building: Or that some departments now within the capitol building be removed to said rooms and that the quarters now occupied by such department or departments be given over to departments now outside the capitol building:

We suggest that more attention be given to the placing of departments in the capitol building, so that as little room as is reasonably necessary

shall be used by each department. The space within the capitol building now being in demand, and same being very valuable, and the expense of maintaining departments outside of the building too large to warrant any waste of space within the building. We recommend that the executive council arrange for temporary post office fixtures to be placed in the southwest corner of the corridor leading toward the law library for use of future General Assemblies, such fixtures to be readily removable, so that they may be stored in some unused part of the building between sessions of the General Assembly:

We suggest that the Thirty-seventh General Assembly, at an early date, take up the readjustment and rearrangement of the quarters of the departments within the capitol building, and make such laws and rules as shall be necessary to give a reasonable use of all valuable space within said building:

We further recommend that the rooms and chambers of the Governor be given special attention and be kept in good repair, and that the walls and wood work be at all times kept in the most presentable condition, and to that end, we recommend that a liberal use of the funds for repairs in the hands of the executive council be made for that purpose:

The exact amount required for each of the changes and repairs above referred to is impossible to fix. There are certain funds in the hands of the executive council remaining from the appropriation made under subsection 23, Section 3, Chapter 192, acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly that will meet a part of the expense of the repairs and improvements herein suggested, and we recommend that an appropriation be made by this General Assembly for the purpose of carrying out the above recommendations, which shall be in addition to the amount at the disposal of the executive council, in the sum of \$11,800.00.

E. P. FARR.
F. G. HENIGBAUM.
J. H. DARRDIL.
W. N. GILBERT.
J. S. MICHAEL.

Senator Savage moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried:

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 3, 1915.

The Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. P. S. Ervin, Pastor of the A. M. E. Church, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Greene presented a remonstrance of citizens of Clinton county, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Heald presented a petition of citizens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, urging passage of the plumbing and steam fitting bill.

Referred to committee on cities and towns.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on public schools, Senate File No. 612, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the county superintendent of schools.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee on cities and towns, Senate File No. 613, a bill for an act to repeal section seven hundred seventy-nine, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee on cities and towns, Senate File No. 614, a bill for an act amending section one thousand fifty-six-a twenty-eight (1056-a28) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of city officers in certain cities.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House requests the return of House File No. 483, in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked:

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 377, a bill for an act to amend section 2215-f 4 and section 2215-f 14, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the electors and officers of the Independent School District of Hawkeye, Iowa, at the special meeting of said electors held on the eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1914, relative to the issuing of bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a school house in said district and,

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 213, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of a sewer system and the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa State Fair and Exposition Grounds, and to make appropriations therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 394, a bill for an act to provide for the investigation and testing of herds of cattle suspected of being infected with tuberculosis, to provide for the condemnation of animals found to be infected with said disease, and to compensate the owners thereof, to make it unlawful to keep or sell bulls affected with tuberculosis, to require cows from which milk is sold for family use to be tested, and to require all persons using

or having in their possession tuberculin to report it, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 251, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred sixty-nine (469), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of county supervisors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Chase offered the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, it appears from the report of the Iowa State Highway Commission that the members have been paid in addition to their salary expenses as follows:

A. Marston, \$757.67.

J. W. Holden, \$1,085.62.

H. C. Beard, \$1,481.40.

And whereas, there was no authority by law for the payment of such expenses,

Therefore Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the Attorney General of the State is directed to secure the re-payment of such expenses, and all other amounts, if any, illegally paid to said Highway Commission for expenses.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the resolution, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Doran, Farr, Greene, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Thompson, White of Benton, Wilson—10.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Whitmore—22.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

The resolution was lost.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO RULES.

Senator Helmer offered the following resolution, relative to the rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly:

Resolved, that Rule 12 of the Senate Rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"From and after the passage of this resolution and until the close of this session of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, members of the Senate shall be limited in debate on any pending bill, resolution, motion or amendment to five minutes each, unless extension of time is granted by a vote of the Senate or by unanimous consent; provided, however, that the member in charge of any measure shall have ten minutes in closing, as now provided by said Rule 12."

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 251, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred sixty-nine (469) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of county supervisors.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 394, a bill for an act to provide for the investigation and testing of herds of cattle suspected of being infected with tuberculosis, to provide for the condemnation of animals found to be infected with said disease, and to compensate the owners thereof, to make it unlawful to keep or sell bulls affected with tuberculosis, to require cows from which milk is sold for family use to be tested, and to require all persons using or having in their possession tuberculin to report it, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

House File No. 213, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of a sewer system and the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa state fair and exposition grounds, and to make appropriations therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the election and officers of the independent school district of Hawkeye, Iowa, at the special meeting of said electors held on the eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1914, relative to the issuing of bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a school house in said district.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 517, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section seven hundred fifty-eight (758), of the code, sections seven hundred fifty-eight-a (758-a), seven hundred fifty-eight-d (758-d), and seven hundred fifty-eight-e (758-e), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 508, a bill for an act to repeal section one thousand six hundred twenty-eight (1628) of the code, relating to non-user of franchise by corporations.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House File No. 507, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred thirty-seven (1637) supplement to the code, 1913, striking out certain words contained therein which relate to qualification of foreign corporations to transact business in this state.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 483, a bill for an act to repeal section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756), of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor defining the crime of rape and providing a penalty therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 620, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the city of Cresco, Howard county, Iowa, on March 10, 1915, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said city

the question of issuing city water bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting a new water tower in said city, and purchasing grounds upon which to erect the same; to legalize the acts of the city council in respect to said election, canvassing the returns of said election and declaring the result thereof, and ordering the issuance of bonds thereunder; and to legalize the bonds issued in pursuance thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 619, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the independent school district of Fort Atkinson, in the county of Winneshiek and state of Iowa, on the 16th day of November A. D., 1914, where in there was submitted to the voters of said independent school district to be voted up on by them, the question of issuing bonds in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars for the purpose of constructing and equipping school-houses in said independent school district, and to validate and legalize the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a-thirteen (5718-a13), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to indeterminate sentences, repealing section five thousand seven hundred eighteen-a fourteen (5718-a14), supplement to the code, 1913, and defining the duties of the board of control in certain cases.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on penitentiaries and pardons.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to return to the House, House File No. 483.

Carried.

On request of Senator Wilson, leave of absence was granted Senator Voorhees for the day.

On request of Senator Balkema, leave of absence was granted Senator Fellows for today and Monday.

On request of Senator Larrabee, leave of absence was granted Senator Hilsinger for today and Monday.

On request of Senator Grout leave of absence was granted Senator White of Iowa for the day.

On request of Senator Wilson, leave of absence was granted Senator Boe for today and Monday.

On request of Senator Wilson, leave of absence was granted Senator Sheean for the day.

On request of Senator Eversmeyer, leave of absence was granted Senator Caswell for the day.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 437, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections ten hundred seventy-two (1072) and twenty-seven hundred forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and compensation of a county superintendent of schools, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out the last three lines of Section One (1), all of Section Two (2) and all of Section Three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof as follows:

"SECTION 2. School districts when situated in two or more counties shall be designated as joint school districts. A joint school district shall be classified for purposes of jurisdiction in that county having the largest portion of the population of said school district. Joint districts shall be classified for purposes of representation in the county convention of school officers with the county having jurisdiction over said joint districts."

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 561, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to organization of boards of school directors and the election of officers of school corporations, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 501, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in sections 2794-a to 2794-g inclusive relating to consolidated inde-

pendent school districts, extending state aid to school townships under certain conditions, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 359, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 509, a bill for an act providing for the organization of co-operative independent school districts, providing state aid for such districts, and making an appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the appropriations committee.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 495, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred eighty (2780), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the system of the common school and requiring monthly publication of expenditures made by certain schools, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 495.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend the Law as it Appears in Section Twenty-seven Hundred Eighty (2780), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to the System of the Common School and Requiring Monthly Publication of Expenditures Made by Certain Schools.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred eighty (2780), supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the following:

"It shall be the duty of the board of directors of each independent district or consolidated independent district containing a city or town to cause to be published once every three months of the school year a statement of all bills allowed by said board during the preceding three months, which publication shall be made in a newspaper of general circulation in said city or town at a rate not exceeding thirty-three and one-third cents (33 1-3) for each ten lines of brevier type or its equivalent, and in the event there is no such newspaper, said statement shall be posted in three conspicuous places in said city or town."

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the Committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 577, a bill for an act amending chapter two (2) of the Code of 1897, relating to the membership of the board of educational examiners, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend the Law as it Appears in Section Twenty-six Hundred Twenty-eight of the Code, Relating to the Membership of the Board of Educational Examiners and Enacting a Substitute in Lieu Thereof.

SECTION 1. The educational board of examiners shall consist of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, who shall ex-officio be president of the board, the President of the State University, the President of Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the President of the State Teachers College, and three (3) other persons to be appointed by the Governor, one of whom shall be the president of an independent college in the state and one a woman, the appointees to hold office for a term of four (4) years and be ineligible as his or her successor.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

Senator Enger, from the committee on constitutional amendments, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred S. J. R. No. 13, a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa empowering the general assembly to provide for a system of registering, transferring, insuring and guaranteeing land titles by the state of the counties thereof, and settling and determining adverse or other claims to such lands, and to provide for the creation of a guaranty fund in connection with such system and to empower and authorize the general assembly to confer judicial power on officers charged with duties under such system, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and return the same without recommendation.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred House File No. 422, a bill for an act to provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

Senator Allen moved that the bill be placed on the calendar.

Carried.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred S. J. R. No. 14, a joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to legislative authority; providing for the initiative and referendum with refernece to the enactment of laws, and amendments to the constitution as found in and proposed by House Joint Resolution No. 5 of the resolutions of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Allen invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Whitmore, Wilson—17.

The nays were:

Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Henigbaum, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, White of Benton—17.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—16.

The report of the committee was rejected and the bill was placed on the calendar.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred S. J. R. No. 18, a joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, authorizing the general assembly to provide for the exclusive taxation of classes of property for state revenue purposes, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. M. ENGER,

Chairman.

Senator Allen moved that Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 be placed on the calendar.

Motion carried, and bill placed on the calendar.

Senator Chase, from the committee on judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 549, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred forty-three (3543), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to indexing the names of parties named in petitions affecting real estate, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 564, a bill for an act to define habitual misdemeanants, and to prescribe punishment for such habitual misdemeanants, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

D. C. CHASE,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 515, a bill for an act to make uniform the law of sales of goods, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 562, a bill for an act relating to acknowledgements by notaries public, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 536, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 3197 of the code relating to the giving of bonds by guardians and the approval of such bonds by the court, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 500, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to accepting and giving of tips or gratuities, as the same appears in section 5028-a, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred Senate File No. 451, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the organization of consolidated independent dis-

tricts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 479, a bill for an act to regulate political advertising and to provide penalties for the breach thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out the words "and the name of the printer" from the 12th line of said bill.

Amend by inserting the words "upon conviction thereof shall", between the words "and" and "be", in the 13th line.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on judiciary No. 2, to whom was referred House File No. 317, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings and the special election held in the incorporated town of Hinton, Iowa, on the 7th day of July, 1914, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by inserting after the word "and" in the 13th line of said bill and before the word "whereas" in the 14th line, the following words:

"WHEREAS, at said special election there were fifty-two votes of the male electors of said town cast, of which thirty-five votes were in favor of both of said propositions and sixteen votes were against the said propositions, and that the affirmative vote on both propositions was as large as a majority of all the votes cast at the last preceding municipal election, and".

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 181, a bill for an act to amend Section 3, chapter 54, acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, relating to the government of certain cities, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 570, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 880 of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty of the code be amended by adding to said section as paragraph four the following:

"4. Such cities and towns may levy a tax not exceeding in any one year one mill on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property within the corporate limits thereof, such levy to be used for no other purpose than the payment for the land acquired for cemetery purposes and interest accruing on the purchase or condemnation price thereof."

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 494, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred sixty (4760) of the code relating to enticing a female child for the purpose of prostitution, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed; and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hillsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On request of Senator Savage leave of absence was granted Senator Schrup for the day.

On request of Senator Crist, leave of absence was granted Senator Thomas for the day.

On request of Senator Foskett, leave of absence was granted Senator Taylor for the day.

On request of Senator Wilson, leave of absence was granted Senator Hagemann for the day.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, House File No. 152, a bill for an act to repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a fifty-two-a (1989-a52a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—85.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Clarkson moved that Senate File No. 289 be referred to the committee on appropriations and that the bill retain its place on the Calendar.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Darrah, House File No. 96, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred ninety-four (2794) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of independent school districts, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Darrah moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 304, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa Soldiers' Home, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Henigbaum, House File No. 277, a bill for an act to grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of 25,000 or over, and organized under title 5, chapter 14 of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the Park Commission the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines and inside the curb lines and upon the public streets, to determine the location of permanent sidewalks and to assume charge, custody and control of all trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass and the planting and maintenance thereof on the public streets; and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof. Additional to chapter fourteen (14), title five (5) of the code, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Henigbaum moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were :

Gillette—1.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Eversmeyer withdrew Senate File No. 153 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Grout, Senate File No. 354, a bill for an act amending sections 1683-a, 1683-c, and repealing 1683-e, and enacting a substitute therefor, and repealing 1683-q, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved the adoption of the following amendments :

Amend by striking out section five (5) and section six (6), and amend the title by striking out in the second and third lines thereof, the words, "and enacting a substitute therefor, and repealing 1683-q, of the supplement to the code, 1913," and inserting in lieu thereof, following the words and figures, sixteen hundred eighty-three-e (1683-e),

the words, "Supplement to the Code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor."

Adopted.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 354 by striking out the period at the end of section six and inserting a comma and adding the words, "without expense to the state."

Amendment withdrawn.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 409, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 1056-a 11 and 1056-a 12, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to municipal accounting, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by changing the word "four", first appearing in the bill, to "three".

Adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 11:15 a. m.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption.

Amend section 1 of the bill by substituting for the word "five", first appearing in the section, the word "four".

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Enger, Gillette, Perkins—3.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Lindly, Senate File No. 471, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and seventy-two (1072), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election of coroner, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

President Harding resumed the chair at 11:35 a. m.

Senator Lindly moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Farr, Francis, Helmer, Jackson, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Savage, White of Benton—10.

The nays were :

Allen, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Whitmore, Wilson—22.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Lindly, Senate File No. 472, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the board of supervisors, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

By unanimous consent, Senator Lindly withdrew Senate File No. 472 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 411, a bill for an act to amend section 1989-a8, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the construction of levees, drains, ditches and water courses and providing for bonds as protection for payment for same, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 306, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-six (496), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact and substitute therefor, relating to deputies in the office of county recorders, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting after the word "exceeding" in line fifteen of the original bill, the words and figures "nine hundred (\$900.00) Dollars in counties having a population of thirty thousand (30,000) and under, and in counties having a population of over thirty thousand (30,000) not exceeding".

Adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fokett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Laffer, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Heald, House File No. 147, a bill for an act to provide information which shall serve as a basis for legislative appropriations, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File No. 147 by striking out all of line eight of section one of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "all receipts (giving the source thereof) and expenditures for the current biennial period tabulated."

Adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Shean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, House File No. 239, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441) supplement to the code, 1913, relative to county official papers, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Farr, Felloys, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 447, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in sections twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four (2544), twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562), and twenty five hundred sixty-two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 447 by striking therefrom Section 11 and substituting therefor, the following:

"SEC. 11. That sections 2544, 2554, 2555, 2562 and 2559 of the Code and the law as it appears in sections 2540, 2540-a, 2551, 2552 and 2556

of the supplement to the code, 1907, and section 1 of chapter 203 and chapters 204 and 205 of the Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and the law as it appears in section 2562-a, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same are hereby repealed, the foregoing is enacted in lieu thereof."

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 547, a bill for an act to amend an act passed by the Thirty-Sixth General Assembly and approved on the twelfth day of February, 1915, and entitled "A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the independent school district of Cherokee, county of Cherokee, and state of Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, Senator Larrabee introduced the following report for Senator Hilsinger, from the committee on insurance :

MR. PRESIDENT.—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 574, a bill for an act to provide the conditions on which corporations, associations or companies, issuing policies of insurance of any character and not organized or existing pursuant to the laws of this state, shall transact business in this state, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Farr filed the following amendments :

I move to amend Section 2 of Senate File No. 189 as amended, by striking out the word "six (6)" in the 20th line and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five (5)", and by striking out the word "eight (8)" in line 20 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "seven-thirty (7:30)"

Also by striking out the period (.) after the word "time" in line 22, inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) and adding the following:

"Provided, however, that during the summer school vacation such boy may engage in such occupation until the hour of eight-thirty (8:30) P. M."

Also, I move to amend Section 2 of Senate File No. 189, as amended, by striking out the word "fourteen (14)" in the first and eighth lines of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eleven (11)".

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had received notification of the appointment of the following members of the General Assembly of the state of Minnesota to act with the commission recently appointed under the provisions of concurrent resolution duly adopted by the 36th General Assembly of Iowa to consider the question of inter-state drainage:

Senator A. L. Ward—9th Senatorial District, Chairman.

Senator S. B. Nelson—11th Senatorial District.

Representative G. W. Burrows, of Wilkin county.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 489, 156, 319, and 329.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 374 passed to its third reading and passed the Senate.

CHAS. C. HELMER.

Senator Parker moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1 o'clock p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 1 o'clock p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

The Secretary was instructed to call the roll to ascertain if a quorum was present.

Those present were:

Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Whitmore, Wilson—24.

Roll call showed the absence of a quorum.

Senator Foster moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. Monday.

Motion lost.

Secretary was again instructed to call the roll to ascertain if a quorum was present.

Those present were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Feskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

Roll call showed a quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 41, a bill for an act to create the office of city manager, providing for the appointment, salary and term of office and prescribing the duties and powers thereof. (Additional to chapter two (2), title five (V) of the code.)

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 144, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of the Supreme Court.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 317, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-one (1087-a21), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 496, a bill for an act to legalize the acts of the incorporated town of Gladbrook, Iowa, in voting to purchase or erect an electric light and power plant in said town and as a part thereof, a transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the high potential transmission line of the Iowa Railway and Light Company extending between the towns of Marshalltown and

Tama; to issue the bonds of said town in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of such light and power plant and transmission line; and to sell such plant to the Iowa Railway and Light Company.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 444, a bill for an act to provide for the distribution of surplus drainage funds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 461, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred sixteen (2716) of the code, relating to payment of expenses of pupils at the College for the Blind.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 531, a bill for an act to repeal section one thousand five hundred seventy-one-three a (1571-3a), supplement to the code, 1913, and providing for the transferring of all moneys in the hands of township clerks under said section to the township road fund.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 53, a bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies, was taken up and considered.

Senator Parker moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend Section 2 by striking out the word "Daily", between the words "Des Moines" and "News" and also by striking out the following words: "newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa."

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Shecan, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—21.

So the House amendments were declared to have been concurred in.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend section 1806, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the commissioner of insurance, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the following amendment :

Insert after the figures sixteen in brackets "(16)", in line ten, the words: "of the fourth subdivision of said section".

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, House File No. 13, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and sixty-one of the code, providing for proclamation of general election by the Governor of the state, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 455, a bill for an act to legalize the construction of a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system in and by the town of LuVerne, Iowa, and bonds issued for that purpose and the resolution, acts and proceedings relating to the authorization of the construction of such

plant and the issuing of such bonds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, House File No. 271, a bill for an act empowering and directing the Governor and Secretary of State to execute quit claim deeds conveying all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in and to the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) and the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) of the southeast quarter (SE 1-4) of section twenty (20) township seventy-nine (79) range twenty-three (23) west of the 5th P. M., Polk county, Iowa, to the successors in title of Nathaniel Rockhold and Reuben B. Ellis, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Helmer, Senate File No. 460, a bill for an act to authorize soldiers' relief commissions to procure and furnish metal markers for the graves of soldiers, sailors and marines, and to pay for the same out of the soldiers' relief funds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 107, a bill for an act to amend section 132-s of the code, relating to the assessment for taxation of shares of corporation stock and to prevent duplicate assessment of corporation property, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, House File No. 219, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred sixty (360), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the acceptance of a guaranty company as surety, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 375, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f24, 2215-f25 and 2215-f27, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the words "two hundred" in next to the last line in section 2, so that portion of the bill will read as follows: "to each battery of field or horse artillery not to exceed the sum of two thousand dollars;"

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section 2215-f42, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 376, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f10, 2215-f15, 2215-f17, and to repeal section 2251-f43 and enact a substitute therefor, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and Military Code of Iowa, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substi-

tute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 334, a bill for an act to provide for the terms and conditions under which claims of registers of voters may be audited and paid, to provide for inspection of the registration list of voters and to provide the punishment of attempts to prevent such inspection, to provide for a registry of signatures of voters at elections and to punish the making of false signatures, to provide for the formation of election precincts and the size thereof in certain cities, and to amend section one thousand seventy-six (1076), section one thousand seventy-seven (1077), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section one thousand seventy-nine (1079), section one thousand eighty (1080), section one thousand eighty-two (1082), section one thousand eighty-four (1084), of the code, and to repeal section one thousand eighty-three (1083), of the code, and to enact a substi-

tute therefor, relating to the registration of voters, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 334 by striking out the word "six" in the third line of Sec. 12 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight".

Adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Savage—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 385, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 728 of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number thereof from nine (9) to six (6), with report of committee recommending amendments and passage was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Chase moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert the following in lieu thereof:

That section seven hundred twenty-eight (728), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out in lines three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12) the following words, "nine members, to be appointed by the mayor, by and with the approval of the council. Of said trustees first appointed, one-third shall hold office for two, one-third for four and one-third for six years, from the first day of July following their appointment; and, at their first meeting, shall cast lots for their respective terms, reporting the result of such lot to the council. Biennially thereafter, before the first day of July, the mayor shall appoint, by and with the approval of the council, three trustees to succeed the trustees retiring on the following first day of July, each of whom shall hold office for six years from such first day of July, and until his successor is appointed and qualified. Vacancies occurring" and substituting the following words in lieu therefor, "five, seven or nine members to be appointed by the mayor by and with the approval of the city council which shall also establish by ordinance the number to be appointed. Of said trustees so appointed on boards to consist of nine members, three shall hold office for two years, three for four years, and three for six years; on boards to consist of seven members, two shall hold office for two years, two for four years and three for six years each; and on boards to consist of five members, one shall hold office for two years, two for four years and two for six years each, from the first day of July following their appointment in each case, and at their first meeting they shall cast lots for their respective terms, reporting the result of such lot to the council. All subsequent appointments, whatever the size of the board, shall be for terms of six years each, except to fill vacancies. Such vacancies."

Adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Crist, Heald, Kimball, Lindly, Parker—5.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 410, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a 11 (2727-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or its secretary, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visits, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Lindly—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Robinson, Senate File No. 514, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a44 (2727-a44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Robinson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting after the comma following the word "necessary" in the sixth line (6) thereof the words "not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) during any one month," and also by substituting the word "paying" for the word "advancing" in the tenth line thereof.

Adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Shecan, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Robinson, House File No. 72, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the destruction of weeds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore—27.

The nays were:

Wilson—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup,

Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, House File No. 16, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee was called to the chair at 2.15 p. m.

Senator Foster offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File No. 16 by striking from lines 4, 5, and 6 of the first paragraph thereof, the following words, letters and figures:

“Sections 2812-d, 2812-e, 2813 of the Supplement to the Code of Iowa as amended by Acts of the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth General Assemblies”

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:20 p. m.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, a joint resolution for an act providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state of certain unexpended balances of funds appropriated by section 2, chapter 136, acts of the 22nd

General Assembly; section 1, chapter 153, acts of the 26th General Assembly; section 1, chapter 196, acts of the 29th General Assembly; chapter 189, acts of the 30th General Assembly; section 4, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 45, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 2, chapter 193, acts of the 31st General Assembly; chapter 202, acts of the 32nd General Assembly; section 1 and 2, chapter 203, acts of the 32nd General Assembly; section 2, chapter 226, acts of the 32nd General Assembly; section 2, chapter 241, acts of the 32nd General Assembly; section 35, chapter 241, acts of the 33rd General Assembly; chapter 258, acts of the 33rd General Assembly; section 41, chapter 192, acts of the 34th General Assembly; chapter 208, acts of the 34th General Assembly; paragraph 25, section 3, chapter 321, acts of the 35th General Assembly was taken up and considered.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the joint resolution was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 414, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Chase moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting after the word "statement" in the first line of section 2 the words "wilfully made".

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 439, a bill for an act to amend section 136 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of the Iowa Academy of Sciences, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Helmer, House File No. 310, a bill for an act to require that all unexpended balances of certain appropriations made for specific purposes, and which purposes have been fully carried out or abandoned, be transferred to the general revenue fund of the state, and to provide the provisions which should govern such transfer, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By striking out section one and renumbering section two as section one and amending section two by striking out the word "annually" following the word "shall" in line four thereof, and by inserting after the word "shall" in line four the following: "on July 1st, 1915, and biennially thereafter", and by adding a publication clause which shall be numbered Section Two and shall be as follows: "This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa." And that the title be amended to read as follows: "A Bill for an act providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state at the end of each biennial period of all unexpended balances for which specific appropriations from the state funds have been made and which purposes have been fully carried out or abandoned".

Adopted.

Further consideration deferred.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 456, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2578, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the cancellation of certificates of physicians for unprofessional conduct and defining the same, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore—28.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 524, a bill for an act to prohibit a city or town from employing as an engineer any person, firm or corporation interested in the public work or improvement to which such engineering work relates; with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee, adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Doran, House File No. 385, a bill for an act to legalize the conveyance of certain real estate made to Right Rev. John Hennessy, bishop of diocese of Dubuque; with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee, adopted.

Senator Doran moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 601, a bill for an act to legalize certain acts and proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fremont in the matter of establishing the Waubonsie Drainage District, locating a drainage ditch therein, apportioning costs and benefits thereunder and issuing bonds against said district for funds to construct said ditch; with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee, adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Journal of April 2nd was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Helmer moved that the Secretary of the Senate request the House to return to the Senate, Senate File No. 374.

Carried.

Senator Foster moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 A. M., Monday, April 5th.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 5, 1915.

The Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. C. Kendrick, of Ottumwa, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, urging passage of Senate File No. 565, relating to the practice of chiropractic.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Havelock, Iowa, urging passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas, Iowa, urging passage of Senate File No. 565, relating to the practice of chiropractic.

Referred to committee on public health.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 21, a joint resolution providing for the purpose of investigating the matter of the regulation and control of the packing industry.

WHEREAS, the growing and feeding of live stock is one of the chief industries of the state, and its success is inseparably linked with our future progress and welfare; and,

WHEREAS, it is the general belief that a combination exists between the Packers of the Nation, which combination is able to and does influence the price of stock to the detriment of the producer of live stock and to the injury of the consumer; and,

WHEREAS, it is the belief that something must be done to safeguard the interest of the producer and consumer; and,

WHEREAS, up to the present time no definite plan of regulation or control of the packing industry of the Nation has been perfected; and

WHEREAS, it is the belief that some plan can be worked out that will effectively handle this great question to the advantage of all of the people of the Republic; therefore,

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That there is hereby created a commission for the purpose of considering the matter of formulating a plan for the regulation and control of the great packing industries of the Nation. Such Commission to be composed of the President of the Corn Belt Meat Producers' Association, the Dean of the College of Law at the State University, the Head of the Animal Husbandry Department of the State College at Ames and three (3) members from the Senate and three (3) members from the House, the members of the Senate and House to be appointed by the Governor of the State. Such Commission to serve without expense to the State.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on agriculture.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 444, a bill for an act to provide for the distribution of surplus drainage funds.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on ways and means.

House File No. 461, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred sixteen (2716) of the code, relating to payment of expenses of pupils at the college for the blind.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on board of control.

House File No. 531, a bill for an act to repeal section one thousand five hundred seventy-one-three-a (1571-3-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and providing for the transferring of all moneys in the hands of township clerks under said section to the county road fund.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on labor, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on labor to whom was referred Senate File No. 508, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2477-i, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the regulation of employ-

ment agencies and bureaus, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Enger, from the committee on constitutional amendments, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on constitutional amendments, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section nine (9) of article one (1) of said constitution, and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for trial by jury and prohibiting the taking of life, liberty or property without due process of law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. M. ENGER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Enger, the report of the committee was adopted and the joint resolution was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Helmer called up for consideration the following resolution, offered by him and found on page 1245 of the Senate Journal, and moved the adoption of the resolution:

Resolved, that Rule 12 of the Senate Rules of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"From and after the passage of this resolution and until the close of this session of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, members of the Senate shall be limited in debate on any pending bill, resolution, motion or amendment to five minutes each, unless extension of time is granted by a vote of the Senate or by unanimous consent; provided, however, that the member in charge of any measure shall have ten minutes in closing, as now provided by said Rule 12."

On the adoption of the resolution, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa—20.

So the rule was adopted.

SIFTING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Wilson called up for consideration the following resolution offered by him, relative to a sifting committee, found on page 906 of the Journal :

Be It Resolved, That the president of the Senate shall immediately before adjournment, Wednesday, March 31, 1915, appoint a sifting committee of seven (7) members, to which shall be reported all bills other than appropriation bills, and that beginning Thursday morning, April 1st, no bills shall be considered except appropriation bills and bills then upon the Senate Calendar, unless reported by said sifting committee, and no bills shall be reported or considered by the Senate that have been reported for indefinite postponement.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment to the resolution and moved its adoption :

Amend the resolution found on page 906 of the Senate Journal by striking from the second line thereof the word and figures "March 31st" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "April 7th".

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the resolution and moved its adoption :

Amend the resolution by adding thereto the following: "Bills on the Calendar, at the time of appointment of such committee, shall not go to the sifting committee, unless so ordered by majority vote of the Senate."

Amendment withdrawn.

Senator Larrabee moved as a substitute for the resolution the following resolution offered by him and found on page 841 of the Journal, and moved its adoption :

Resolved, That the president of the Senate shall appoint a sifting committee of seven members, said committee to be appointed at the discretion of the chair, seven days before date set for final adjournment or any time thereafter, to which shall be referred all bills other than appropriation bills, and that after the appointment of the committee, no bills, except appropriation bills and bills then upon the Senate calendar, shall be considered unless reported by said sifting committee, and no bills shall be reported or considered by the Senate that have been reported for indefi-

nite postponement at time of appointment of said committee, except bills on Senate calendar.

The substitute resolution was lost.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment to the resolution and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting "April 8th" for April 1st".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that further consideration of the resolution be deferred until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 147, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 438, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred twenty-nine (1329), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to statements of telegraph and telephone companies for assessment purposes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 606, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a twelve (1989-a 12), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to assessments of costs and damages in drainage proceedings.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 612, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a seven (1989-a 7), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the bonds of drainage engineers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 465, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-b six (2634-b 6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 498, a bill for an act to validate the organization of the Consolidated Independent School District of Norwalk, in Warren county, Iowa, and proceedings taken to authorize the issuance of bonds of said district in the amount of \$25,000.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 222, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred ten (810) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to publication of preliminary notice of street improvements.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Francis, from the committee No. 1 on judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 176, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand ninety-four (3094) of the code, 1897, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the filing of mechanic's liens by sub-contractors after thirty days, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 110, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports

to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported to the senate with the recommendation that it be referred to committee on appropriations.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 595, a bill for an act to punish the crime of compounding misdemeanors and to declare the elements of such offence, and to provide the punishment therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 489, a bill for an act to repeal section three hundred forty-four (344) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section five thousand two hundred forty (5240), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the drawing and summoning of grand juries, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 312, a bill for an act providing the evidence and clue to the detection and arrest of chicken or fowl thieves, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 312.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Provide for the Keeping of Records of the Sale of Chickens and Providing Punishment for the Violation of the Same.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That it shall be the duty of retail chicken dealers, butchers and merchants who may buy chickens or fowls of any kind for profit to keep an open book for inspection of the public wherein he shall record the

name and address of any and all people from whom he makes purchases; shall specify therein the number and kind of fowls purchased, giving breeds and colors and all or any apparent marks by which the said fowls might be identified.

SECTION 2. That it shall also be the duty of the agent of any common carrier, corporation, railroad company or express companies to keep an open book for public inspection in which he shall record the name and address of any person who may ship fowls and shall record in said book the number and description of all fowls shipped and to whom shipped.

SECTION 3. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be liable to a fine of not to exceed twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 410 passed the Senate.

Carried.

By unanimous consent, Senator Larrabee withdrew Senate File No. 410 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, House File No. 459, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section 2727-a11, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the monthly visitation by the Board of Control of State Institutions, or the secretary thereof, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Lindly—1.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Farr, Fellows, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Nye, Savage, Taylor, Thompson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Caswell, the Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 139, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment, found on page 1239 of the Journal, and moved its adoption:

I move to amend Senate File 139 by inserting in the tenth line between the words "such" and "exemplary" the following:

"actual, special and" and between the words "both" and "special" in the eighth line insert "actual,"

Adopted.

By unanimous consent, Senator Francis withdrew the following amendment filed by him, and appearing on page 1239 of the Journal:

I move to amend Senate File 139 by striking from line eight of the printed bill the word "special" and substitute therefor the word "actual".

Senator Gillette offered the following amendment filed by him, and appearing on page 1239 of the Journal, and moved its adoption:

I move to amend Senate File No. 139 by striking out the words "one week" in the next to the last line of the printed bill and substitute in lieu thereof the following: "three weeks."

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment to the amendment by Senator Gillette and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by changing the words "three weeks" to "two weeks".

Adopted.

The amendment as amended was adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment filed by him and found on page 1239 of the Journal, and moved its adoption:

I move to amend Senate File 139 by inserting after the word "newspaper" in the first line, the following:

"If the defendant can show that such libelous matter was published through mis-information or accident."

By unanimous consent, Senator Farr withdrew the word "accident" and substituted therefor the word "mistake" in the amendment.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

Lindly—1.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Crist, Fellows, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Thompson—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Doran, Senate File No. 453, a bill for an act to protect the live stock interests of this state against the spread of infectious, contagious, or other diseases among live stock, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Hagemann, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Schrup, White of Iowa—16.

The nays were :

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—21.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Savage, Thomas, Thompson, Wilson—13.

The report of the committee was rejected.

Further action was deferred.

On motion of Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 63, a bill for an act authorizing the city and town council to grant a permit to corporations, co-partnerships or individuals desiring to manufacture ice to be sold to the public, to lay pipe lines in, under, along and across the streets, highways, alleys, public grounds, streams or rivers within the corporate limits of cities and towns, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett moved the adoption of the following amendments :

Amend section one (1) by adding at the end of the last line thereof the following:

"The municipality shall at any time have the right to condemn such pipe line, for any purpose for which the said municipality may lawfully condemn, and shall be liable for no greater sum than the actual cost of installing the same."

Amend section two (2) by striking out all of said section after the word "the" as it appears the first time in line three (3) thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, without expense to the state."

Adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Savage, Thompson, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 137, a bill for an act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a board of examiners for the licensing of persons to carry on such practice, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of barber shops, schools and colleges in which the occupation of barbering is taught, and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases through such occupation, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved the adoption of the following amendments :

By changing the word "three" to the word "two" and the figure "3" to the figure "2" in lines 12, 15 and 17 of section 9, and in line 13 of section 12.

By striking out section 16 and substituting for the same the following:

"Said board shall be authorized to adopt reasonable rules providing for the sanitary regulation of barber shops, subject to the approval of the state board of health, and shall have the power to enter any barber shop during business hours for the purpose of inspection of such shop. If any shop be found in an unsanitary condition, or if any barber working therein has been charged with imparting any contagious or infectious disease, the board shall immediately notify the health officer thereof, and such shop shall be quarantined and the barber so charged shall not practice his occupation until such quarantine shall be removed by the health officer. Said board shall have the power to revoke any certificate of registration granted by it under this act, for conviction of crime, habitual drunkenness for six months immediately before a charge duly made, gross incompetency, fail-

ure to comply with the sanitary rules approved by the state board of health or for having imparted any contagious or infectious disease. Provided, that before any certificate shall be so revoked, the holder thereof shall have notice in writing of the charge or charges against him, and at a day specified in said notice, at least five days after the service of notice thereof, be given a public hearing and be given an opportunity to present testimony in his behalf, and to confront the witnesses against him. Any person whose certificate has been revoked, may after the expiration of ninety (90) days apply to have his certificate regranted, and the same shall be regranted to him upon his giving satisfactory proof that disqualification has ceased to exist."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 137 by striking out Section 6 thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 6. Each member of the board created by this act shall receive a per diem of \$4.00 per day, with all actual expenses incurred by him in the discharge of his duties, such per diem and expenses to be paid out of the funds created by the payment of fees by applications for examination, but in no event shall any member of said board receive for such services more than \$100.00 in any one year. All printing, postage and other contingent expenses incurred under the provisions of this act shall be itemized and audited by the Executive Council and warrants drawn on the fund created by this act for the payment of the same."

Amendment lost.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking from the bill Section 18 and by renumbering the sections accordingly.

Amendment lost.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by adding thereto the following:

Insert after the word "knowingly" after the word "shall" in the second line of Sec. 18, as the same appears in the printed bill.

Also, insert after the word "decease", in the third line of said section, the following:

"or have reason to believe a person is so afflicted."

Adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 137 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Larrabee moved that Senate File No. 137 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Fokett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Helmer, Henigbaum, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, White of Iowa—22.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—17.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Fellows, Grout, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Savage, Thomas, Thompson, Wilson—11.

The motion prevailed and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House.

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 532, a bill for an act to provide for the transferring of board of health funds now in the hands of township clerks to the general road fund of the township.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 509, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-twenty (1571-m-20), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the powers of local authorities to regulate automobile speed and traffic.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 505, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-fourteen (254-a-14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to juvenile courts.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 314, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred seventy-one (471) of the code, relating to the issuance of county warrants.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent Resolution fixing the date of sine die adjournment for April 17, 1915, at 12:00 noon.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-a (2477-a) and twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-b (2477-b) and twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-c (2477-c) and twenty-four hundred and seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to child labor, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Allen offered the following amendments and moved their adoption:

Amend the title to Senate File No. 189 by inserting between the words "amend" and "sections", in the first line, the words "the law as it appears in"; also by inserting before the word "all", in the fourth line, the words "and to regulate the Street Trades."

Amend Senate File No. 189 by striking out the words "employment certificate", as found in lines six (6) and seven (7) from the end of said bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "work permit".

Amend Senate File No. 189 by striking out the apostrophe, following the word "physicians", in line twenty-nine (29) and inserting the apostrophe between the letter "n" and the last letter "s" in said word; and to amend said bill by striking out the apostrophe following the word "employers", in line thirty (30), and inserting the apostrophe between the letter "r" and the letter "s" of said word.

Amend Senate File No. 189 by inserting between the words "Messages", in line nine (9) and "no", in line ten (10), the following:

"SECTION 2. That the law as it appears in chapter eight (8), title twelve (12), supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by adding thereto the following, "and that the sections following be renumbered."

Adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 11:45 a. m.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 1 of said substitute by striking out the period after the word "place" in line 14 thereof and adding thereto the following: "when such employment interferes with their attendance upon school."

President Harding resumed the chair at 12:00 m.

Consideration deferred.

Senator Farr moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met in regular session at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Voorhees from the special committee on House File No. 268, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your special committee to whom was referred House File No. 268, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of State Farm Mortgage Banks, beg to report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend

that the same be amended as follows and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amendment No. 1.—That section three (3), paragraph eight (8) of the original bill be amended by adding to same: "governing state and savings banks" so that when amended same shall read as follows:

"8th. That the private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from corporate liability, except to the extent and in the manner provided by the laws of the State of Iowa governing state and savings banks."

Amendment No. 2.—By inserting at the end of section four (4) the following:

Sec. 4-a. "Profits or dividends in any shape or form, shall not directly or indirectly, over and above seven (7) per centum per annum be declared or distributed or paid until there shall each year be written and applied to and held in a surplus fund, an amount equal to and maintained at one-half (1-2) of the stock issued."

Amendment No. 3.—In the first line of section six (6) strike out the word "corporation" and substitute therefor the word "stockholders".

Amendment No. 4.—In section 10, paragraph 1, at end of third line change the comma to a semi-colon and add: "provided that no loan shall be made for a greater amount than fifty (50) per cent of the value of the land including special assessments thereon".

Amendment No. 5.—To section 10 add as paragraph 8 the following:

8. "The bank shall not receive deposits, or engage in general banking business."

Amendment No. 6.—In section 12, paragraph 1, change the final period to a comma and add: "except as provided in section ten (10), paragraph one (1) of this act".

Amendment No. 7.—In section 12 strike out paragraph two (2) thereof and substitute the following:

"Each such mortgage shall be upon a fee simple title only, and no mortgage shall be accepted upon any undivided interest in or to the lands mortgaged".

Amendment No. 8.—In section 12, paragraph 4, line 3, strike out the words: "except upon the written approval of two-thirds (2-3) of the directors" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "unless the loan be recommended in writing by the farm land examiner to, and approved in writing by the auditor of state".

Amendment No. 9.—In section 14 strike out the first sentence and substitute therefor the following:

"The right of repayment in the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiple thereof on any interest paying date shall not be delayed beyond five (5) years from the date of the mortgage."

Amendment No. 10.—Strike out section 17 and substitute therefor the following:

"Any state farm mortgage bank may issue its bonds in such amounts, and for such a period of time and bearing such rate of interest as may be deemed advisable by the board of directors, subject to the approval of the auditor of state; provided that the average interest rate upon such bonds shall be at least one-half (1-2) of one (1) per cent per

annum less than the average interest rate upon the mortgages securing such bonds; provided that the aggregate amount of all bonds maturing on or before any date shall not exceed the aggregate amount of all mortgages pledged to secure the payment of the same maturing before the same date. Such bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), five hundred dollars (\$500.00), and one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), in such proportion as there may be demand for purchase of same; and as the directors may determine.

(2) Before said bonds may issue, they, together with the notes and mortgages securing payment of same, must first be submitted to the auditor of state, who shall keep a record thereof, and who shall certify, by endorsement upon each of said bonds, under seal of his office, that the issue of said bonds so certified is not in excess of the amount of the notes and mortgages deposited with him to secure payment of such bonds. The auditor of state shall collect from said bank an amount sufficient to cover the expense of such registration and certification. Any person issuing, or knowingly aiding in the issuance of any such bonds not so certified by the auditor of state, shall upon conviction be imprisoned in the state penitentiary for a period not exceeding five (5) years.

(3) Each state farm mortgage bank shall keep a register of such form as the auditor of state may require for the registration and transfer of bonds issued by it, which registration shall be open to the inspection of the auditor of state or any of his deputies or examiners."

Amendment No. 11.—In section 18, paragraph 3, line 5, after the word "shall" insert a comma and the following: "by himself or by a competent attorney at law of this state appointed by him in writing."

Amendment No. 12.—Add to section 18 after paragraph 3 the following as paragraph 4:

(4) "The auditor of state may loan such abstract of title for a reasonable limited length of time to responsible parties upon deposit with him of proper security."

Amendment No. 13.—In section 19, paragraph 2, line 7, strike out the words "or municipality" also by inserting in line 5, paragraph 2, between the words "sufficient" and "bonds" the words "cash or"

Amendment No. 14.—In section 19 at the end of paragraph 2 change period to a semi-colon and add the following: "and provided that first mortgages as required under the provision of this act shall be deposited in lieu of such securities within six (6) months after such temporary substitution."

Amendment No. 15.—In section 19 at the end of paragraph 2 add an additional paragraph the following:

"If at any time any mortgage pledged to the auditor of state, exceeds fifty (50) per cent of the value of the land mortgaged, the bank shall be required by the auditor of state to substitute in lieu thereof another mortgage or mortgages, the standard required by this act."

Amendment No. 16.—At the end of section 21 change the final period to a comma and add the following: "and shall also be a legal investment for fire and life insurance companies and other corporations re-

quired to make deposit with the auditor of state to secure the right to do business in this state."

Amendment No. 17.—In section 22 change the final period to a comma and add the following: "and, when owned by an individual citizen of and residing in this state, not claiming a homestead exemption, shall, in a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), when registered, be exempt from execution; but not more than one member of a family shall be entitled to such exemption; and, provided, that any exemption claimed hereunder shall to such extent reduce exemption for life insurance, or damages recovered for wrongful act producing death, claimed under code sections eighteen hundred five (1805) or thirty-three hundred thirteen (3313), or claim for pension money under code sections four thousand nine (4009) and four thousand ten (4010)."

Amendment No. 18.—To section 23 add the following:

"Each state farm mortgage bank shall be charged with and required to pay its pro rata share of the cost of such examination."

Amendment No. 19.—In section 24, line 7, between the words "substitute" and "another" insert the following: "within thirty (30) days."

Amendment No. 20.—In section 26, line 4 at the end of line strike out the following: "or upon judgments,"

Amendment No. 21.—In section 27, line 1, following the word "sections" insert eighteen fifty-six (1856).

Also section 27, line 2, after "one thousand three hundred twenty-two (1322)", insert "one thousand three hundred twenty-two-one-a (1322-1a), one thousand three hundred twenty-two-2-a (1322-2a), one thousand three hundred twenty-two-three-a (1322-3a)."

Amendment No. 22.—In section 28, paragraph 2, line 5, after word "mortgage" insert "note" and strike out the following portions of said paragraph 2 of section 28: "provided that no such endorsements shall be made if bonds of such bank outstanding are for a greater amount than the total amount of mortgages, cash and ther securities of such bank held by the auditor of state."

Amendment No. 23.—Strike out section 29 being publication clause.

JOHN C. VOORHEES.

CHESTER W. WHITMORE.

JOHN T. CLARKSON.

D. C. CHASE.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee No. 1 on judiciary, Senate File No. 615, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to interference with the veterinary surgeon and his assistants in quarantine matters, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred thirty-one (2531) of the code.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee No. 1 on judiciary, Senate File No. 616, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand one hundred twenty (4120) of the code and relating to the dismissal of actions in the supreme

court where the transcript of the reporter's notes have not been filed.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By committee No. 2 on judiciary, Senate File No. 617, a bill for an act to provide the conditions under which boards of supervisors may exclude lands from a drainage district after the establishment thereof.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By committee No. 1 on judiciary, Senate File No. 618.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Legalize the Special Election Held in the Incorporated Town of Charter Oak, Iowa, on the Third Day of August, 1914, Wherein There Was Submitted to the Voters of Said Town the Question of Erecting, Building and Furnishing an Electric Light and Power Plant, and Also the Question of the Issuance of Bonds in the Sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00) for Electric Light and Power Plant Purposes, and to Validate and Legalize the Proceedings of the Town Council Had in Relation to Said Special Election Preliminary to the Holding Thereof, and to Legalize the Ballots Used at Said Special Election and to Legalize the Bonds to be Issued in Pursuance Thereof.

WHEREAS, on the 6th day of July, 1914, there was submitted to the town council of the incorporated town of Charter Oak, Crawford County, Iowa, a petition as follows, to-wit:

"We, the undersigned, qualified electors of the town of Charter Oak, Crawford County, Iowa, hereby respectfully petition you and ask that an election be called in said town for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said town the proposition of whether the said town shall issue bonds for an electric light and power plant the proceeds of said bonds when issued and sold to be used in erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant for the said town. And we further state that such necessary electric light and power plant cannot be purchased, erected, built or furnished within the limit of one and one-quarter per centum of the actual value of the taxable property within such corporation as ascertained by the last state and county tax list previous hereto."

Said petition bearing the signatures of one hundred and twenty-one (121) qualified electors of said incorporated town, and

WHEREAS, at the next regular meeting of the Town Council on the 6th day of July, 1914, said council duly passed a resolution granting the prayer of said petition and providing for the issuance and publication of a notice of the holding of a special election in said town for the purpose of voting on the question of erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant for the said town, and on the question of issuing bonds for electric light and power plant purposes, and

WHEREAS, said Council at the same meeting duly passed a resolution ordering the submission to a vote of the qualified electors of said town, the following proposition, to-wit:

For the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$16,000.00
 for electric light and power plant.....
 Against the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$16,000.00
 for electric light and power plant," and.....

WHEREAS, said resolution provided for the holding of said special election on August 3d, 1914, and

WHEREAS, there was issued and published a notice of said special election in the Charter Oak Times, a weekly newspaper published at Charter Oak, Crawford County, Iowa, the same being the only newspaper published in said town, for four consecutive weeks, the last publication of which was on July 30th, 1914, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to said petition, resolution and notice aforesaid there was submitted to the qualified electors of said town at such special election held in said town on the 3d day of August, 1914, the said public measure in the following form, to-wit:

"For the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$16,000.00
 for electric light and power plant.....
 Against the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$16,000.00
 for electric light and power plant.....

Those in favor of erecting an electric light and power plant in said Town putting a cross (X) in the square opposite the "For the issuance of bonds", etc.

Those not in favor of erecting an electric light and power plant in said Town putting a cross (X) in the square opposite the "Against the issuance of bonds", etc.

Those in favor of issuing bonds for electric light and power plant purposes putting a cross (X) in the square opposite the "For the issuance of bonds", etc.

Those not in favor of issuing bonds for electric light and power plant purposes putting a cross (X) in the square opposite "Against the issuance of bonds", etc., and

WHEREAS, more than a majority of the legal voters voting at said election, as shown by the official canvass of said vote, and more than a majority of all the votes cast at the last preceding municipal election, as shown by the official of said vote, voted in favor of the first of said public measures above set forth, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the regularity of the resolution passed by said Town Council; the legality of said petition on which said special election was called; the notice of said election and publication thereof; the legality of the questions submitted and the manner and form in which the same were submitted; the legality of said election by reason of the fact that the same was held within four weeks following the first publication of the notice of said special election, therefore

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Special Election--Bonds, Acts, Etc., legalized--pending Litigation. That the proceedings of the Town Council of the Incorporated Town of Charter Oak, Crawford County, Iowa, concerning and providing for the submission to the qualified electors of said Town of the proposition to erect, build and furnish an electric light and uower plant for

the said Town, and for the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00) for electric light and power plant purposes; the petition submitted to the town council thereof; the resolution of the town council ordering the submission of said proposition to a vote of the qualified electors; the notice of such submission; the time, form and publication thereof; the form of ballot submitted at said election and all acts and proceedings of said town council prior or subsequent to the holding of said special election, whether herein specifically specified or not, had done in relation and with reference to said proposition to erect, build and furnish an electric light and power plant and the proposition for the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00), be and they are hereby legalized and validated as fully and completely as though the law had in all things been fully and technically complied with in every respect, and said bonds, whether issued or to be issued, shall be the valid and binding obligation of said incorporated town of Charter Oak, Crawford County, Iowa. This act shall in nowise affect pending litigation.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after its publication in the Charter Oak Times, a newspaper published in Charter Oak, Crawford County, Iowa, and the Des Moines, News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By Committee No. 1 on Judiciary, Senate File No. 619, a bill for an act to provide for the holding, management and loaning of moneys left by gift or devise, for charitable or educational purposes where no trustee is named, and making the county auditor the trustee and manager of said funds.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

On request of Senator White of Benton, leave of absence was granted Senator Jackson for today and tomorrow.

On request of Senator Darrah, leave of absence was granted Senator Enger for today.

Journal of April 3 was taken up, corrected and approved.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-b (2477-b), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-c (2777-c), and twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to child labor.

By unanimous consent Senator Heald withdrew the amendment offered by him and pending.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment filed by him, on page 1267 of the journal and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 2 of Senate File No. 189, as amended, by striking out the word "fourteen (14)" in the first and eighth lines of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eleven (11)".

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment filed by him and found on page 1267 of the journal and moved its adoption:

I move to amend Section 2 of Senate File No. 189 as amended, by striking out the word "six (6)" in the 20th line and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five (5)", and by striking out the word "eight (8)" in line 20 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "seven-thirty (7:30)"

"Also by striking out the period (.) after the word "time" in line 22, inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) and adding the following:

"Provided, however, that during the summer school vacation such boy may engage in such occupation until the hour of eight-thirty (8.30) P. M."

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved to amend the amendment by striking out the word and figure "five (5)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "four (4)."

Adopted.

The amendment as amended was adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the substitute by striking out the words "in any city of ten thousand (10,000) or more inhabitants" where the same appears in section 1 and section 3.

Amendment lost.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the substitute, striking out the words "in line four where more than eight persons are employed".

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the substitute by striking out the words "place of amusement, or in the distribution or transmission of merchandise or messages", last appearing in Section 1.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the vote by which the last amendment was adopted be reconsidered.

Carried.

The amendment offered by Senator Kimball was lost.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by striking from section one, line three, the following words: "Mine in lines two (2) and"

Amend Sec. 3, line five, following the word "mine", by inserting the following: "during the school term".

Adopted.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. 1 as amended by adding thereto the following:

Provided that nothing in this section shall be construed as prohibiting a child from working in any of the above establishments or occupations when such are owned or operated by their own parents.

Adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the period after the word "place" in line 14 of section 1 of said substitute and inserting in lieu thereof a semicolon and adding thereto the following:

"provided, however, that in cities having a superior or municipal court, the superintendent of schools or person authorized by him, upon sufficient showing made by the said superior or municipal judge, shall have authority, in exceptional cases, to issue a permit to a boy under eleven (11) years of age."

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the substitute by striking out the words "bowling alley, pool or billiard room" after the word "hotel" in section 3.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Gillette moved the previous question.

Carried.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

Heald, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Quigley, Schrup—6.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Grout, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Allen moved that the vote by which Senate File 189 passed the Senate be reconsidered and that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 399, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-eighty-four (2727-a84), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the payment of expenses of patients of the sanatorium for tuberculosis, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a eighty-four, (2727-84), Supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "then" in the ninth line and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the superintendent shall notify the Board

of Supervisors of the County where the applicant resides of such fact and”

Adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 290, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections 1258-c and 1258-h, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of city, county and township officers, and the right of such officers to thereafter hold office within this state, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly,

Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Gillette, Grout, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 254, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409), of the code, relating to the certification of taxes to another county and enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 313, a bill for an act to provide for the appointment of a commission to select jurors, including grand jurors, etc., prescribing the time for which jurors may be required to serve, prescribing the duties thereof and fixing penalties for the violation of this act, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

So the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 255, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred fifteen (1415), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the apportionment of taxes and interest, and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out in line twelve of section 1, the words "and total", and by adding after the word "interest" in the twelfth line of section 1 the words "and penalty".

Adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Savage, Sheean, Thompson—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 266, a bill for an act to provide for the issuance of county bonds for highway improvement, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the word "ten" in line 4 of the printed bill and inserting the word "fifteen".

Adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—19.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—18.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Grout, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson—13.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Heald, Senate File No. 348, a bill for an act to provide for the permanent improvement of portions of the public highway outside the limits of cities and towns, and adjacent thereto, to create districts for such purpose, to provide for the voting of taxes to pay for such improvement, to provide for plans and specifications for said improvement and the manner for constructing the same, to provide for the issuance of bonds in anticipation of taxes so voted, to provide for receiving

donations in aid of such improvement, and to provide for the maintenance of such improvement after the construction thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting the word "adjoining" after the word "town" at the end of line 3, section 1.

Strike out the word "said" immediately preceding the word "city" in line 8, section 1, and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Strike out the words "the aforesaid" in line 1, section 4, and insert the word "such".

Strike out the word "or" immediately following the figures "30" in brackets, and immediately preceding the word "more" in line 3, section 4, and insert in lieu thereof the word "nor".

Strike out the word "said" following the word "within" and immediately preceding the word "district" in line 6, section 4, and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Strike out the word "said" following the word "constructing" in line 7, section 4, and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Strike out the word "said" in line 8, section 4, following the word "within" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Strike out the letter "y" and insert the letter "t" in lieu thereof in the word "ballot" following the word "each" in line 18, section 4, of the bill.

Strike out the words "and well known" in line 24, section 4, of the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, White of Iowa, Whitmore—27.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Greene, Helmer, Laffer, Lindly, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—10.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 483, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

Doran, Lindly—2.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Laffer, Senate File No. 79, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to notice and proof of loss under oath in case of insurance on personal property, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Laffer moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by striking from line seven of the original bill the word "five", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifteen", so that the time of notice of the loss must be made within fifteen days from the time said loss occurs.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the committee amendment found on page 878 of the Senate journal by striking out the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten".

Adopted.

Senator Laffer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Boe, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—15.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by striking out the word "seventy" and inserting the word "forty".

Amend the title by striking out the words and figures "of 1897" and insert in lieu thereof a period (.)

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Nye, House File No. 116, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred eighty-three-b (1783-b) of the supplement to the code of 1907, relating to medical examination for life insurance, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Nye moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By striking out the capital letter "B" in the second (2) line of the title and inserting a small letter "b" in lieu thereof; and by striking out the words "of the" in the same line and inserting a comma (,) in lieu thereof, and by inserting a comma (,) after the word "CODE" in the same line, and by striking out all in the bill after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

That section seventeen hundred eighty-three-b (1783-b), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "medicine" in the sixth (6) line thereof the words "or by an osteopathic physician duly authorized to practice osteopathy"; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Adopted.

Senator Nye moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Enger, Fellows, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larabee, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 249, a bill for an act granting to cities and towns power to license and regulate electricians and electrical contractors and power to regulate the installation of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparati, and appliances on and in all buildings, tents and other structures in the state of Iowa excepting such central stations, sub-station, and power houses belonging to and operated by public utility companies operating under state or city charters and franchises for the prevention of damage to life and property caused by fire due to defective wiring, to determine the qualifications and provide for the examination thereof; to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted under this act, and to provide for a state electric inspector to be under the jurisdiction of the office of the state fire marshal, and prescribe his duties and jurisdiction under the authority granted in this act, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out section two (2) and section three (3) of the said bill.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Perkins—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—18.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the word "installation" in the third line of the title to the printed bill the words "and inspection". Also by striking out all after the word "apparati" in the fourth line of the title to the printed bill down to and including the word "thereof" in the tenth line thereof. Also by striking out all after the word "act" in the 14th line of the title to the printed bill.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

Senator Doran moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Motion lost.

On motion of Senator Schrup, House File No. 408, a bill for an act providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, this act being additional to title 5 of the code and amendments thereto, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out all after the word "town" in line one (1) and before the word "and" in line two (2) of section one (1); also by striking out all after the word "town" in line one (1) and before the word "or" in line two (2) of section two (2).

Adopted.

Further consideration deferred.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 179, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of bridges and culverts in order to enable adjoining land owners to secure access to their premises and to provide for the cost and procedure therefor, with

report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting a comma in lieu of the period after the word "culvert" at end of line nine (9) of the bill and insert after said comma the following: "except that such owner shall not be required to pay any part of the cost of construction of one only of such bridges or culverts for each half mile of his land bordering a public highway so improved over which the owner secures access to such premises or to the building spot on such premises."

Adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—34.

The nays were:

Doran, Wilson—2.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Chase, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Helmer, House File No. 310, a bill for an act to require that all unexpended balances of certain appropriations made for specific purposes, and which purposes have been fully carried out or abandoned, be transferred to the general revenue fund of the state, and to provide the provisions which should govern such transfer, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out section one and renumbering section two as section one and amending section two by striking out the word "annually" following the word "shall" in line four thereof, and by inserting after the word "shall" in line four the following: "on July 1st, 1915, and biennially thereafter", and by adding a publication clause which shall be numbered Section two and shall be as follows: "This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa." And that the title be amended to read as follows: "A Bill for an act providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state at the end of each biennial period of all unexpended balances for which specific appropriations from the state funds have been made and which purposes have been fully carried out or abandoned".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Savage, Sheean, Thompson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, House File No. 217, a bill for an act to provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to pro-

vide the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 61, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 1860 of the code of 1897 relating to the reserve fund of savings banks, with report of committee recommending the adoption of substitute and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette,

Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Grout, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 169, a bill for an act to provide for the maintenance and repair of country roads and to provide road patrolmen and prescribing their duties, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved the adoption of the following amendments :

Strike out the word "shall" in the second line of section one of the bill, and insert the word "may".

Strike out the words "and required" in line six, section one, of the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Perkins invoked rule 8.

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—30.

The nays were :

Chase, Doran, Gillette, Lindly, Quigley, Voorhees, Wilson—7.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Whitmore filed the following amendment, substitute for Senate File 44.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend the Law as it appears in Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a 18 (254-a 18), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relative to the Appointment and Compensation of Probation Officers in Counties of Less Than Fifty Thousand (50,000) Population. Also Amending Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a 20 (254-a 20), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relative to Length of Time Widows Shall Reside in County and State in Order to Receive Compensation Under the Law, and Relative to the Maintenance of Dependent Children whose Mothers are Widows, and Providing for Reports and Records.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a 18 (254-a 18), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking from said section the semi-colon “;” following the word “court” in the third line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof a period “.”. And by striking from said section beginning with the word “said” in the third line, and ending with the word “court” in the fourth line, the following words: “said probation officers to receive no compensation from the public treasury; provided, however, that the district court”, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: “In any County of this State having a population of less than fifty thousand, the court may designate and appoint one probation officer having the qualifications of probation officers, as herein stipulated, and who shall receive a compensation to be fixed by the court not to exceed Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) a month; and”

SECTION 2. That Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a 20 (254-a 20), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “widow” in the tenth line thereof the following: “and that she has been a citizen of the United States for at least three years prior to the filing of her application for assistance and has been a bona fide resident of the county where application is made, for at least eighteen months prior to the filing of such application”.

Also, by adding to said section, the following:

“The County Board of Supervisors in each County of the State shall report quarterly to the State Board of Control all allowances and expenditures made for each dependent, under this act, upon such forms as the State Board of Control shall prescribe. And the said County Board of Supervisors shall, within thirty days after the close of each year, file with

said court a report showing the name, age, and residence of each person to whom such aid has been allowed or paid, and the amount thereof, and the amount or kind of other public poor relief extended; together with the recommendation of said Board of Supervisors as to termination, increase or decrease of allowances so made by said court. If any changes are recommended, said court shall require the County Attorney or Probation officer, to make such investigation as is desired by the court, and to report thereon. And upon the filing of such recommendation and report, the court may, in its discretion, have a hearing and make such order as may be deemed advisable and just."

Senator Chase filed the following amendment to Senate File No. 413:

Amend by adding the following proviso:

"Provided that this act shall only apply to actions brought by an employe against his or her employer, or by a passenger against a common carrier, and in such cases contributory negligence may be pleaded in mitigation of damages."

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 266 passed to its third reading and failed to pass the Senate.

JOHN W. FOSTER.

Senator Kimball moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 6, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Thos. B. Greenlee, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Audubon, Iowa.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on public health, Senate File No. 620, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred fourteen-p, twenty-five hundred fourteen-s and twenty-five hundred fourteen-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the inspection of hotels.

Read first and second time and placed on the calendar.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 438, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred twenty-nine (1329), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to statements of telegraph and telephone companies for assessment purposes.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on telegraph and telephones.

House File 606, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a twelve (1989-a 12), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to assessments of costs and damages in drainage proceedings.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 612, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a seven (1989-a 7), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the bonds of drainage engineers.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 2 on judiciary.

House File No. 532, a bill for an act to provide for the transferring of board of health funds now in the hands of township clerks to the general road fund of the township.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 314, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred seventy-one (471) of the code, relating to the issuance of county warrants.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on county and township affairs.

House File No. 505, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-fourteen (254-a14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to juvenile courts.

Read first and second time and referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

House File No. 509, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-20 (1571-m-20), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the powers of local authorities to regulate automobile speed and traffic.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on cities and towns.

House concurrent resolution fixing the date of sine die adjournment for April 17, 1915, at 12:00 noon.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 272, a bill for an act to amend Section 2888-h of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Library Commission, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out all of Section One (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“SECTION 1. That Section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and is hereby amended by striking out the words “eleven thousand” in lines eleven (11) and twenty (20) respectively of said section, and substituting in lieu thereof the words “fifteen thousand” in said lines eleven (11) and twenty (20)

respective'y, and further amend by striking out the words "seventy-six hundred" in lines eleven (11) and twelve (12) of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "nine thousand".

Also that the title be amended by striking out the words "of the" in line two (2) thereof and substituting in lieu thereof a comma ",".

A. C. SAVAGE,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 351, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in Chapter 13-b, title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds, and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking out all of said bill following the colon ":" at the end of line three (3) of Section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

If any person, including a corporation or association and the officers or agents thereof, alone or in common with others, having devised or intending to devise any scheme or artifice to defraud by the issuance, sale, promotion, negotiation or distribution of any stocks, bonds, notes or other securities, shall, in executing such scheme or artifice or in attempting to do so, commit any overt act within the state, such person shall, upon conviction, be punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,000.00 or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such punishments, at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 2. Any dealer in securities including a corporation or association selling its own securities, and any officer or agent thereof, any promoter or other person acting with or for it, who, as principal or agent, shall promote by advertisement or by general or public offering, or through agents, the sale of any securities and shall knowingly make any representation of the existence of a fact tending to enhance the value of such securities or to induce the purchase thereof, without having knowledge or information sufficient to justify a belief in such fact, or, having knowledge of any fact adversely and materially affecting the value of any speculative securities so promoted who shall fraudulently conceal such fact in any prospectus of such securities or fraudulently conceal from any purchaser of such securities, for the purpose of inducing the purchase thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof be punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,-

000.00, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or by both such punishments, at the discretion of the Court.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in Section 2634-A, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the Educational Board of Examiners, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

By striking from line six (6) of section one (1) the words and figures "one hundred and fifty (\$150.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and twenty-five (\$125.00)".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 279, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2575.00) to indemnify Wm. H. Nieman for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa National Guard, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Crist, from the committee on public buildings, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public buildings, to whom was referred Senate File No. 461, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred sixty-four (164), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the executive council, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

L. E. CRIST,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Crist, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Wilson, from the committee on labor, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on labor, to whom was referred House File No. 464, a bill for an act to create a department in the office of Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics for the purpose of providing free public employment, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the committee on appropriations with the recommendation that the same do pass.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Wilson, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations..

Senator Grout, from the committee on public health, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public health, to whom was referred Senate File No. 565, a bill for an act to repeal section 2583-a, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend sections 2583-d and 2583-e, supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the practice of osteopathy and providing for a uniform standard for the practitioners of any form of the healing art without surgery or the use of drugs, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and return the same without recommendation.

H. W. GROUT,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Nye, from the committee on public lands, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public lands, to whom was referred House File No. 501, a bill for an act to authorize, empower and direct the executive council to sell all that part of the capitol grounds lying and being west of East Ninth street, and also to sell all that part of said capitol grounds lying and being east on East Twelfth street and to amend section fourteen hundred-t (1400-t), and repeal section fourteen hundred-t-two (1400-t2), of chapter one-A (1A), supplement to the code, 1913, and to specify the manner in which the money derived from the sale of said land shall be used, and the conditions covering such sale, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. D. NYE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Parker, from the committee on corporations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on corporations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 507, a bill for an act authorizing judges of district courts of the state of Iowa to assume jurisdiction of corporations

on the showing of a minority stockholder or stockholders that the property is being wasted or managed in such manner as to interfere with the property rights of the minority stockholder, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

ADDISON M. PARKER,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Parker, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on corporations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 532, a bill for an act to amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

ADDISON M. PARKER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

SIFTING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION CONSIDERED.

The time having arrived for consideration of the resolution for sifting committee, found on page 1292 of the Journal, the same was taken up and considered.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the resolution.

Senator Allen moved that further consideration of this resolution be postponed until Monday, April 12th.

Senator Clarkson demanded a roll call on this motion.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Grout, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—22.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Lindly, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—20.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Foskett, Frailey, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Quigley, Thomas—8.

The motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House requests the return of concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House concurrent resolution relating to sine die adjournment.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 105, a bill for an act in relation to semi-monthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 565, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-twe've (1989-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of costs and damages for the construction of levees, ditches, drains and drainage districts.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend chapter 8-a, title 5, of the 1913 supplement to the code, relating to protection of city property from floods.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

House File No. 504, a bill for an act creating the State Board of Audit and defining its powers and duties.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 250, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-one hundred twenty-five (2125), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to definition of switching service.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 186, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to penalty for non-enforcement of the weed law by township officers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 610, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the amount of insurance to be required on improvements included in loans made by insurance companies.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 607, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred fourteen-f (1614-f), supplement to the code, 1913, and section one thousand six hundred fourteen-g (1614-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to annual reports by corporations, by striking out certain words therein and substituting other words in lieu thereof, and, by adding to said section.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 568, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section forty-three hundred thirty-eight (4338), of the code, relating to the disposition of fines and forfeitures.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Foster called up for consideration the motion found on page 1329 of the Senate Journal, to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 266 failed to pass the Senate.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Foster moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File 266 passed to its third reading.

Motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foster, Senate File No. 266, a bill for an act to provide for the issuance of county bonds for highway improvement, was taken up and considered.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out all after the word "forthwith" in line 9 of section 7, also by striking out all except the words "at the next general election", in line 7 of Section 7; and by striking out lines 8 and 9 in section 7.

Adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed.

Senator Foster moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the bill passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Foster moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the amendment offered by Senator Schrup was adopted.

Vote reconsidered.

Further action deferred.

On motion of Senator Caswell, Senate File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the incorporate town of Charter Oak, Iowa, on the third day of August, 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said town the question of erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant, and also the question of the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00) for electric light and power plant purposes, and to validate and legalize the proceedings of the town council had in relation to said special election preliminary to the holding thereof, and to legalize the ballots used at said spe-

cial election and to legalize the bonds to be issued in pursuance thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Frailey, Grout, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Robinson, Taylor, Wilson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Voorhees, House File No. 268, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks, with report of special committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor was called to the chair at 10:35 a. m.

Senator Doran moved that the time of the Senator from Wapello in speaking on this measure be extended.

Carried.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:50 a. m.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment to the amendment proposed by the special committee and moved its adoption: Amend by striking out Amendment No. Seventeen.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Amendment No. 2, on page 1305 of the Senate Journal, to House File No. 268, by eliminating from the fifth line of Amendment No. 2, fourth line of original amendment, the words "each year", so that said line will read: "clared or distributed or paid until there shall be written and"

Adopted.

The following amendments by the special committee, as amended, were adopted.

Amendment No. 1.—That section three (3), paragraph eight (8) of the original bill be amended by adding to same: "governing state and savings banks" so that when amended same shall read as follows:

"8th. That the private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from corporate liability, except to the extent and in the manner provided by the laws of the State of Iowa governing state and savings banks."

Amendment No. 2.—By inserting at the end of section four (4) the following:

SEC. 4-a. "Profits or dividends in any shape or form, shall not be directly or indirectly, over and above seven (7) per centum per annum be declared or distributed or paid until there shall be written and applied to and held in a surplus fund, an amount equal to and maintained at one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the stock issued."

Amendment No. 3.—In the first line of section six (6) strike out the word "corporation" and substitute therefor the word "stockholders".

Amendment No. 4.—In section 10, paragraph 1, at end of third line change the comma to a semi-colon and add: "provided that no loan shall be made for a greater amount than fifty (50) per cent of the value of the land including special assessments thereon".

Amendment No. 5.—To section 10 add as paragraph 8 the following:

8. "The bank shall not receive deposits, or engage in general banking business."

Amendment No. 6.—In section 12, paragraph 1, change the final period to a comma and add: "except as provided in section ten (10), paragraph one (1) of this act".

Amendment No. 7.—In section 12 strike out paragraph two (2) thereof and substitute the following:

"Each such mortgage shall be upon a fee simple title only, and no mortgage shall be accepted upon any undivided interest in or to the lands mortgaged".

Amendment No. 8.—In section 12, paragraph 4, line 3, strike out the words: "except upon the written approval of two-thirds (2-3) of the directors" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "unless the loan be recommended in writing by the farm land examiners to, and approved in writing by the auditor of state".

Amendment No. 9.—In section 14 strike out the first sentence and substitute therefor the following:

"The right of repayment in the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiple thereof on any interest paying date shall not be delayed beyond five (5) years from the date of the mortgage."

Amendment No. 10.—Strike out section 17 and substitute therefor the following:

"Any state farm mortgage bank may issue its bonds in such amounts, and for such a period of time and bearing such rate of interest as may be deemed advisable by the board of directors, subject to the approval of the auditor of state; provided that the average interest rate upon such bonds shall be at least one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of one (1) per cent per annum less than the average interest rate upon the mortgages securing such bonds; provided that the aggregate amount of all bonds maturing on or before any date shall not exceed the aggregate amount of all mortgages pledged to secure the payment of the same maturing before the same date. Such bonds shall be in denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), five hundred dollars (\$500.00), and one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), in such proportion as there may be demand for purchase of same; and as the directors may determine.

(2) Before said bonds may issue, they, together with the notes and mortgages securing payment of same, must first be submitted to the auditor of state, who shall keep a record thereof, and who shall certify, by endorsement upon each of said bonds, under seal of his office, that the issue of said bonds so certified is not in excess of the amount of the notes and mortgages deposited with him to secure payment of such bonds. The auditor of state shall collect from said bank an amount sufficient to cover the expense of such registration and certification. Any person issuing, or knowingly aiding in the issuance of any such bonds not so certified by the auditor of state, shall upon conviction be imprisoned in the state penitentiary for a period not exceeding five (5) years.

(3) Each state farm mortgage bank shall keep a register of such form as the auditor of state may require for the registration and transfer of bonds issued by it, which registration shall be open to the inspection of the auditor of state or any of his deputies or examiners."

Amendment No. 11.—In section 18, paragraph 3, line 5, after the word "shall" insert a comma and the following: "by himself or by a competent attorney at law of this state appointed by him in writing."

Amendment No. 12.—Add to section 18 after paragraph 3 the following as paragraph 4:

(4) "The auditor of state may loan such abstract of title for a reasonable limited length of time to responsible parties upon deposit with him of proper security."

Amendment No. 13.—In section 19, paragraph 2, line 7, strike out the words "or municipality" also by inserting in line 5, paragraph 2, between the words "sufficient" and "bonds" the words "cash or"

Amendment No. 14.—In section 19 at the end of paragraph 2 change period to a semi-colon and add the following: "and provided that first mortgages as required under the provision of this act shall be deposited in lieu of such securities within six (6) months after such temporary substitution."

Amendment No. 15.—In section 19 at the end of paragraph 2 add an additional paragraph the following:

“If at any time any mortgage pledged to the auditor of state, exceeds fifty (50) per cent of the value of the land mortgaged, the bank shall be required by the auditor of state to substitute in lieu thereof another mortgage or mortgages, the standard required by this act.”

Amendment No. 16.—At the end of section 21 change the final period to a comma and add the following: “and shall also be a legal investment for fire and life insurance companies and other corporations required to make deposit with the auditor of state to secure the right to do business in this state.”

Amendment No. 18.—To section 23 add the following:

“Each state farm mortgage bank shall be charged with and required to pay its pro rata share of the cost of such examination.”

Amendment No. 19.—In section 24, line 7, between the words “substitute” and “another” insert the following: “within thirty (30) days.”

Amendment No. 20.—In section 26, line 4 at the end of line strike out the following: “or upon judgments,”

Amendment No. 21.—In section 27, line 1, following the word “sections” insert eighteen fifty-six (1856).

Also section 27, line 2, after “one thousand three hundred twenty-two (1322)”, insert “one thousand three hundred twenty-two-one-a (1322-1-a), one thousand three hundred twenty-two-2-a (1322-2-a), one thousand three hundred twenty-two-three-a (1322-3-a).”

Amendment No. 22.—In section 28, paragraph 2, line 5, after word “mortgage” insert “note” and strike out the following portions of said paragraph 2 of section 28: “provided that no such endorsements shall be made if bonds of such bank outstanding are for a greater amount than the total amount of mortgages, cash and other securities of such bank held by the auditor of state.”

Amendment No. 23.—Strike out section 29 being publication clause.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 219 by adding at the end of Section 22 the following: “Providing such exemption from taxation shall apply each year, only when the owner of the farm on which the mortgage rests shall furnish satisfactory evidence that during the previous year he has added to the fertilization of said farm, in addition to the ordinary fertilization, fertilizer equal in value to the amount of the exemption from taxation on said mortgage, and if such showing shall not be made, the farm shall be taxed, in addition to the usual tax, the amount of such exemption.”

The amendment was lost.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by striking out all of Section No. twenty-two.

Adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 4 by adding after the word "dollars" and before the comma, in line 6, the following: "in cities having a population of ten thousand, and in cities or towns having a less population, not less than twenty-five thousand (\$25,000)dollars."

The amendment was lost.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. 23 by striking out the period from the end of said section as amended and adding the following: "and also the pro rata share of extra clerk hire and other expenses in the office of the auditor of state required by the operation of this act."

On the adoption of the amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor—15.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Francis, Greene, Grout, Larrabee, Parker, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—20.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Farr, Fleck, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Thompson, White of Benton—15.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 26 by inserting a comma (,) in place of the period after the word "on" in line 3 and by inserting after this comma the words "which shall cost not to exceed twenty-five (25) per cent of its paid-up capital."

Adopted.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by renumbering the sections following Section 21.

Adopted.

Senator Robinson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 18, paragraph 2, by inserting between the words "exceed the", the following: "95 per cent of".

Adopted.

Senator Voorhees moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Further consideration deferred.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which action on the resolution for the appointment of a sifting committee was deferred to Monday next.

J. A. WHITE.

Senator Enger moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of House File No. 268, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks.

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which House File No. 268 passed to its third reading.

Motion lost.

Rule 8 was invoked.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Kimball, Larrabee, Ream, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—20.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson—24.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Grout, Jackson, Laffer, Perkins, Savage—6.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion the Senate excused the Senator from Delaware from voting on this question.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

Land is valued for assessment at 50% or less of its sale value, and pays taxes on one quarter of the assessed value.

The land may be mortgaged for 50% of its value and the mortgage is released from taxation.

The owner can use the 50% cash for foreign loans at a higher interest, and obtain one or two per cent profit.

The owner can rent his land, and the tenant will have to pay him the highest rate of interest, and will have to pay tax on his full valuation on personal property. Hence, this is the landlords' bill.

ROBERT QUIGLEY.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for consideration of special order No. 2, on motion of Senator Thomas, House File No. 351, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter 13-b title IX supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds, and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee, with report of committee on appropriation recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved that the time of Senator Thomas in speaking on this measure be extended.

Carried.

Senator Foster moved the adoption of the following amendments proposed by the committee on appropriations.

Amend House File No. 351, by striking out all of said bill following the colon “(:)” at the end of line three (3) of Section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

If any person, including a corporation or association and the officers or agents thereof, alone or in common with others, having devised or intending to devise any scheme or artifice to defraud by the issuance, sale, promotion, negotiation or distribution of any stocks, bonds, notes, or other securities, shall, in executing such scheme or artifice or in attempting to do so, commit any overt act within the state, such person shall, upon conviction, be punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,000.00 or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such punishments, at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 2. Any dealer in securities including a corporation or association selling its own securities, and any officer or agent thereof, any promoter or other person acting with or for it, who, as principal or agent, shall promote by advertisement or by general or public offering, or through agents, the sale of any securities and shall knowingly make any representation of the existence of a fact tending to enhance the value of such securities or to induce the purchase thereof, without having knowledge or information sufficient to justify a belief in such fact, or, having knowledge of any fact adversely and materially affecting the value of any speculative securities so promoted who shall fraudulently conceal such fact in any prospectus of such securities or fraudulently conceal from any purchaser of such securities, for the purpose of inducing the purchase thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof be punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,000.00, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or by both such punishments, at the discretion of the Court.

On the adoption of these amendments a roll call was demanded. Senator Thomas invoked rule 8.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—18.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker Quigley, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Grout, Jackson, Laffer, Ream—5.

The amendments were lost.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Caswell, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Savage—8.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Farr, Fellows, Grout, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Ream, Schrup—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

I desire to explain my vote on House File No. 351, by Ring and Thomas, by saying that I am opposed to the creation of any more offices, commissions or departments in our state government than are absolutely necessary. House File No. 351 calls for the appointment of clerks and deputies to an unknown degree. The bill also, in my judgment, is likely to interfere with the organization and promotion of legitimate enterprises in this state.

G. L. CASWELL.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which House File No. 351 passed the Senate and that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Carried.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

House File No. 374. A bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, including cities under special charter and cities operating under the commission form of government, to provide for the collection of garbage, the establishment of sanitary districts, districts for street sprinkling, oiling, flushing and cleaning and the establishment and maintenance of garbage disposal plants.

Also:

House File No. 373. A bill for an act legalizing the proceedings of the Town Council of Lake Mills, Winnebago County, Iowa, in connection with the passing of ordinance No. 45 providing for the election of three Park Commissioners for said town and legalizing the special election held on July 7, 1913, for the purpose of submitting said ordinance to the voters of said town for their approval; and for legalizing the said ordinance, the appointment of the Park Commissioners by the Town Council in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914, and the acts and proceedings of said three Park Commissioners elected in 1914, in certifying taxes for said year and all taxes levied and collected or levied in pursuance of said ordinance, and for legalizing in general all acts and proceedings of the Town Council of said town in connection with said ordinance and all acts and proceedings had by the Park Commissioners appointed and elected in pursuance of said ordinance.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 147, a bill for an act to provide information which shall serve as a basis for legislative appropriations.

Also:

House File No. 8. A bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a-thirty-two (1056-a-32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, powers and duties of the civil service commissioners in certain cities.

Also:

House File No. 542. A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-six of the code relating to municipal bonds.

Also:

House File No. 469. A bill for an act to legalize and cure the acts and proceedings of the Independent Consolidated School District of New Providence, Hardin County, Iowa, preliminary to a certain bond issue voted September 5th, 1914, and to legalize and validate such bond issue.

Also:

House File No. 233. A bill for an act to repeal paragraph two (2) of section three hundred one (301) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the duties of the county attorney.

Also:

House File No. 596. A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-A (2692-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-C (2692-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of state agents and providing for compensation for same.

Also:

House File No. 361. A bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

House File No. 142. A bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred ninety-one (1391) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the collection of penalty or interest upon delinquent taxes.

Also:

House File No. 357. A bill for an act to amend section eighteen hundred seventy (1870), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the limit of liabilities to state and savings banks.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.**MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.**

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has refused to return House File No. 374 as requested by the Senate.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 12, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the code, relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 420, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, etc.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 421, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the prohibitory liquor law.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 422, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 423, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors, and providing the time when same shall go into effect.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 425, a bill for an act prohibiting the collection of or attempt to collect, or solicitation for, payment within this state, for intoxicating liquor sold or shipped within this state for illegal purposes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 427, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mullet tax, statement by citizens and enacting a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 266, a bill for an act to provide for the issuance of county bonds for highway improvement.

By unanimous consent, Senator Schrup withdrew the following amendment:

Amend by striking out all after the word "forthwith," in line 9 of Section 7; also by striking out all except the words "at the next general election," in line 7 of Section 7; and by striking out lines 8 and 9 in Section 7.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out from section 7 the following: "shall be submitted at a special election called therefor or same."

Adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Foster invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore—27.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Lindly, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—17.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Ream, White of Iowa—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Foskett moved that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to return to the House, House concurrent resolution relative to sine die adjournment.

Carried.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

On request of Senator Wilson, leave of absence was granted Senator Boe for the day.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President Harding announced that as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 233, 596, 147, 542, 8, 357, 373, 142, 361, 374, and 469.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Heald, House File No. 330, a bill for an act to amend section 2682-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Education and the Finance Committee of said Board of Education, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—35.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Farr, Fleck, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Savage, White of Iowa, Whitmore—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 24, a bill for an act making an appropriation to reimburse J. M. Tannehill, an employe of the Iowa School for Deaf, for loss of wages and expenses incurred by reason of an injury sustained in connection with his employment at said school on the 31st day of December, 1912, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendment :

Amend by striking out in line three in section one (1) the words and figures "nine hundred sixty-nine (\$969.00)" and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Seven hundred twenty dollars (\$720.00)".

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster,

Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Ream, White of Iowa—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 44, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twenty (254-a20) of the supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter thirty-one (31) of the acts of the thirty-fifth General Assembly, providing for the maintenance of dependent children whose mothers are widows, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Strike out of all said bill preceding the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 254a20 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the maintenance of dependent children whose mothers are widows and providing for reports and certain records."

Also amend section 1 of the original bill by striking therefrom lines 1 to 5 inclusive and substituting therefor the following:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section 254-a20 of the supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following: "Also amend by striking out the word and figure, "section 2";

Amendment lost.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause in Senate File No. 44 and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Section Two hundred Fifty-four-a 18 (254-a 18), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking from said section the semi-colon “;” following the word “court” in the third line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof a period “.”. And by striking from said section beginning with the word “said” in the third line, and ending with the word “court” in the fourth line, the following words: “said probation officers to receive no compensation from the public treasury; provided, however, that the district court”, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: “In any County of this State having a population of less than fifty thousand, the court may designate and appoint one probation officer having the qualifications of probation officers, as herein stipulated, and who shall receive a compensation to be fixed by the court not to exceed Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) a month; and”

SECTION 2. That Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a 20 (254-a 20), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “widow” in the tenth line thereof the following: “and that she has been a citizen of the United States for at least three years prior to the filing of her application for assistance and has been a bona fide resident of the county where application is made, for at least eighteen months prior to the filing of such application”.

Also, by adding to said section, the following:

“The County Board of Supervisors in each County of the State shall report quarterly to the State Board of Control all allowances and expenditures made for each dependent, under this act, upon such forms as the State Board of Control shall prescribe. And the said County Board of Supervisors shall, within thirty days after the close of each year, file with said court a report showing the name, age, and residence of each person to whom such aid has been allowed or paid, and the amount thereof, and the amount or kind of other public poor relief extended; together with the recommendation of said Board of Supervisors as to termination, increase or decrease of allowances so made by said court. If any changes are recommended, said court shall require the County Attorney or Probation officer, to make such investigation as is desired by the court, and to report thereon. And upon the filing of such recommendation and report, the court may, in its discretion, have a hearing and make such order as may be deemed advisable and just.”

Adopted.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Section 2 by striking out the words “has been”, in the fifth line of Section 2, and by striking out, after the word “made”, in the sixth line, the words “for at least eighteen months prior to the filing of such application.”

Amendment lost.

Senator Kimball moved that further consideration be deferred until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Motion lost.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to strike all of Section 2 beginning with the word that in line 1, down to and including the word application in line 7 of the printed substitute and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 2. That Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a 20 (254-a-20), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "widow" in the tenth line thereof the following "And that she is a bona fide resident of the county where application is made and has been for a period of one year".

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:;

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Grout, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, White of Benton, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 44 and moved its adoption:

Amend title to Senate File No. 44 by striking out the present title and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend the Law as it appears in Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a 18 (254-a-18), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relative to the Appointment and Compensation of Probation Officers in Counties of Less Than Fifty Thousand (50,000) Population, Also Amending Section Two Hundred Fifty-four-a 20 (254-a 20), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relative to Length of Time Widows Shall Reside in County and State in Order to Receive Compensation Under the Law, and Relative to the Maintenance of Dependent Children whose Mothers are Widows, and Providing for Reports and Records.

Adopted.

This bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended, was agreed to.

COMMITTEE REQUESTED TO REPORT.

Senator Heald raised the point of order that the committee on agriculture had received House File No. 369 on the tenth day of March and under the rule it had been in the possession of the committee more than fifteen days.

The President held that the point was well taken and the committee was instructed to return the bill to the Senate on the following day.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Taylor moved that a committee of three (3) be appointed by the President to prepare and submit suitable resolution to commemorate the life, character and services to the state of Senator B. R. Vail, of Van Buren county.

Carried.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Taylor, Chase and White of Iowa.

On request of Senator Clarkson leave of absence was granted Senator White of Benton for Wednesday, April 7th.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now go into Executive Session.

Carried.

Senate went into Executive Session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

On motion and roll call the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of Albert M. Deyoe, as Superintendent of Public Instruction.

On motion and roll call the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of Ole O. Roe as State Fire Marshal.

On motion and roll call the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of Edward P. Schoentgen as member of the State Board of Education for the term beginning July 1, 1915.

On motion and roll call the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of William Dennis as a member of the Board of Parole for the term beginning July 1, 1915.

On motion and roll call the Senate advised and consented to the appointment of Hon. Paul E. Stillman as member of the State Board of Education for the term beginning July 1, 1915.

Senate arose from executive session.

Senate resumed regular session.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 7, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Emil H. Rausch, Pastor of St. Paul's Evan. Luth. Church, Waverly, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Thompson presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Allen presented a petition of citizens of Pocahontas, Buena Vista and Humboldt counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Hilsinger presented a petition of citizens of Jackson county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator White presented a petition of citizens of Johnson county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator White presented a remonstrance of citizens of Johnson county, against the passage of any bill to close the present quail shooting season.

Referred to committee on fish and game.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of members of the Lowden Poultry Association, favoring passage of Senate File No. 261, relative to poultry raising.

Referred to committee on agriculture.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Cedar county, favoring passage of a bill regulating the practice of chiropractic.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Voorhees presented a petition of citizens of Shelby county, favoring passage of a bill regulating the practice of chiropractic.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Sheean presented a petition of citizens of Jones county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Helmer presented a petition of citizens of Carroll and Greene counties, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Lee county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Enger presented a petition of citizens of Howard county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Voorhees presented a remonstrance of citizens of Shelby county, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Cherokee county, urging the enactment of a law limiting the length of freight trains to one-half mile.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, urging passage of the semi-monthly pay bill and other railroad bills.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Gillette presented a petition of citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, urging that the exemption laws of the state of Iowa be not changed.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Crawford county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has refused to concur in Senate amendments to House File No. 283, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 16, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 12, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 61, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 116, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 594, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 126, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, making any person found to be a bootlegger guilty of committing a misdemeanor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 483, a bill for an act to repeal section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756), of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor defining the crime of rape and providing a penalty therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 504, a bill for an act creating the State Board of Audit and defining its powers and duties.

Read first and second time.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Perkins, House File No. 504, a bill for an act creating the State Board of Audit and defining its powers and duties, was taken up and considered.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read the second and third times on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nyc, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, Senator Perkins withdrew Senate File No. 416 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 407, a bill for an act authorizing the use of photographic processes in the making and copying of public records in the public offices of this state, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding the following to section 1: "Provided that no county officer having charge of any record shall use such photographic process without the order and direction of the Board of Supervisors, neither shall any officer of the state having charge of any public record use such process for the purpose herein described, except under the order and direction of the Executive Council."

Senator Crist offered the following amendment as a substitute for the amendment offered by Senator Wilson and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 407 by striking out of lines two and three of section one of the printed bill the following: "the officials having charge of the making of said records", and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the Board of Supervisors".

Adopted.

The amendment as substituted was adopted.

Senator Hagemann offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding to said bill the following: "Nothing herein shall be construed as prohibiting or discouraging the use of the typewriter in recording instruments."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 10:15 a. m.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore—23,

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—17.

Absent or not voting:

Darrah, Foskett, Foster, Grout, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton—10.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

Senator Gillette raised the point of order that no senator, under the rules, if not present when the roll is called, is permitted to vote.

Point of order withdrawn.

Senator Hagemann moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 407 failed to pass the Senate and that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Senator Clarkson asked for a division of the motion to reconsider and lay on the table.

Senator Wilson raised the point of order that the motion to reconsider and lay on the table was not debatable.

The Chair held the point well taken.

The Chair held the motion by Senator Hagemann not divisible.

Senator Perkins moved to amend the motion by Senator Hagemann by voting upon the question of reconsideration by itself.

The Chair held the motion not in order.

On the motion of Senator Hagemann, a roll call was demanded.
Senator Whitmore invoked rule 8.

The ayes were:

Chase, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, White of Iowa, Wilson—18.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Enger, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Kimball, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore—26.

Absent or not voting:

Darraha, Foskett, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, White of Benton—6.

The motion was lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 438, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand two hundred twenty-seven (4227), chapter four-A (4-A) of title twenty-one (21), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a paragraph providing for payment of costs and expenses of restoring missing public records, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Savage, White of Benton, Wilson—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thomas, House File No. 57, a bill for an act to regulate common carriers and fix liability as common carriers, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Darrah, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Savage, White of Benton—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILES WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Voorhees withdrew Senate File No. 219 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Senator Thomas withdrew Senate File No. 247 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator White of Iowa, House File No. 206, a bill for an act to establish a board of accountancy, to provide for

granting certificates to those public accountants who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator White of Iowa moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Eversmeyer, Enger, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Fellows, Lindly, Perkins—5.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Allen withdrew Senate File No. 485 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Caswell, House File No. 336, a bill for an act to amend section 751 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to streets and public grounds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Greene—3.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Robinson, House File No. 352, a bill for an act to repeal chapter 40, acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, and in lieu thereof to authorize the Board of Supervisors of each county to make provision for the segregation, care and support of indigent persons afflicted with tuberculosis, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Robinson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting after the word "that", in line three (3) of section three (3), the words, "in counties of 67,000 or over, population, a sume not to exceed \$15,000,"

Amend by inserting after the word "population", in the fourth line of section three (3), the following: "and less than 67,000."

Adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lind-

ly, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were :

Doran, Jackson—2.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Foskett, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Larabee, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, House File No. 303, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to funds of cities and towns and to authorize cities and towns to transfer moneys from one fund to another by permission of court, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend House File No. 303 by adding to Section 1 the following:

“Provided further that said transfer and resolution are approved by the judge of the district court of the county in which the city or town is situated, after a hearing had on a day to be fixed by him for the hearing of the same, after the publication in one or more newspapers published in the said city or town or posted in a conspicuous place on the streets of said city five days or more prior to such hearing, which notice shall be addressed generally to the tax payers of said city or town and shall recite the substance of the proposed transfer, the amount thereof, the reason for same and the time when objections to such transfer will be heard. Proof of publication shall be made as in case of original notices and the order of said district judge shall be endorsed on the original resolution and entered of record in the minute book as a part of said resolution.”

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by changing the word “five” in line nine of the printed bill to “fifteen”.

Adopted.

Amendment as amended was adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Whitmore, Wilson—15.

The nays were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Thomas, Thompson—18.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Darrah, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Grout, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Robinson, Senate File No. 555, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r1 (1400-r1), and section fourteen hundred-r2 (1400-r2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and State Colony for Epileptics, was taken up and considered.

Further consideration deferred.

President Harding resumed the chair at 11:55 a. m.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Doran from the committee on agriculture, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred House File No. 128, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of a department of bee keeping in the division of agriculture in the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts (additional to chapter four (4) of title thirteen (XIII) of the code relating to the Iowa College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts), beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be sent to the appropriation committee with the recommendation that the same do pass.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred House File No. 369, a bill for an act to create a bureau of poultry as a branch of the department of agriculture, to provide for the organization thereof and making an appropriation therefor, and to amend sections sixteen hundred fifty-seven-b and sixteen hundred fifty-seven-k, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be sent to the appropriation committee with the recommendation that the same do pass.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 67, a bill for an act to impose a tax on dogs for the protection of horses, cattle, sheep, swine, other live stock and domestic fowls, defining the duty of owners of dogs with reference thereto, providing penalties for the violation of this act, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out Section 23, and by renumbering the following sections.

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on agriculture, to whom was referred Senate File No. 286, a bill for an act to encourage corn and small grain growing in the state of Iowa and to aid in conducting an exposition and convention of the grain growers of the state and to make an appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be sent to the appropriation committee with the recommendation that the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend Section three (3) in the fifth (5) line thereof by changing the period (.) to a comma (,) and adding the following: "who shall serve without compensation".

Amend Section Six (6) in the fourth (4th) line by changing the word "five" to the word "three" and in the sixth (6th) line by changing the figure "5" to the figure "3".

J. R. DORAN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Doran, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations to whom was referred Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend section 3009-a to 3009-r, supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the Dairy and Food Commissioners; and repealing sections 3029-a, 3029-b, 3029-c and 3029-d, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By inserting after (3029-d) in line 8 of the title the following:

"Supplement to the Code, 1913." Further amend by striking out Section 1 and renumbering the other sections as follows: Section 2 to be numbered section 1; section 3 to be numbered section 2; section 4 to be numbered section 3, Section 5 be numbered section 4, section 6 be numbered section 5 and section 7 to be numbered section 6.

Further amend by striking out section 8.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations to whom was referred House File No. 371, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2715, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the support of the industrial school for boys at Eldora, beg leave to report they have had

the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By inserting the word "two" between the words "sixty" and "hundred" in line three of section two, and further amend by striking out Section 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa."

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations to whom was referred Senate File No. 137, a bill for an act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a board of examiners for the licensing of persons to carry on such practice, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of barber shops, schools and colleges in which the occupation of barbering is taught and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases through such occupations, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Senator Parker moved that Senate File No. 137 be placed on the calendar.

Carried.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations to whom was referred House File No. 366, a bill for an act to establish an industrial reformatory for women, to make appropriations therefor, to provide for the commitment of females to said reformatory, to provide for the removal of female convicts at Anamosa to said reformatory, to provide for the transfer of inmates to and from the industrial school for girls and repealing the law as it appears in chapter 8-a of title XIII, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to an industrial reformatory for females, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 407 failed to pass the Senate.

D. C. CHASE.

Senator Wilson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

The Journals of April 5th and 6th were taken up, corrected and approved.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 555, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r 1 (1400-r 1), and section fourteen hundred-r 2 (1400-r 2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and State Colony for Epileptics.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 1 of the bill by striking out all down to the words "There is hereby appropriated", first appearing in said section, and substituting therefor the following: "That the law as it appears in sections fourteen hundred-r one (1400-r 1) and fourteen hundred-r two (1400-r2), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and that section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out all after the word "thereafter", in the fourteenth line of said section, and substituting therefor the following: "the money realized from such levies shall be held by the treasurer of state for application upon all or any portion of the appropriation hereinafter made when the same are used,

and any portion of the said money realized from such levies in excess of the appropriations herein made shall be held and applied upon future appropriations for the purposes herein stated."

On the adoption of the amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Farr, Heald, Kimball, Perkins, Sheean, Taylor—6.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

Absent or not voting:

Foskett, Frailey, Grout, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Thomas, White of Benton—8.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Robinson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 555, by striking out the words "for addition to the main building" in the second and third lines of Section 9 of the original bill, and by striking out the word "boys" in line three (3) of section 9 of the original bill and adding in lieu thereof the words "boys' custodial building."

Adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

Sheean—1.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Jackson, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton—5.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 96, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred ninety-four (2794) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of independent school districts.

Also:

House File No. 277. A bill for an act to grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) or over, and organized under title five (5), chapter fourteen (14), of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission in such cities the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines and inside the curb lines and upon the public streets, to determine the location of permanent sidewalks and to assume charge, custody and control of all trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass and the planting and maintenance thereof on the public streets; and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof. Additional to chapter fourteen (14), title five (5) of the code.

Also:

House File No. 271. A bill for an act empowering and directing the Governor and Secretary of State to execute quit claim deeds conveying all of the right, title, and interest of the state of Iowa in and to the the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) and the southwest quarter (SW 1-4) of the southeast quarter (SE 1-4) of section twenty (20), township seventy-nine (79), range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth P. M., Polk County, Iowa, to the successors in title of Nathaniel Rockhold and Reuben B. Ellis.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 13, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand sixty-one (1061) of the code providing for proclamation of general election by the governor of the state.

Also:

House File No. 219, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred sixty (360), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the acceptance of a guaranty company as surety.

Also:

House File No. 239, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to county official papers.

Also:

House File No. 385, a bill for an act to legalize the conveyance of certain real estate made to Right Rev. John Hennessy Bishop of Diocese of Dubuque.

Also:

House File No. 72, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the destruction of weeds.

Also:

House File No. 152, a bill for an act to repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-fifty-two-a (1989-a 52-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Ream, House File No. 315, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-five hundred thirty-nine (3539) of the code, relative to the bringing of actions against unknown defendants, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Ream moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Senator Perkins offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the substitute for House File No. 315 by striking out the period (.) after the word "repealed" at the end thereof and inserting thereafter the following:

The clerk of the court where action is brought against unknown defendants shall designate the paper in which original notice shall be published."

Senator Ream moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigmaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore—37.

The nays were:

Clarkson, Doran—2.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Foster, Hagemann, Larrabee, Quigley, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Wilson—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 325, a bill for an act providing for the protection and safety of persons employed in or being about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts, and other structures, providing means for the enforcement of said act, for recovery of damages by persons injured by a failure to comply with its provisions and providing penalties for violations of provisions, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 2:35 p. m.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Balkema, Caswell, Fellows, Foster, Grout, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye—9.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Darrah, Foskett, Francis, Jones, Laffer, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 415, a bill for an act to provide for the relief of persons confined in the penitentiaries of the state whose innocence has been discovered and established after conviction.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 425, a bill for an act to legalize and validate all assessments of property for taxation made prior to January first, 1915, where the assessor has failed to attach his oath to the assessment roll as required by section 1365 of the code, and all taxes levied under and by virtue of such assessment.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 511, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the Board of Supervisors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two-b (2-b) title fourteen (XIV) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to drainage, sale, and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds, and to provide for an examination and classification of said lakes and a report thereon to the next General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 3, a bill for an act to punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a-2 (254-a-2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 534, a bill for an act to amend section 228 of the code relating to terms of the district court, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Frailey moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Darra, Farr, Fleck, Laffer, Savage, White of Benton—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 429, a bill for an act relating to the receiving and giving of tips or gratuities, and providing a penalty therefor, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend the pending bill by adding the following as section 3 :

Any person who shall knowingly permit a violation of this act in any place under his control or who shall fail to keep conspicuously posted in every said place under his control a notice bearing the words "No tipping allowed" shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and be punished as provided in section 1.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by striking out the words "or of any public service corporation engaged in the transportation of passengers", in the first section.

Amendment lost.

Senator Gillette offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File No. 429 by striking out the word "receive" in line three of Section 1 of the printed bill and substitute therefor the word "accept".

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the word "passengers" in line 3 of the printed bill the words "in this state".

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—28.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson—14.

Absent or not voting:

Darraha, Eversmeyer, Laffer, Savage, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—8.

Senator Hagemann offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by striking out the word "receiving" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "accepting".

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

Senator Hagemann moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 429 passed the Senate be reconsidered and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 488, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File 488 by inserting between the words "sell" and "the" in line 8 of the bill the following: "Any interest the county may have in".

Adopted.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 488 by adding thereto the following: "Nothing in this act shall affect any pending litigation."

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Francis, Grout, Laffer, Nye, Savage, Voorhees, White of Benton—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 386, a bill for an act to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the

code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the State Penitentiaries, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

President Harding resumed the chair at 3:30 p. m.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding after the word "convicts" in line 3 of section 2 the words "in the state of Iowa".

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Farr, Foster, Francis, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 333, a bill for an act to amend chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability and workman's compensation, repealing section 2477-m-9 and subdivision thereof and inserting a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

Senator Perkins moved the time of Senator Clarkson in speaking on this measure be extended.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

On the question, "Shall the time be extended?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Lindly, Perkins, Ream, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore—20.

The nays were:

Arney, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foster, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Quigley, Wilson—14.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Clarkson, Darrah, Foskett, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—16.

Motion prevailed.

On the motion to adopt the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Chase invoked rule. 8.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Voorhees—19.

The nays were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Farr, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Nye, Ream, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Darrah, Foskett, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—18.

The report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Heald moved that further consideration of Senate File No. 333 be deferred until Thursday, at 2 p. m. and that it be made a special order for that time.

Motion lost.

Senator Perkins offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to substitute for Section 1 of Senate File No. 333 the following:

SECTION 1. The law as the same appears in sub-division (b) Section Twenty-four Hundred Seventy-seven-m 9 (2477-m 9), Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The employer shall promptly provide for an injured employee such medical, surgical and hospital services, medicines, crutches and apparatus as may be required or be requested by the employee or someone for him during four (4) weeks after the injury and not exceeding in value the sum of One Hundred Twenty-five (\$125.00) Dollars. If the employer fails to provide the same, the injured employee may do so at the expense of the employer. The employee shall not be entitled to recover any amount expended for him for such services or supplies unless the employer shall have refused or neglected to furnish the same.

Amendment lost.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding the following as Section 26:

"The compensation hereby granted injured workmen over and above the compensation provided in Section 2477-m 9 shall be paid by the State of Iowa out of any funds not otherwise appropriated."

Amendment lost.

Senator Gillette offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 333 by striking out section 1 thereof and renumbering the remaining sections of the bill to conform therewith.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move the following as an amendment to the pending bill as additional sections:

That the law as the same appears in section 2477-m 41, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Every employer subject to the provisions of this act who has not rejected the terms and provisions thereof in the manner and form as by

Chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, provided, shall insure his liability in some association, organization or corporation authorized to engage in casualty insurance business in this State, unless such employer be and is exempted therefrom within the provisions of Section 2477-m 49 supplement to the code, 1913.

If such employer fails, refuses or neglects to provide such insurance and an employe of such employer sustains an injury while in the course of employment, such employer shall be liable to such employe for damages sustained by such employe within and by the terms of sub-division "c" and sub-divisions 1, 2, 3 and 4 of sub-division "c" of Section 2477-m, supplement to the code, 1913. If an employe recovers damages in such case, such employer, in addition thereto, shall pay a reasonable attorney's fee to such employe to be taxed as a part of the costs in the case, the amount thereof to be fixed by the presiding judge.

Senator Frailey moved that further consideration of this measure be deferred until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 450, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand ninety-one-c (2091-c) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of districts and the voting of taxes to construct any trolley, or electrified railroad, or to electrify any steam railroad, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Kimball, Perkins, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—22.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Thompson, White of Iowa—15.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Darrah, Foskett, Foster, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton, Whitmore—13.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Perkins, House File No. 136, a bill for an act authorizing the board of health to isolate cases of whooping cough, measles, mumps or chickenpox, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Perkins invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa—28.

The nays were:

Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Quigley, Ream, Thompson, Wilson—12.

Absent or not voting:

Darrah, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Robinson, Savage, White of Benton, Whitmore—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION RELATIVE TO A SIFTING COMMITTEE.

Senator White of Iowa called up for consideration the motion filed by him on April 6th to reconsider the vote by which the consideration of the resolution for a sifting committee was deferred to Monday, April 12th.

On the adoption of the motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—22.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Taylor—16.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Crist, Eversmeyer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, White of Benton, Whitmore—12.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Kimball moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Motion lost.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the resolution.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting after the words "Senate Calendar" the words "and bills reported by the committee on Retrenchment and Reform".

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the resolution by substituting for Thursday, April 8, Friday, April 9th.

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the resolution by striking out the words "Wednesday, April 7, 1915," where the same first appears and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "Thursday, April 8th, 1915."

Adopted.

The resolution as amended was adopted.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President Harding announced that as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 271, 96, 277, 13, 219, 72, 152, 385 and 239.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Darrah, from the committee on elections, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred House File No. 1, a bill for an act to repeal the non-partisan judiciary law as the same appears in chapters 2-b, title 6, supplement to the code, 1913, and to restore the previous law relating to the nomination and election of judges of the supreme, district and superior courts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Senator Darrah moved that House File No. 1 be placed on the calendar.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Helmer, Henigbaun, Jackson, Larrabee, Perkins, Robinson, Thomas, Wilson—21.

The nays were:

Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—23.

Absent or not voting:

Foster, Jones, Laffer, Parker, White of Benton, Whitmore—6.

Motion lost.

Senator Helmer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Motion lost.

Senator Gillette moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the adoption of the report of the committee a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—29.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Enger, Foskett, Francis, Helmer, Jackson, Larrabee, Perkins, Robinson, Wilson—13.

Absent or not voting:

Foster, Frailey, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—8.

Report adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred House Joint Resolution No. 8, joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section 7 of article 2 of said constitution, and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported out of the committee without recommendation.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred Senate File No. 599, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 104, acts of the 35th General Assembly of the state of Iowa, relating to the non-partisan nomination and election of the judges of the supreme, district and superior courts of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred Senate File No. 191, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections 410, 411, 416 of the supplement to the code, 1913, and in sections 417 and 418 of the code; and to enact a substitute therefor re-

lating to the elections, duties and terms of office of county supervisors, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred House File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend sections 1087-a-5, 1076, and 1093, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judges and clerks of election, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on elections, to whom was referred Senate File No. 113, a bill for an act to amend section 1099 of the code and sections 1106, 1150, 1151, 1157 and 1173 of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the election of presidential electors and of vote therefor and removal of the names from the official ballot, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

That Section 2 of the bill be amended by adding thereto the following:—
And by striking out in said Section 1106 “the form of ballot” after the words “said ballot shall be substantially in the following form” and substituting therefor the following:—

REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRATIC
<input type="checkbox"/> { For President Aaron Bailey	<input type="checkbox"/> { For President John Bemis
<input type="checkbox"/> { For Vice President Wm. Mitchell	<input type="checkbox"/> { For Vice President A. L. Anderson
<input type="checkbox"/> For U. S. Senator Arthur Jones	<input type="checkbox"/> For U. S. Senator Samuel Morris
<input type="checkbox"/> For Governor Allen Bowen of _____ county	<input type="checkbox"/> For Governor George Hammil of _____ county
<input type="checkbox"/> For Lieutenant Governor Charles Dallas of _____ county	<input type="checkbox"/> For Lieutenant Governor Isaac Jones of _____ county
<input type="checkbox"/> For Judge of Supreme Court Edward Farr of _____ county	<input type="checkbox"/> For Judge of Supreme Court James Lane of _____ county

PROHIBITION

UNION LABOR

- { For President
Mitchell Cooley
- { For Vice President
Chas. E. Chase
- For U. S. Senator
Jacob Evans
- For Governor
Martin Newlan
of _____ county
- For Lieutenant Governor
Oscar Prouty
of _____ county
- For Judge of
Supreme Court
Robert Mills
of _____ county

- { For President
A. L. Holt
- { For Vice President
Silas Wigg
- For U. S. Senator
Wm. Start
- For Governor
Samuel Tilden
of _____ county
- For Lieutenant Governor
Eugene Vance
of _____ county
- For Judge of
Supreme Court
Willard Marr
of _____ county

That the bill be amended by adding thereto Section 7 as follows: That Section 1119 of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting after the word "vote" and before the words "the voter" in line three (3) of the said section the following:— But in voting for the candidates for electors of president and vice president he shall vote for the same by placing a cross in the square opposite the names of candidates for president and vice president of the party or group of petitioners of which the electors for whom he desires to vote are candidates.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Crist filed the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 23 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The Board of Railroad Commissioners of this state shall have general supervision and regulation of, and jurisdiction and control over all telephone companies furnishing any telephone service within this state, and including the operation of all conveniences, appliances, instrumentalities or equipment utilized in connection therewith or appertaining thereto, and including all corporations, companies, persons, associations, trustees, lessees, and receivers, owning or having any interest in any such telephone company or any right appertaining thereto, for the purpose of prescribing and establishing joint service, as in this act provided, between any such telephone companies maintaining a switching station or telephone exchange office in the same city or town within this state, and of fixing and determining the terms and condi-

tions under which the same shall be rendered and the rates and tolls which may be charged therefor, and for the purpose of enforcing and carrying into effect all of the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. Upon the written application of twenty-five patrons of any telephone company or upon the written application of the representatives of any telephone company operating in whole or in part within this state, the said Board of Railroad Commissioners shall upon notice to the interested parties and hearing upon said application by order require such telephone companies maintaining a switching station or telephone exchange office in the same city or town within this state to establish a joint service, and shall fix the rates or tolls which may be charged therefor, and the terms and conditions under which such joint service shall be rendered and the rates or tolls paid. In case such joint service is not established as ordered by the said board, then the said board shall establish the same and shall make such physical connections between such telephone companies as may be necessary to carry into effect any such order, and said board shall proportion the cost thereof between such telephone companies and require them to make payment thereof and in case such costs are not paid suit may be brought to recover the same by said board in the district court of Iowa. All orders or requirements of said board for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act shall be served upon the interested parties in the same manner in which original notices are served.

SEC. 3. The words "joint service" as used in this act shall mean among other things adequate telephone service between the patrons of one telephone company and the patrons of another telephone company. The words "physical connections" as used in this act mean such number of trunk lines or complete wire circuits and connections as may be required to furnish adequate telephone service between such telephone companies. The words "telephone company or telephone companies" as used in this act shall embrace all persons, firms, corporations or other organizations engaged in the business of furnishing means of communication by telephone within the state of Iowa.

SEC. 4. Every telephone company having conduits, subways, poles or other equipment on, over or under any street or highway shall, for a reasonable compensation and upon such terms and conditions as the said board shall prescribe and order for the purposes set forth in this act, permit the use of the same by any other telephone company, whenever, in the judgment of the said board, public convenience and necessity require such use, and when such use will not result in irreparable or serious injury or damage to the telephone company owning such conduits, subways, poles or equipment, nor in any substantial detriment to the service to be rendered or supply furnished by such public utility.

SEC. 5. No such telephone company shall, directly or indirectly, by any special rate, rebate, drawback, or other device or method, charge, demand, collect, or receive from any person or corporation a greater or less compensation for any services rendered or to be rendered than it charges, demands, collects or receives from any other person or corporation for rendering or furnishing a like and contemporaneous service under substantially similar circumstances and conditions.

No such telephone company shall, directly or indirectly, make or give any preference or advantage to or in favor of any person, corporation or locality, or to any particular description of traffic or service in any respect whatever, or subject any person, corporation or locality or any particular description of traffic, service or supply to any prejudice or disadvantage in any respect whatsoever.

Sec. 6. Any telephone company or its officer or agent who shall violate any order or requirement of the Board of Railroad Commissioners authorized by this act, or who shall fail or neglect to comply therewith upon conviction thereof shall be liable to a fine in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, and to imprisonment not exceeding sixty days in jail.

Sec. 7. This act is deemed and hereby declared to be of immediate public importance, and shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the "Register and Leader," and the "Des Moines News," newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Clarkson filed the following amendments to Senate File No. 333:

That the law as the same appears in Sec. 2477-m 47, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

Any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of furnishing liability, indemnity or casualty insurance shall present any and all proposed rates charged or to be charged for such insurance to the Insurance Commissioner for approval, who shall examine and approve the same if found fair, reasonable and adequate. The Insurance Commissioner is hereby empowered to suspend any insurance rate approved by him upon giving reasonable notice thereof, stating the reasons therefor. Whereupon, such person, firm or corporation shall, if the rate be suspended, show cause why the approval of such rate should not be withdrawn. If an approval of a rate of insurance has been withdrawn by the Insurance Commissioner, the person, firm, association or corporation, before selling or offering for sale any such insurance or policy of insurance, shall file with the Insurance Commissioner a new rate and approval thereof, obtained from the commissioner, before such person, firm, association or corporation shall be entitled to sell the same directly or indirectly.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation to sell or offer for sale any insurance or policy of insurance contemplated by this act until approved by the Commissioner of Insurance.

Any person, firm, association or corporation violating the provisions of this act relating to the selling of insurance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

SECTION 3. The Insurance Commissioner is hereby empowered to suspend any insurance rate approved by him upon giving reasonable notice thereof. Whereupon, such person, firm or corporation shall file with

the Insurance Commissioner a new rate which shall be fair, reasonable and adequate.

SEC. 4. Where an employer affected by the law, chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, and acts amendatory thereof, rejects the act in accordance with the form and manner therein provided, any policy of insurance issued to or in favor of such employer by any insurance association shall contain among other conditions required by law, the following terms and conditions:

"The (insert name of obliger issuing the policy) hereinafter called the company, in consideration of the premiums set forth in the schedule, together with the covenants herein contained, does hereby agree to indemnify the person, firm, association or corporation hereinafter named, or the legal representatives of such person deceased, or the receiver or other person appointed by any court to take charge or control of the property or business of the person, firm, association or corporation hereinafter named, herein called the assured, against loss from liability adjudicated by any court of competent jurisdiction, and said company agrees to pay in full with costs and interest, any and all amounts due or that may be finally adjudicated as due such employe under such claims."

In an action brought by an employe of such employer, or when the action is brought by one entitled to bring an action to recover damages for personal injury sustained, the party plaintiff shall have the right to join the person, firm, association, corporation or company issuing such policy of insurance as a party defendant, and the judgment, if the verdict be for plaintiff, shall be entered against both the principal defendant and the company for the full amount thereof.

Any person, firm, association or corporation in this state authorized to issue policies of insurance to indemnify an employer against loss for injury sustained by an employe of such employer, such person, firm, association or corporation shall submit to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Iowa, its form of policy for approval, who shall reject the same unless the policy contains without limitation or qualification the provisions provided for as contemplated by this act, with reference to policies of insurance issued to employers who reject the terms and provisions of this act; and any person, firm, association or corporation issuing or adding and assisting in issuing a policy of insurance not having been approved by such commissioner shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than five hundred (\$500) dollars nor more than one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, and shall operate as a forfeiture of the right to transact such business in this state and the privilege theretofore granted shall be revoked and cancelled.

Senator Farr filed the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 333 by striking out the words "twelve dollars and fifty cents," in each place where they occur in the bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten dollars."

Also, amend by adding at the end of section 23 the following: Provided that the weekly indemnity shall not in any case exceed ten dollars, and that in any case where the weekly indemnity shall be less than \$8.00, seventy per cent of the weekly wages shall be allowed as indemnity.

Also, amend by striking out the word "thirty," in the seventh line of section 4, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixty."

Senator Gillette filed the following amendment to Senate File No. 333:

Amend Senate File No. 333 by striking therefrom the capital letters wherever they appear descriptive of a subdivision of section 2477-m 9, supplement to the code, 1913, and substituting in lieu thereof the appropriate and corresponding lower case letters.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 504 passed the Senate.

L. E. FRANCIS.

Senator Kimball moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 8, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Edward F. Jorden, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Shenandoah, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Perkins presented petitions of citizens of Buchanan county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Greene presented a petition of citizens of Clinton county, favoring passage of the bill regulating the practice of chiropractic.

Referred to committee on public health.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Van Buren county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Fellows presented petitions of citizens of Fayette county, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 467, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation, acts and proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company, of Keokuk, Lee county, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145), one hundred forty-six (146) and one hundred fifty-four (154) of the code relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147) of the code and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-16 (2215-f-16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 479, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 353, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the inspection of petroleum as the same appears in chapter eleven (11), title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, and making an annual appropriation for the oil inspection department.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 609, a bill for an act to provide for the visitation of private and public hospitals, reformatory home, house of detention, sectarian seminaries, asylums, or other institutions which receive patients, pupils or other inmates, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 476, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-eight (1528), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes by township trustees.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 270, a bill for an act to repeal section five hundred ten-a (510-a) and five hundred ten-b (510-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, relating to the compensation to be paid sheriffs and providing for the appointment of deputy sheriffs and for the fixing of the salary thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 516, a bill for an act relative to the issuance of policies of fire insurance, prohibiting false or misleading representations by advertisements, and providing a penalty for its violation.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 475, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred four (1304), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of certain property from taxation.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 458, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 173, a bill for an act for the relief of Carl Persing, a student and employe of the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Committee on Fish and Game, Senate File No. 621, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the trapping and hunting of animals, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred fifty-three (2553) of the code and section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a one (2563-a1), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By Committee on Fish and Game, Senate File No. 622, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the protection of game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File Number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the Acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By Committee on Fish and Game, Senate File No. 623, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a 4 (2563-a4), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to license fees for the issuance of licenses to hunt.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee on fish and game, Senate File No. 624, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the care, protection and propagation of fish, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code, section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File Number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, section twenty-five hundred thirty-nine (2539), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File Number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By committee on cities and towns, Senate File No. 625, a bill for an act to confer certain powers on cities having a population of not to exceed twelve thousand and not less than five thousand, organized under chapter two of title five of the code, relating to the organization, equipment and operation of fire departments and providing for the levy and collection of special tax for the

use and benefit of such fire departments and granting power to anticipate said tax and to issue fire fund certificates or bonds.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

By committee No. 2 on judiciary, Senate File No. 626.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Legalize Ordinance No. 533 of the Ordinances of the City of Fort Dodge, Iowa, Relative to an Ordinance Adopted March 29, 1913, Fixing the Salary of the Mayor and the Members of the City Council of said City.

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Fort Dodge, Iowa, did on the 29th day of March, 1913, adopt an ordinance fixing the salary of the Mayor and City Council in attempted compliance with Chapter 102, Laws of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, Section Ten Hundred Fifty-six-a 28 (1056-a 28), Supplement to the Code, 1913, and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen respecting the legality of said ordinance owing to the fact that it was adopted prior to the 4th day of July, 1913, and

WHEREAS, The Mayor and City Council have been proceeding under the provisions of said ordinance during their term of office commencing April 7, 1913, Therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That said Ordinance No. 533 of the ordinances of the City of Fort Dodge, Iowa, adopted March 29, 1913, fixing the salary of the Mayor and members of the City Council of said city for the term commencing April 7, 1913, be and the same is hereby legalized and declared legal and valid as though legally adopted and ordained subsequent to the 4th day of July, 1913.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this act shall affect any pending litigation.

SECTION 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Fort Dodge Messenger, a newspaper published in Fort Dodge, Iowa, which publication shall be without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By committee No. 2 on judiciary, Senate File No. 627, a bill for an act legalizing assignments of mortgages and other recorded liens made upon the margin of the records and making such assignments admissible in evidence.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By committee No. 2 on judiciary, Senate File No. 628, a bill for an act relating to the assignment of mortgages.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Frailey, from the committee on public utilities, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public utilities, to whom was referred Senate File No. 8, a bill for an act amending section 725 of the code of 1897 relating to the regulation of rates and service of gas companies, electric light companies, water companies, etc., and making said section applicable to telephone companies and service and empowering cities by ordinance to provide regulations thereof, and providing punishment for the violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOSEPH R. FRAILEY,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 268, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in title VII, chapter 4, of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment and collection of a tax on collateral inheritance of estate, annuities, legacies, bequests, gifts and transfers, repealing certain parts thereof and providing substitutes therefor; and making provision for better and more uniform enforcement thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By striking out the word and figure "section 6" and insert in lieu thereof the word and figure "section 8."

Also to amend by inserting new sections as follows:

"SECTION 6. That section 1481-a1 Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "descendent" and before the comma ",", in line 6 thereof the word "step child."

"SECTION 7. Upon the payment in full of the inheritance tax upon any estate, for Treasurer of State shall execute a release releasing such estate from such tax and forward it to the Clerk of the District Court of the County wherein such estate is being administered, and the Clerk of such Court shall place the same of record in said estate."

Also amend Section 4 of said Bill, by striking but the words "hereby imposed" in the 11th line thereof.

Also by striking out section 3 and renumbering the sections.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 537, a bill for an act to amend section 1400-g, supplement to the code, 1913, and reduce the maximum amount of the state

levies and to reduce the amount levied for Capitol extension purposed by amending section 1400-t, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

"Strike out section 2 referring to Capitol Extension."

"Strike out section 3, the publication clause."

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 119, a bill for an act to amend section 33 of chapter 72, acts of the Thirty-fourth General Assembly, relating to the apportionment of motor vehicle fees, county motor vehicle road fund and expenditure of same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Allen, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on ways and means, to whom was referred Senate File No. 397, a bill for an act to repeal sections 1338 of the code, and 1330-c and 1346-g, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levy and collection of taxes on railroad, telegraph and telephone and express companies, and to enact substitutes therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

J. H. ALLEN,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Perkins, from the committee on telegraphs and telephones, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on telegraphs and telephones, to whom was referred House File No. 441, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred thirty-c (1330-c), code supplement, 1913, relating to the assessment and taxation of telegraph and telephone lines, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

E. C. PERKINS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred House File No. 524, a bill for an act to empower school boards, under stated conditions, to purchase or lease for stated educational purposes comprised under the term Park Life tracts of land and to improve the same for the purpose of establishing thereon summer homes or school for children who desire to continue their studies in useful pursuits throughout the year, and to define the purposes, functions and objects of such schools, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file

Senator Hilsinger, from the committee on insurance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 590, a bill for an act allowing Mutual Fire Insurance companies, or associations, to form an underwriter's syndicate and issue policies, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 571, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter eight-a (8-a), title XII, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, fixing compensation thereof, securing the payment thereof, providing for the appointment of a commissioner and defining his duties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out the word "injury" at end of Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "occurrence".

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Jackson, from the committee on pharmacy, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on pharmacy, to whom was referred Senate File No. 486, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred ninety-six (2596) of the code, relating to the practice of pharmacy, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

GEO. H. JACKSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on board of control, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Board of Control, to whom was referred House File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the government of the Soldiers' Home, as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred four (2604), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Frailey, from the committee on public utilities, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public utilities, to whom was referred Senate File No. 597, a bill for an act relative to certain public utilities, defining their rights, powers, remedies and duties, and providing for their further regulation and control, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported to the Senate without recommendation.

JOSEPH R. FRAILEY,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Larrabee, from the committee on railroads, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred House File No. 81, a bill for an act amending section twenty-one hundred twenty-six (2126) of the code, granting additional powers to the Board of Railway Commissioners, in the matter of short line competition, and the movement of freight and passengers by railroads having two or more lines between the same stations, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Senator Farr moved that House File No. 81 be placed on the Calendar.

Motion lost.

The report was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 125, a bill for an act for the identification of persons inspecting shipments of freight in transit in the state of Iowa for the purpose of fixing their classification, for requiring signed notices by mail to

the Board of Railroad Commissioners, the shipper and consignee of any alteration of classification and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 328, a bill for an act conferring upon the board of railroad commissioners the power to regulate the location, construction and maintenance of electric wires, poles and other fixtures, along and across the public lands, highways and streams of this state, except within the corporate limits of any city or town; and to confer upon the board of railroad commissioners the power to review, by appeal, ordinances, resolutions, rules and regulations of any city or town regulating the construction and operation of electric wires, poles and other apparatus within such cities or towns, including cities acting under special charter and cities organized under the commission form of government, and to repeal Sections 1527-c and 1527-d, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend Section 1, by adding thereto the following:

‘And to require the owners of said electric poles, wires and other fixtures to pay the whole or part of the expense of said engineering service and advice as in their judgment may be equitable.’

Amend Section 2, by striking from the first line of said section the word “possible”, and inserting in lieu thereof the word “practicable”.

Also, amend the bill by striking therefrom all of Section 3 and Section 4, and renumbering sections 5 and 6 as Sections 3 and 4 respectively.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 295, a bill for an act making it an offense to bring false charges against employees, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, White of Iowa, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Ream, Savage, Thomas, Thompson, Voorrees, White of Benton, Whitmore—18.

Absent or not voting:

Eversmeyer, Jones, Quigley, Taylor—4.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 154, a bill for an act defining the number of employees necessary to constitute a full crew for railroads on freight and passenger trains, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Senator Doran moved that Senate File No. 154 be placed on the Calendar.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Doran invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Gillette, Greene, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—13.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—32.

Absent or not voting:

Eversmeyer, Enger, Henigbaum, Jones, Taylor—5.

Motion lost.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 353, a bill for an act to prohibit the operation of trains of more than one-half mile in length, in railroad traffic, upon lines operated within the state of Iowa, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred House File No. 36, a bill for an act providing that all common carriers operating trains within the state of Iowa and conveying live stock shall provide a car equipped with sleeping berths or bunks for the persons in charge of such live stock, and providing a penalty for failure to comply therewith, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Senator Chase moved that House File No. 36 be placed on the Calendar.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Enger, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—19.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

Absent or not voting:

Jones, Thompson—2.

Motion lost.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 522, a bill for an act to amend sections thirteen hundred thirty-four (1334), thirteen hundred thirty-four-a (1334-a), thirteen hundred thirty-seven (1337) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section thirteen hundred thirty-eight (1338) of the code; and to enact a substitute therefor and all relating to the assessment and taxation of railways and to requirements of railway companies and duties of officers in connection therewith, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 10:45 a. m.

Senator Kimball moved that Senate File No. 522 be placed on the calendar.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Parker, Quigley, Schrup, Shecan, Voorhees, Whitmore—17.

The nays were:

Arney, Balekma, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—27.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Hagemann, Jones, Savage, Thomas, Thompson—6.

Motion lost.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 390, a bill for an act to provide for the acquisition of water supply for power house purposes by condemnation by interurban railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven

(1997) of the code, beg leave to report they had had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Insert after the word "situated" in line 29 of Sec. 1 the following: "if said railroad commissioners find that the rights of the public are in any way affected by such changes or improvements, they shall give such notice as in their judgment will properly advise the public of said proposed change, the expenses thereof to be paid by the interurban railroad corporation."

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on railroads, to whom was referred Senate File No. 506, a bill for an act to require common carriers operating freight trains within the State of Iowa to carry passengers in cabooses on certain conditions, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend section 1, by inserting before the comma (,) following the word "railroad" in the first line of said section, the word "company"

Amend section 2, by inserting between the word "passenger and the word "fare" in the third line of said section 2, the words "ticket or"

Amend section 3, by striking out the words "except as provided by this act" in the last line of said section, and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "excepting the provisions of sections 2074, 3135, and 3136 of the code, which shall not be construed to apply to passengers riding on cabooses on freight trains as permit holders under this act; and every passenger riding as a permit holder on a caboose of any freight train, as by this act provided, shall be presumed to have entered into an implied contract with the common carrier operating such train, agreeing to hold such common carrier exempt from any claim for damages accruing to such passenger or his estate by reason of any personal injury which he may sustain while riding as a passenger under such permit, due to any negligence of commission, or omission on the part of such common carrier or its employees, or for injury or damage to any property or baggage which said passenger is carrying upon such caboose, as contemplated by this act."

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Francis, from the committee No. 1 on judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 430, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five thousand twenty-eight-b (5028-b) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to unfair discrimination between different sections, localities, communities, cities or towns in this state in any article

of commerce, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be infinitely postponed.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Francis, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the electors and officers of the Independent School District of Hawkeye, Iowa, at the special meeting of said electors held on the eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1914, relative to the issuing of bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a school house, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 620, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the City of Cresco, Howard County, Iowa, on March 10, 1915, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said city the question of issuing city water bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting a new water tower in said city? and purchasing grounds upon which to erect, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 1 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 592, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the board of supervisors of Humboldt County, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of said board of supervisors in making payments in accordance with the said resolution, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. E. FRANCIS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 123, a bill for an act to provide for the dragging of dirt and graveled roads, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Balkema, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 297, a bill for an act to provide for the organization and management of local road districts in this state, and providing bounties for all permanent roads constructed in accordance with all the provisions of this act, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Balkema, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 204, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-eight (1527-s-8), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the manner of payment for bridges and culverts having a span of less than four (4) feet, where said bridges and culverts are located on the township road system, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Balkema, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred House File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal chapter one-a (one-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute in lieu thereof, creating a state highway engineer, providing for his appointment, term of office, compensation, powers, and duties, providing for his removal, creating a system of county and township road, bridge and culvert construction, and maintenance, prescribing and procedure and manner of carrying on such improvement, and the rights, duties, and power of county and township officers and employes with reference thereto, providing that the board of supervisors of each county shall have full control and supervision of the county road system, providing for the registration of highway routes, together with the names, color or com-

binations and designs used in marking the same; prohibiting the duplications thereof; and amending section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-thirty-two (1571-m 32), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the distribution of the motor vehicle fund, and providing penalties therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Balkmea, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred House File No. 177, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-three (1527-s-3), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment of the county road system and the improvement thereof, and the construction of bridge and culvert work thereon, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred House File No. 308, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-seventeen (1571-m-17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the operation of motor vehicles upon the public highways and requiring that certain lights on such vehicles be shaded, beg leave to report the same out without recommendation.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate File No. 188, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-32 (1571-m 32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the apportionment of fees collected from the owners of motor vehicles, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on highways, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution 16, a resolution directing the state highway engineer to inspect the bridge and river conditions at Eddyville, Iowa,

and make report thereon, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend the resolution by adding at the top of the title the words "Joint Resolution".

N. BALKEMA,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Fellows, from the committee on fish and game, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on fish and game, to whom was referred House File No. 218, a bill for an act to amend section 2547-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the taking of fish from the waters of the Big Sioux river and that part of the Des Moines river forming the part of the boundary between the state of Iowa and the state of Missouri, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. M. FELLOWS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on fish and game, to whom was referred House File No. 347, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code relating to the placing of fish ways in dams or other obstructions across rivers and streams, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. M. FELLOWS,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Fellows, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled substitute for Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a-2 (254-a-2), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters.

Also:

Senate File No. 3, a bill for an act to punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two-b (2-b), title fourteen (XIV), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the drainage, sale, and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds, and to provide for an examination and classification of said lakes and a report thereon to the next General Assembly.

Also:

Senate File No. 51. A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

Also:

Senate File No. 53. A bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

Also:

Senate File No. 105. A bill for an act in relation to semi-monthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 106. A bill for an act to repeal section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the duties, office, and salaries of railroad commissioners.

Also:

Senate File No. 465. A bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-b-six (2634-b6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course.

Also:

Senate File No 498. A bill for an act to validated the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Norwalk, in Warren county, Iowa, and proceedings taken to authorize the issuance of bonds of said district in the amount of \$25,000.

Also:

Senate File No. 317. A bill for an act to amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-one (1087-a21), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns

Also:

Senate File No. 144. A bill for an act to amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of the supreme court.

Also:

Senate File No. 496, a bill for an act to legalize the act of the incorporated town of Gladbrook, Iowa, in voting to purchase or erect an electric light and power plant in said town and as a part thereof, a transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the high potential transmission line of the Iowa Railway and Light company extending between the towns of Marshalltown and Tama; to issue the bonds of said town in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of such light and power plant and transmission line; and to sell such plant to the Iowa railway and light company.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of the reformatory at Anamosa, and the penitentiary at Fort Madison.

Also:

Senate File No. 377, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f four (2215-f 4) and section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f 14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 41, a bill for an act to create the office of city manager, providing for the appointment, salary and term of office and prescribing the duties and powers thereof. (Additional to chapter two (2) title five (V) of the code.)

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-thirty-one (2215-f 31), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f thirty-six (2215-f 36), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the militia and military code of Iowa, arms, equipment, etc., and to absence of soldiers without leave.

Adopted.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 496, a bill for an act to legalize the act of the incorporated town of Gladbrook, Iowa, in voting to purchase or erect an electric light and power plant in said town and as a part thereof, a transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the high potential transmission line of the Iowa Railway and Light company extending between the towns of Marshalltown and Tama; to issue the bonds of said town in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of such light and power plant and transmission line; and to sell such plant to the Iowa railway and light company.

Also :

Substitute for Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of the reformatory at Anamosa, and the penitentiary at Fort Madison.

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Senate File No. 41, a bill for an act to create the office of city manager, providing for the appointment, salary and term of office and prescribing the duties and powers thereof. (Additional to chapter two (2) title five (V) of the code.)

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Substitute for Senate File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-thirty-one (2215-f 31), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f thirty-six (2215-f 36), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the militia and military code of Iowa, arms, equipment, etc., and to absence of soldiers without leave.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled substitute for Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-

four-a-2 (254-a-2), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters.

Also:

Senate File No. 3, a bill for an act to punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two-b (2-b), title fourteen (XIV), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the drainage, sale, and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds, and to provide for an examination and classification of said lakes and a report thereon to the next General Assembly.

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Also:

Senate File No. 53. A bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

Also:

Senate File No. 105. A bill for an act in relation to semi-monthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 106. A bill for an act to repeal section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the duties, office, and salaries of railroad commissioners.

Also:

Senate File No. 465. A bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-b-six (2634-b6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course.

Also:

Senate File No. 498. A bill for an act to validate the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Norwalk, in Warren county, Iowa, and proceedings taken to authorize the issuance of bonds of said district in the amount of \$25,000.

Also :

Senate File No. 317. A bill for an act to amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-one (1087-a21), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns

Also :

Senate File No. 144. A bill for an act to amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of the supreme court.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 460, a bill for an act to amend section 2692, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the liability of counties for the support of children in the Soldiers' Orphans' Home, by providing method of payment by the county, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 553, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2742, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expense of county superintendents, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 314, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred seventy-one (471) of the code, relating to the issuance of county warrants, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 484, a bill for an act to amend sections (1989-a-52f) and (1989-a-52-d), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers, duties, etc., of trustees in the matter of expenditure of funds for levees, ditches, drains, etc., and further relating to the filling of vacancies in office of trustees, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 552, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred-a (100-a) and one hundred-d (100-d), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state examiners for counties, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and referred to appropriations committee with recommendations that same do pass:

Amend by striking out the words and figures "twenty-five hundred (\$2500.00)" in lines sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Two thousand (\$2000.00)".

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Thomas, from the committee on dairy and food, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on dairy and food, to whom was referred Senate File No. 598, a bill for an act to regulate the purchase and sale of eggs as an article of food additional to chapter ten-a (10-a), title twenty-four (XXIV), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be placed on the calendar without recommendation.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on dairy and food, to whom was referred Senate File No. 431, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e (2528-e), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e1 (2528e1), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e2 (2528-e2), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e3 (2528-e3), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e4 (2528-e4) and twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e5 (2528-e5), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of cal-

cium carbide, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be placed on the calendar without recommendation.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on dairy and food, to whom was referred Senate File No. 243, a bill for an act regulating the sale of live stock remedies and stock foods; defining the same; providing for the labeling, registration and inspection of the same; providing for affixing of labels and a means of identification of registration license and inspection; providing for an inspection fee and its collection; prohibiting the sale of fraudulent, injurious, deleterious and adulterated remedies and stock foods; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and repealing laws in conflict therewith, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be placed on the calendar without recommendation.

C. H. THOMAS,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Chase, from the committee No. 2 on judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 153, a bill for an act providing for an absolute and incontestible title to real estate specifying the exceptions thereto, and fixing a method for preserving rights claimed in real estate by notice, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 602, a bill for an act to legalize the actions of the board of directors of the consolidated independent school district of Lamyon, in the counties of Webster and Greene, state of Iowa, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 457, a bill for an act to legalize the plat of Gallaher's addition to the town of Jefferson, Iowa, beg leave to report

they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 619, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the independent school district of Fort Atkinson, in the county of Winneshiek and state of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 402, a bill for an act to repeal sections 254-a20 and 254-a20a, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the maintenance of dependent children, and providing for the payment of certain sums of money to the mother of such children when such mother is a widow, fixing certain restrictions regarding payment and creating supervision, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and report same to the Senate without recommendation.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 545, a bill for an act to amend section 1989-a-2, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the establishment of drainage districts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 530, a bill for an act to amend section 333, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to exemptions from jury duty, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 596, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in sections 530, title four (IV), chapter seven (7) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to fees of witnesses and jurors in coroner's inquest, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, a bill for an act proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section nine (9) of article one (1) of said constitution, and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefore, relating to and providing for trial by jury and prohibiting the taking of life, liberty or property without due process of law, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the joint resolution was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 26, a bill for an act to amend section 3379, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the share of the surviving spouse where intestate leave no issue, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting the words "Where it is found by the Court that the value of the estate is more than Seventy-five Hundred Dollars", before the first word of the proposed bill, and by inserting a comma "," after the word "Dollars".

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Farr, from the committee on horticulture and forestry, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on horticulture and forestry, to whom was referred Senate File No. 234, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section 2575-a-52, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by striking out the words and figures "Eight Thousand five hundred dollars (\$8500.00)" in lines six (6) and seven (7) of Section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4500.00)" and that the same be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Ordered passed on file.

E. P. FARR,
Chairman.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 505, a bill for an act authorizing the creation of an emergency street cleaning fund and the use of the same in cities of the first class, including cities acting under the commission form of government, and providing for the levying of a tax and the issuance of certificates anticipating the same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 508, a bill for an act to repeal section 1628 of the code, relating to non-user of franchise by corporations, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 481, a bill for an act to amend sections 100-a, 100-b, 100-c and 100-d, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to state examiners for counties and municipalities, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 523, a bill for an act to put quarantine officers under the civil service law contained in chapter 2-a, title 5 of the supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 363, a bill for an act to provide juvenile playgrounds in cities of this state, providing for submitting the proposition to the voters providing for the purchase or condemnation of real estate for such playground providing for the issue of city bonds with which to purchase same, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 540, a bill for an act to amend section 932-n, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 214, a bill for an act to repeal section 737-a of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, requiring all cities and incorporated towns, including cities of first class, cities under commission plan of government, etc., to regulate the business of plumbing, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the following substitute:

A BILL FOR AN ACT Amending Section Seven Hundred Thirty-seven-a (737-a), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Providing for the Regulation and Inspection of Plumbing Work and Materials and Installa-

tion Thereof, and Providing for the Adoption of Ordinances Prescribing Rules for Such Regulation and Inspection and Providing for the Imposition of Penalties for the Violation of Same.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in Section Seven Hundred Thirty-seven-a (737-a) Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out all of said section beginning with the word "to" in the fourth line and ending with the word "hereunder" in the ninth line thereof, and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "and shall provide for the regulation and inspection of all plumbing work and materials and the installation thereof and may adopt ordinances prescribing rules for such regulation and inspection and to compel the removal of plumbing hereafter installed in violation of such rules and to impose penalties for the violation thereof.

The term "Plumbing" as used in this act, shall mean the installing of any receptacle used to receive or convey waste water, house soil, slops or sewage.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted.

Substitute read first and second time.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 578, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 836, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 517, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section 758 of the code, sections 758-a, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 226, a bill for an act relating to the safety of the public and requiring that any car or cars operated as a part of a

street railway by any person, partnership or corporation shall be in charge of at least two competent employees, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend by inserting after the word "motorman" and before the word "the" in the 7th line of the original bill the words "and what are known as summer cars not exceeding thirty-two (32) feet in length".

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 37, a bill for an act enabling Mrs. C. C. Platner and Mrs. George Wilson to share in the policeman's pension fund of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 408, a bill for an act to amend section 751 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to extension, improvement and repair of streets, highways, avenues, etc., and to the payment of the cost thereof, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 595, a bill for an act to amend section 887 of the code, relating to the levying of general taxes for cities, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported out without recommendation.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 318, a bill for an act to repeal section 2 of chapter 61, of the acts of the 33rd General Assembly and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported out without recommendation.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred House File No. 509, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 1571-m 20, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the powers of local authorities to regulate automobile speed and traffic, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported out without recommendation.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Chase, from the committee No. 2 on judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 481, a bill for an act amending section 4503, of the code relating to changes of venue in justice courts, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred House File No. 606, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-twelve (1989-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to assessments of costs and damages in drainage proceedings, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee No. 2 on judiciary, to whom was referred Senate File No. 403, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the establishment of ditches, tile and other underground drains through the lands of others, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

D. C. CHASE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

SENATE FILES WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Crist withdrew Senate Files Nos. 475 and 520 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Senator Francis withdrew Senate File No. 100 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Senator White of Iowa withdrew Senate File No. 370 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Senator Balkema withdrew Senate Files Nos. 140 and 141 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 333, a bill for an act to amend chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, repealing section 2477-m9 and subdivision thereof and inserting a substitute therefor.

The following amendments offered by Senator Clarkson and found on page 1386 of the journal were pending:

I move the following as an amendment to the pending bill as additional sections:

That the law as the same appears in section 2477-m 41, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Every employer subject to the provisions of this act who has not rejected the terms and provisions thereof in the manner and form as by Chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, provided, shall insure his liability in some association, organization or corporation authorized to engage in casualty insurance business in this State, unless such employer be and is exempted therefrom within the provisions of Section 2477-m 49 supplement to the code, 1913.

If such employer fails, refuses or neglects to provide such insurance and an employe of such employer sustains an injury while in the course of employment, such employer shall be liable to such employe for damages sustained by such employe within and by the terms of sub-division "c" and sub-divisions 1, 2, 3 and 4 of sub-division "c" of Section 2477-m, supplement to the code, 1913. If an employe recovers damages in such case, such employer, in addition thereto, shall pay a reasonable attorney's fee to such employe to be taxed as a part of the costs in the case, the amount thereof to be fixed by the presiding judge.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by inserting after the letter "c", line 9 as the same appears in the Journal, page 1387 the following: "of section 2477-M, supplement to the code, 1913."

Adopted.

The amendment as amended was adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move the following as a substitute for Sec. 22 of the printed bill as amended:

Sec. 22. That the law as it appears in subdivision (j), section 2477-m 9, supplement to the code, 1913, be and is hereby amended by inserting between subdivisions 17 and 18 thereof the following: "(17-a) In case of an injury to an employe which of itself would only cause permanent partial disability, but which, when combined with a previous defective physical condition, does in fact result in permanent total or permanent partial disability of a greater degree, the employe shall be entitled to no more compensation than would be due to him solely on account of the injury, independent of all previous defective physical condition."

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

I move as a substitute amendment for the pending amendment the following: "Strike out the word 'disability,' at the end of the last line of section 21 of the bill, and substitute therefor the word 'injury.'"

Substitute amendment lost.

The amendment by Senator Heald was adopted.

By unanimous consent, Senator Clarkson withdrew the amendment filed by him and found on page 1395 of the journal.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment filed by him and found on page 1396 of the journal and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 333 by striking out the words "twelve dollars and fifty cents," in each place where they occur in the bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten dollars."

Amendment lost.

President Harding resumed the chair at 12:00 m.

Senator Gillette offered the following amendment filed by him and found on page 1397 of the journal and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 333 by striking therefrom the capital letters wherever they appear descriptive of a subdivision of section 2477-m 9, supplement to the code, 1913, and substituting in lieu thereof the appropriate and corresponding lower case letters.

Adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Chase invoked rule. 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Gillette, Greene, Larrabee, Ream, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—17.

The nays were:

Balkema, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—29.

Absent or not voting:

Francis, Grout, Quigley, Savage—4.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President pro tem Crist announced that, as President pro tem of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 2, 3, 41, 51, 53, 105, 144, 317, 377, 465, 496 and 498, and substitutes for Senate Files Nos. 45, 105, 183 and 378.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which the motion to adopt the report of the committee on Senate File No. 295 was carried.

J. H. ALLEN.

Senator Laffer moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

APPOINTMENT OF SIFTING COMMITTEE.

President Harding announced the following appointments as members of the Sifting Committee authorized by resolution of April 7th: Senators Larrabee, Wilson, Chase, Thompson, Hillsinger, Gillette and White of Iowa.

Journal of April 7th was taken up, corrected and approved.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

I wish to file the following amendment to House File No. 226, now on the Calendar, and ask that it be printed in the Journal:

By inserting after the word "motorman" in the 7th line thereof, a comma, and the words "or open cars."

J. R. FRAILEY.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

I wish to file the following amendments to House File No. 462, now on the Calendar, and ask that they be printed in the Journal:

By striking out the period following the word "time" in the 8th line, and inserting in lieu thereof, a comma, and by inserting before the word "said" in the 8th line, the word "and" and by inserting after the word "vestibules" in the 9th line, the words "when so occupied by the employees."

J. R. FRAILEY.

By unanimous consent, Senator Darrah withdrew the motion filed by him to reconsider the vote on House File No. 6.

By unanimous consent, Senator Helmer withdrew the motion filed by him to reconsider the vote on House File No. 374.

By unanimous consent, Senator Parker withdrew Senate File No. 211 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 111, a bill for an act to protect the lives, health, morals of women and minors, providing for the fixing of minimum wages and the standard conditions of labor for such workers, limiting the hours of labor, and providing penalties for violation of the same, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Section Four (4) by inserting the word "workshop," after the word "establishment" and before the word "office" in line three (3) and by striking out all after line five (5) in the printed bill and substituting the following:

"For minors, under the age of sixteen (16) years, not less than eight and one-third (8 1/3) cents per hour; for minors sixteen (16) years of age and over and adult learners and apprentices, not less than ten (10) cents per hour; provided, that the learning period of apprenticeship shall not extend for more than one year; for adults who are experienced in work they are employed to perform;

(a) In cities and towns having a population less than ten thousand (10,000) and over two thousand five hundred (2500) not less than twelve (12) cents per hour.

(b) In cities having a population of ten thousand (10,000) and less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) not less than fourteen (14) cents per hour.

(c) In cities having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) and over, not less than fifteen (15) cents per hour.

The employment of any female laborer, or minor of either sex for a longer period than fifty-five hours in the six secular days of any one week is hereby prohibited. But nothing herein shall be construed as limiting the right to contract for any pay a higher wage than herein specified as a minimum wage for female employees or minors in the above lines of employment; provided, however, that this act shall not apply to the following classes of employees:

1. Those engaged in any hotel or restaurant where board or board and room is furnished such employee.
2. Those employed in any canning factory, or fruit picking or packing industry.
3. Those employed in any telephone exchange where less than three operators are employed and the work is not continuous and consecutive.
4. Those who, by reason of the infirmities of age, or who by reason of physical or mental defects, are disqualified from earning the minimum wage specified herein, provided such disqualifications are certified to in writing by a reputable physician of the county, and a copy of this certificate given the employed and the same shall by him be kept on file and open to inspection by the duly constituted authorities.
5. Nurses employed in any hospital.
6. In the event of a great public calamity when the provisions of this act limiting the hours of labor may be temporarily suspended if authorized by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Amend Section nine (9) by inserting the words "the Bureau of" in line one (1) following the word "of" and by inserting the word "statistics" in the same line following the word "labor", in the printed bill.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the committee amendments by inserting therein the following:

Amend the committee amendments by inserting therein the following:

6. Telegraph and telephone operators, call and messenger boys and station agents employed by railroads.

7. Transient labor, performed by nonresidents.

And that paragraph 6 be made paragraph 8.

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking section 1 from the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend subdivision one of section 4 by adding thereto the following: "Those employed in any laundry or telephone office in any city or town of less than thirty-five hundred population."

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the amendment offered by the Senator from Clarke by striking out the words "thirty-five hundred" and inserting the words "ten thousand."

Amendment lost.

The amendment by Senator Crist was lost.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment to the amendment appearing on pages 1008 and 1009 of the Journal and moved its adoption:

Amend by renumbering the sections in accord with the amendment by the Senator from Bremer, striking out section 1.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 111 by adding to section 4 the following: "And provided that the provisions of this act shall not apply to piece work".

Adopted.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting the words "private families" after the word "any" in line one (1) of the third paragraph as printed on page 1009 of the Senate Journal.

Amendment lost.

Senator Quigley offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the enacting clause.

Senator Gillette moved the previous question.

Carried.

On the motion of Senator Quigley a roll call was demanded.

Senator Thomas invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Crist, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Schrup, Thompson, Whitmore—19.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Greene, Grout, Kimball, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—28.

Absent or not voting:

Jones, Larrabee, Savage—3.

The motion was lost.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Greene, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—15.

The nays were:

Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, Whitmore—32.

Absent or not voting:

Jones, Larrabee, Savage—3.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

I vote aye on Senate File No. 111, although disapproving of several of its provisions in the form it was voted upon finally, and disappointed in the failure to secure certain other amendments that in my opinion were absolutely necessary to make the law workable and practical in Iowa under present conditions. However, wishing to approve of the broad general principles underlying the proposal to protect its women workers by maximum hours and a minimum wage and in hopes that if passed by the Senate, the House will amend it to remove the objectionable features, I reluctantly vote for the bill.

C. H. THOMAS.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Helmer, House File No. 346, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred thirty-eight (3538) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the manner of commencing actions against unknown defendants, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Fleck, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval substitute for Senate File No. 183, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section two hundred fifty-three (253) and section two hundred fifty-four-a-2 (254-a-2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters.

Also:

Senate File No. 3, a bill for an act to punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 2, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two-b (2-b), title fourteen (XIV), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the drainage, sale, and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds, and to provide for an examination and classification of said lakes and a report thereon to the next General Assembly.

Also:

Senate File No. 496, a bill for an act to legalize the acts of the incorporated town of Gladbrook, Iowa, in voting to purchase or erect an electric light and power plant in said town and as a part thereof, a transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the high potential transmission line of the Iowa railway and light company extending between the towns of Marshalltown and Tama; to issue the bonds of said town in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of such light and power plant and transmission line; and to sell such plant to the Iowa Railway and Light Company.

Also:

Senate File No. 377, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f four (2215-f4) and section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 45, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of the reformatory at Anamosa, and the penitentiary at Fort Madison.

Also:

Senate File No. 41, a bill for an act to create the office of city manager, providing for the appointment, salary and term of office and pre-

scribing the duties and powers thereof. (Additional to chapter two (2) title five (V) of the code.)

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 378, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-thirty-one (2215-f31), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section twenty-two hundred hundred fifteen-f thirty-six (2215-f36), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the militia and military code of Iowa, arms, equipment, etc., and to absence of soldiers without leave.

Also:

Senate File No. 51. A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

Also:

Senate File No. 53. A bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

Also:

Senate File No. 105. A bill for an act in relation to semi-monthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 106. A bill for an act to repeal section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the duties, office, and salaries of railroad commissioners.

Also:

Senate File No. 465. A bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-b-six (2634-b6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course.

Also:

Senate File No 498. A bill for an act to validated the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Norwalk, in Warren county, Iowa, and proceedings taken to authorize the issuance of bonds of said district in the amount of \$25,000.

Also:

Senate File No. 317. A bill for an act to amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-one (1087-a21), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns

Also :

Senate File No. 144. A bill for an act to amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of the supreme court.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 477, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-twelve-a (2489-12-a), supplement to the code, 1913, requiring the owner, lessee, operator or person in charge of a mine to file annual reports of accidents, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Farr, Fleck, Francis, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage—12.

Senator Larrabee offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 477 and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by striking out the word "accidents" and inserting the words "coal mined, number of employes, accidents, and other information."

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 492, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-b (1798-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 539, a bill for an act to repeal section one hundred eighty-one (181), supplement to the code, 1913, in reference to the committee on retrenchment and reform and their duties, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that further consideration of this measure be deferred until 10:30 a. m. April 15th.

Motion to defer was lost.

Senator Boe raised the point of order, that the Senator from Boone had already spoken on the measure.

Point held not well taken.

Senator Taylor moved the previous question.

Carried.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Chase, Doran, Greene, Hilsinger, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Thompson, White of Benton—9.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Crist, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Nye, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees—14.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

Senator Chase submitted the following statement which was, by unanimous consent, ordered printed in the Journal.

RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM.

EFFICIENCY ENGINEER ACCOUNT.

Appropriation		\$10,000.00
Quail Parker Co.	\$8,265.00	
J. P. Blaise	519.70	
Kathlyn Davis	12.00	
Western Union Telegraph Co.	1.13	8,797.83
Balance		1,202.17
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		\$10,000.00

EXTRA HELP ACCOUNT.

321-54-1913.

Appropriation		\$20,000.00
Secretary of State	\$6,000.81	
Public Archives	1,000.00	

E. Hall, Asst. Post Master.....	822.50	
W. C. Jensen, Supply Dept.	27.50	10,850.81
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Balance		9,149.19
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		\$20,000.00

COMMITTEE EXPENSE.

20-3-1913.

B. H. Black	\$ 191.75	
John W. Jacobs	86.08	
Gerrit Clay	142.37	
Joseph Mattis	114.35	
C. W. Miller	123.20	
John L. Wilson	100.61	
L. E. Francis	88.98	
Iowa Telephone Co.	1.50	
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Total expended		\$ 848.84

SECRETARY ACCOUNT.

321-51-1913.

Appropriation		\$ 600.00
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Mrs. S. Francis	\$ 7.50	
C. L. Dahlbergh	6.80	
Elizabeth Rodgers	5.00	
Joe Byrnes	330.30	
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Balance		349.60
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		\$600.00

EXTRA HELP FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE PAID FROM RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM APPROPRIATION.

Carrie Dack	\$ 915.89
Grace Powelson	712.50
Rhea Johnson	487.50
Lloyd Refsell	397.50
C. L. Price	289.50
Lola B. Elliott	280.00
Elizabeth Harmon	219.63
Frank Cavender	225.00
Kate Bellew	150.01
Mrs. Ora Ryan	150.00
Barry Byram	145.46
Mary Alber	136.98
Roy S. Hayward	131.25
Florence Bowman	129.48
Willard Grothe	49.76
Merle Crawford	19.83
Mrs. Wm. Bronson	52.42
Edw. Lawrence	17.42
J. A. Pearson	42.19
Mayme Sterritt	26.77
S. B. De Hart	31.25
Carrie Walton	72.50
L. Snyder	35.00
Clara Neidig	78.00
Addie Billingson	78.00
Roy Allen	50.00

Lloyd Smith	50.00
Dorothy Cohen	37.50
Christine Knudson	37.50
Susie Meyer	75.00
Francis Elliott	37.50
Roy Alber	32.50
Geo. Jay	25.50
Margarett Seeley	87.50
Rilla Durand	62.00
Harold Perkins	39.91
Dora Ridenour	63.22
D. E. Sherman	96.60
Mrs. C. W. Patterson	60.24
Mabel Hudgell	75.00
F. L. Murphy	32.50
Nellie Smith	65.00
Joe W. Hawks	126.69
H. H. Waller	65.00
Anna White	7.81
Total	\$6,000.81

Statement showing amount drawn and to whom paid from Retrenchment and Reform appropriation to Public Archives Dept.

C. C. Stiles	\$1,000.00
Helen H. Wharton	600.00
Cherry Roberts	600.00
Mrs. L. C. Jones	600.00
Nelson De Ford	600.00
W. H. McBride	600.00
Total	\$4,000.00

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 260, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty-two-a (1822-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title nine (9), of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 150, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof,

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 560, a bill for an act to provide for the safety of people employed or assembling in certain buildings, and to charge owners and others with duties with reference thereto.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 614, a bill for an act to amend sections eighteen hundred forty-five (1845) and eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851) of the code relating to savings banks and to provide that the provisions of sections eighteen hundred forty-seven (1847), eighteen hundred forty-nine (1849), eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851), eighteen hundred fifty-three (1853), eighteen hundred fifty-four (1854), eighteen hundred fifty-six (1856) of the code and sections eighteen hundred forty-eight (1848), eighteen hundred fifty (1850), eighteen hundred fifty-a (1850-a), eighteen hundred fifty-two (1852), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to savings banks, shall be applicable to state banks, and being addition to title nine (9), chapter eleven (11) of the code and amendments thereto.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 543, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred seventy-five (1875), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of bank examiners, their salaries, and fees of banks, and enacting a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 28, a bill for an act providing that evidence of intoxication shall not be given on the question of intent in civil and criminal cases, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee a roll call was demanded:

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Darrah, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Kimball, Perkins, Quigley, Thompson, Wilson—15.

The nays were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—25.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Jones, Laffer, Savage, Schrup, Sheean—10.

The report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Chase moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 28 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. In all cases in which intent is a necessary element of the crime, evidence of intoxication on the part of defendant shall not be considered on the question of such intent and the trial court shall so instruct in all proper cases.

Adopted.

Senator Chase, moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—29.

The nays were:

Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Kimball, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—13.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Heald, Laffer, Savage, Sheean—8.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 28 and moved its adoption:

Strike out all of title as it appears in the original bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

A bill for an act, providing that evidence of intoxication shall not be given on the question of intent in criminal cases.

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

Senator Francis moved that all House files messaged to the Senate that have not yet been read and referred to committees be referred to the sifting committee.

Carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Foster, from the committee on manufactures, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on manufactures, to whom was referred Senate File No. 476, a bill for an act to provide for the branding and labeling of mattresses and comforts and to provide against the use of unsanitary material in the manufacture of mattresses and comforts and to regulate the sale of same, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

JOHN W. FOSTER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Hilsinger, from the committee on insurance, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on insurance, to whom was referred Senate File No. 558, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation, regulation and supervision of mutual insurance corporations and to amend the law as it appears in sections 1690, 1692, 1693, 1694, 1700, 1704, 1706, 1707, 1708, 1723, 1751, of the code, and sections 1689, 1721, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the incorporation, regulation and supervision of such mutual insurance companies, beg leave to report

they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be reported out without recommendation.

G. E. HILSINGER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file..

Senator Boe, from the committee on public schools, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 518, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred twenty-seven-h (2627-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the superintendent of public instruction and his deputy, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Boe, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred House File No. 587, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty (2730), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tax that may be levied for the support of county high schools in the state of Iowa, and to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three 1-a (2733-1-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tuition to be paid high schools in counties where county high schools are maintained, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on public schools, to whom was referred Senate File No. 544, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to normal institutes as same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-eight (2738), supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

L. W. BOE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 577, a bill for an act to remove doubt as to the legality of the last paragraph of section 1570-b 2, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to transference of unexpended balances in the road dragging fund, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 551, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 480-b, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the report of financial statistics by county auditors to the auditor of state, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 401, a bill for an act to repeal section 298 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 360, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section 411, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 231, a bill for an act to repeal section 491 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, qualification and compensation of deputy treasurers and other assistants in the office of the county treasurer, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 232, a bill for an act to repeal section 490 of the code, supplement, 1913, relating to the compensation of the county treasurer and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 301, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the salary of deputy sheriffs, as the same appears in section 510-b, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 404, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 308 and 308-a supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the compensation of county attorneys, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 347, a bill for an act to repeal section 496 supplement to the code, 1913, relating to appointment and compensation of deputy county recorders and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 464, a bill for an act to amend section 308 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county attorneys, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Taylor, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on county and township affairs, to whom was referred Senate File No. 459, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section 409-t supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the care of charity patients in the advanced stages of tuberculosis and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

JOHN H. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Chase, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Helmer, from the committee on printing, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on printing, to whom was referred House File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section eleven hundred seven (1107) of the code, relating to the printing of the official ballot, by limiting the cost of same per thousand, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CHAS. C. HELMER,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on printing, to whom was referred House File No. 267, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the selection of official newspapers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

CHAS. C. HELMER,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on printing, to whom was referred Senate File No. 307, a bill for an act to amend section 441, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to official newspapers, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CHAS. C. HELMER,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Helmer the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Heald, from the committee on penitentiaries and pardons, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on penitentiaries and pardons, to whom was referred Senate File No. 557, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory as the same appears in section 5718-a 11, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend section one of said bill by inserting after the word "account" in line six of said bill the word "and".

Also amend section one of said bill by inserting after the word "works" in line seven of said bill the following: "provided, however, that all of said employment for state account or state use shall be confined to and exercised on lands of or in buildings owned or leased by the state."

Also amend section one of said bill by striking out of line seven of said bill the word "which" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Said".

Also amend by inserting after the word "service" in line thirteen of said bill the following words: "as herein limited and defined."

Also amend by striking out all after the word "Leader" in the third line of section five and insert in lieu thereof the words "a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Denison Bulletin, a newspaper published at Denison, Iowa".

F. A. HEALD,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Committee on Retrenchment and Reform, Senate File No. 629, a bill for an act to repeal section three hundred ninety-two (392) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the fees of commissioners appointed for other states and the record of their appointment.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 217, a bill for an act to provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof.

Also:

House File No. 459. A bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a11 (2727-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or the secretary thereof, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

House File No. 61. A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section one thousand eight hundred sixty (1860) of the code relating to the reserve fund of savings banks.

Also:

House File No. 16. A bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds.

Also:

House File No. 116. A bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred eighty-three-b (1783-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to medical examinations for life insurance.

Also:

House File No. 594, a bill for an act creating the office of state document editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties.

Also:

House File No. 12. A bill for an act to provide for municipal courts for certain cities and the adoption thereof by general state or municipal election or by special elections; providing for jurisdiction thereof, mode and manner of procedure therein; providing for the election of the judges of such municipal courts and defining their powers and duties; providing for the abolition of the office of justice of the peace, constable and police judge; providing for the manner of preparing and who shall constitute the jury list, manner of drawing jury panels and jurors; also defining certain duties of other officials and providing penalties for the violation thereof:

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Whitmore, from the committee on military affairs, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on military affairs, to whom was referred House File No. 431, a bill for an act to amend sections 2215-f 10, 2215-f 15, 2215-f 17 and 2215-f 43, and enact a substitute therefor of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CHESTER W. WHITMORE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Whitmore the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

The House refuses to concur in Senate amendments to House File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-six hundred ninety-one (2691) and twenty-six hundred ninety-two (2692) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

Senator Henigbaum moved that the Senate insist on its amendments to House File No. 283 and on this motion asked for a roll call.

On the question, "Shall the Senate insist on its amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger,

Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Benton—21.

So the Senate insisted upon its amendment to House File 283.

The President appointed as conference committee on House File No. 283 on the part of the Senate, Senators Henigbaum, Jones, Perkins, and Greene.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 12, 594, 16, 116, 61, 459 and 217.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Whitmore filed the following proposed amendment to Substitute for Senate File No. 23, as same appears at page 1395 of the Senate Journal:

1st. Add after section 6 the following:

SECTION 7. The provisions of this act shall not be construed as depriving the council of cities, cities under commission form of government, or of special charter cities of jurisdiction to regulate local service of telephone lines or telephone companies operated for pecuniary profit. The use and enjoyment of all such telephone rights and franchises shall be subject to such reasonable rules and regulations and orders, controlling the extent and quality of construction and service to be maintained by the corporation enjoying such rights, and prescribing the location and arrangement of its tracks, poles, wires, conduits, or other appurtenances, as are, or may be from time to time, enacted by the town or said city councils. In case any such regulation or enactment shall seem to any such corporation unreasonable, such corporation, within thirty days after the same has been passed, may complain to the railroad commission, setting forth that such regulation or order is not reasonable in the premises, and thereupon said commission shall proceed to hear and determine the matter; subject, however, to the right of appeal to the district court for the county wherein is situated the town or city passing such regulation or enactment.

2d. Renumber the following sections.

Senator Whitmore filed the following proposed amendments to Senate File No. 597.

1st. Amend section 4 by inserting after the comma (,) following the word "electricity" in the fifth line the words : "heat, steam",

2d. Also amend section 4 by striking out of the seventh line the words "twenty-five" and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "forty as shown by the Federal census of A. D. 1910."

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Heald filed the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 597 as follows:

By adding to section 3 the words "All rentals, rates and charges as finally fixed and determined as in this act provided shall be and remain in full force and effect for a period of two years from and after such final determination, and until the final determination as in this act provided of other and different rentals, rates and charges, unless sooner modified or changed by agreement between the city or town council and the public utility affected."

Also, to amend section 4 by changing the period at the end of the 7th line thereof to a comma, and by adding after said comma the words, "but this act shall not apply to or include the physical properties, operation or service of interurban or street railways."

Also, to amend section 3 by changing the period at the end of line 16 of the printed bill to a comma and adding thereafter, "but said 25 free-holders shall file with said petition a bond for the costs of said proceedings in an amount and with sureties satisfactory to the city council."

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Heald filed the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 532 by striking out of lines 4, 5, 6 and 7 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Nor to debentures or bonds issued by any corporation organized under this chapter for the purpose of manufacturing or selling gas, heat, steam or electricity, or constructing or operating interurban or street railways, or for any one or more of said purposes, when such debentures or bonds are not issued in an amount exceeding twice the amount of the paid up capital stock of such corporation."

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 429 passed the Senate.

A. M. PARKER.

Senator Nye moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA. APRIL 9, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Harry B. Kofske, Pastor of the M. E. Church, Ossian, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Foskett presented a petition of citizens of Blanchard, Iowa, urging passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to committee No. 1 on judiciary.

Senator Allen presented a petition of The Iowa Congress of Mothers urging passage of the bill providing for a Child's Welfare Station.

Referred to committee on appropriations.

Senator Caswell presented a remonstrance of citizens of Harrison county, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Jones presented a remonstrance of citizens of Montgomery county, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Senator Crist moved that Calendar No. 28, Senate File No. 23, be made a special order for 11 o'clock today.

Carried.

Senator Ream offered the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the pages of the Senate and those of the House shall, at noon on Saturday, April 10th, 1915, be excused for the rest of the day.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

MOTION FOR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Schrup offered the following motion:

I move that a committee of three be appointed to draft and submit appropriate resolutions, commemorating the life, character and public service of Ex-senator James H. Shield of Dubuque, Iowa.

Carried.

President appointed as such committee Senators Schrup, Perkins and Quigley.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 543, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred seventy-five (1875), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of bank examiners, their salaries, and fees of banks, and enacting a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 560, a bill for an act to provide for the safety of people employed or assembling in certain buildings, and to charge owners and others with duties with reference thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 614, a bill for an act to amend sections eighteen hundred forty-five (1845) and eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851) of the code relating to savings banks and to provide that the provisions of sections eighteen hundred forty-seven (1847), eighteen hundred forty-nine (1849), eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851), eighteen hundred fifty-three (1853), eighteen hundred fifty-four (1854), eighteen hundred fifty-six (1856) of the code and sections eighteen hundred forty-eight (1848), eighteen hundred fifty (1850), eighteen hundred fifty-a (1850-a), eighteen hundred fifty-two (1852) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to savings banks, shall be applicable to state banks, and being additional to title nine (9), chapter eleven (11) of the code and amendments thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend chapter 8-a, title V, of the 1913 supplement to the code, relating to protection of city property from floods.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 425, a bill for an act to legalize and validate all assessments on property for taxation made prior to January first, 1915, where the assessor has failed to attach his oath to the assessment roll as required by section 1365 of the code, and all taxes levied under and by virtue of such assessment.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 511, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 565, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-twelve (1989-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of costs and damages for the construction of levees, ditches, drains and drainage districts.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 250, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-one hundred twenty-five (2125), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to definition of switching service.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 186, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to penalty for non-enforcement of the weed law by township officers.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 610, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the amount of insurance to be required on improvements included in loans made by insurance companies.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 607, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred fourteen-f (1614-f), supplement to the code, 1913, and section one thousand six hundred fourteen-g (1614-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to annual reports by corporations, by striking out certain words therein and substituting other words in lieu thereof, and by adding to said section.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 568, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section forty-three hundred thirty-eight (4338), of the code, relating to the disposition of fines and forfeitures.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 473, a bill for an act for the relief of Carl Persing, a student and employe of the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 270, a bill for an act to repeal section five hundred ten-a (510-a) and five hundred ten-b (510-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, relating to the compensation to be paid sheriffs and providing for the appointment of deputy sheriffs and for the fixing of the salary thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 458, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 475, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred four (1304), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of certain property from taxation.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 483, a bill for an act to repeal section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756), of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor defining the crime of rape and providing a penalty therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 609, a bill for an act to provide for the visitation of private and public hospitals, reformatory home, house of detention, sectarian seminaries, asylums or other institutions which receive patients, pupils or other inmates, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 476, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred twenty-eight (1528), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes by township trustees.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 516, a bill for an act relative to the issuance of policies of fire insurance, prohibiting false or misleading representations by advertisements, and providing a penalty for its violation.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 353, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the inspection of petroleum as the same appears in chapter eleven (11), title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, and making an annual appropriation for the oil inspection department.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

Senate File No. 12, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the code of 1897, relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code of 1897, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE FILE NO. 12.

Amend the substitute bill for Senate File No. 12 by adding to Section 1 of said substitute the following:

“and by adding in the twenty-fourth line thereof after the word ‘justice’ the word ‘or judge’;”

Also amend by adding the words “within the county” after the word “judge” as the same appears in the fifth line of Section 2;

Also amend by adding to Section 2 of said substitute the following:

“and by adding in the twenty-first line thereof after the word ‘justice’ the words ‘or judge’.”

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, “Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?”

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Par-

ker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Kimball, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, White of Iowa—16.

The House amendments, having received a constitutional majority, were declared to have been concurred in.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 423, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File No. 423 by adding to Section 1 of said bill the following, also by striking from said Section 2405 of the code, the words "in said district" and by substituting in lieu thereof the words "within the state".

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Iowa—17.

The House amendments, having received a constitutional majority, were declared to have been concurred in.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 420, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passengers, vehicles, etc.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by substituting the following for the present title to Senate File No. 420:

"A bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for individuals to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, when same is intended for unlawful purposes."

Amend Senate File No. 420 by striking out the word "his" preceding the word "hand" where the same appears in the second line of Section 1 of said bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "any".

Amend Senate File No. 420 by adding thereto the following:

SECTION 2. The provisions of this act shall not be in force and effect until January 1, 1916.

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Doran, Fellows, Fleek, Feskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hillsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Kimball, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Shecan, Thompson, White of Iowa—18.

The House amendments, having received a constitutional majority, were declared to have been concurred in.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 421, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the provisions of Chapter six (6), title twelve (XII) of the code and laws amendatory thereto.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend the title to Senate File No. 421 by striking out the words "prohibitory liquor law" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "provisions of chapter six (6), title twelve (XII), of the code and laws amendatory thereto."

Amend Senate File No. 421 by striking out the words "the prohibitory liquor law" as the same appear in lines three and four of Section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "any of the provisions of chapter six (6), title twelve (XII), of the code and the laws amendatory thereto."

Amend Senate File No. 421 by striking out the words "and commitment" wherever the same appears in section 2 thereof.

Amend Senate File No. 421 by striking out of line three of section 2 the word "from" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "in".

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Enger, Fellows, Fleek, Fosskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Kimball, Quigley, Schrup, Shean, Thompson, White of Benton—16.

The House amendments, having received a constitutional majority, were declared to have been concurred in.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 422, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File No. 422 by inserting after the word "by" in line nine of section 1 of the bill the following: "a fine of not less than \$500 or more than \$1000.00 or by".

Senator Whitmore moved the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Parker, Quigley, Schrup, Shecan, Thompson, White of Iowa—14.

The House amendments, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have been concurred in.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File No. 426 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting in the fifth (5th) line thereof, after the comma (,) following the word "otherwise", the following:

'or who shall within this state, in any manner, directly or indirectly, solicit, take, or accept any order for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquor,'"

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Kimball, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—16.

So the House amendments were declared to have been concurred in.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED

Senate File No. 222, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred ten (810), of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to publication of preliminary notice of street improvements.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by striking out all of sections one and two (1) and (2) and by substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That section eight hundred ten (810), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting the word 'fourteen' in the eighth (8) line thereof for the word 'twenty' and by substituting the word 'two' for the word 'four' in the tenth (10) line thereof."

Senator Whitmore moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout,

Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Kimball, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Thompson—14.

So the House amendments were declared to have been concurred in.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 519, a bill for an act creating a department of social progress, a department of industries, and a department of public safety, and providing for the appointment of superintendents thereof and prescribing the rights, powers, duties and compensation of the superintendent of these departments; creating a governor's advisory board and transferring to the said board all the powers, rights, and duties of the executive council, abolishing the executive council, providing for the filing of reports and the editing and publishing thereof, creating an official budget, transferring to the superintendent of the department of public safety all present duties of the secretary of state relating to the registration of motor vehicles, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Senator Allen moved that Senate File No. 519 be placed on the Calendar.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Jones, Ream, Schrup, Voorhees, Whitmore—15.

The nays were:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hillsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—32.

Absent or not voting:

Darrah, Foster, Larrabee—3.

Motion lost.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 361, a bill for an act providing for the construction by the board of control of extension of street paving of the city of Council Bluffs through the grounds of the Iowa School for the Deaf, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend the title by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting a comma and adding the following:—"and making an appropriation therefor." Amend Section Two by striking out the words "and directed" in line two. Amend Section Three by striking out the words and figures "Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00)" Further by striking out the period at the end of said Section three and inserting the following:—"when a new cement bridge is erected over Mosquito Creek at the end of the paving constructed by the city of Council Bluffs as mentioned in paragraph one of the preamble hereof."

A. C. SAVAGE,

Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 66, a bill for an act to reimburse and indemnify by way of compensation to Alfred Hansen for a personal injury sustained while working at the "spotting of cars" in the State Reformatory at Anamosa, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass.

Amend Section 1 by striking out of line three the words and figures "Two Thousand (\$2000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twelve Hundred Fifty (\$1250.00)", and further amend by

striking out of line six of said section the words and figures "Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twelve Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$1250.00)" Further amend Section two by striking out of line three thereof the words and figures "Two Thousand (\$2000.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twelve Hundred Fifty (\$1250.00)"

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 398, a bill for an act to establish a bureau for the registration of criminals, dangerous defectives and delinquents by the finger print method of identification, to provide for the employment of an operative skilled in the classification and filing of the same and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers, and all other officials charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, dangerous defectives and delinquents, in the collection of finger-prints and data relating to them, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Savage, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 126, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, making any person found to be a bootlegger guilty of committing a misdemeanor.

Also:

Senate File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors, and providing the time when same shall go into effect.

Also:

Senate File No. 425, a bill for an act prohibiting the collection of, or attempt to collect, or solicitation for, payment within this state, for intoxicating liquor sold or shipped within this state for illegal purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 427, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax, statement by citizens, and enacting a substitute therefor.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 126, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, making any person found to be a bootlegger guilty of committing a misdemeanor.

Also:

Senate File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors, and providing the time when same shall go into effect.

Also:

Senate File No. 425, a bill for an act prohibiting the collection of, or attempt to collect, or solicitation for, payment within this state, for intoxicating liquor sold or shipped within this state for illegal purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 427, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax, statement by citizens, and enacting a substitute therefor.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved that Calendar No. 121, Senate File No. 484 be made a special order for 10:30 a. m., Tuesday, April 13.

Motion lost.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Whitmore called up for consideration the motion filed by Senator Chase and found on page 1373 of the Journal, to recon-

sider the vote by which Senate File No. 407 failed to pass the Senate.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 407, a bill for an act authorizing the use of photographic processes in the making and copying of public records in the public offices of this state, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—31.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Eversmeyer, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Lindly, Nye, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—13.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Darrah, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Whitmore moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 407 passed the Senate and to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

Carried.

By unanimous consent, Senator Fleck withdrew Senate File No. 61 from further consideration by the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Kimball called up for consideration the motion filed by him and found on page 1029 of the journal, to reconsider the vote by which the report of the committee to indefinitely postpone House File No. 234 was adopted.

On this motion to reconsider, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boc, Enger, Farr, Foster, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Thomas, White of Iowa—20.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

Absent or not voting:

Darrah, Foskett, Taylor—3.

The motion to reconsider was lost.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 126, 424, 425, and 427.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for Special Order, on motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 23, a bill for an act authorizing and empowering the board of railroad commissioners to prescribe and establish joint service between telephone lines or systems and to fix the terms and conditions under which the same shall be rendered and limit the rates or tolls to be charged therefor, and prescribe penalties for violations of orders of such board, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the following amendments, found on pages 1393, 1394, and 1395 of the Senate Journal:

Amend Senate File No. 23 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. The Board of Railroad Commissioners of this state shall have general supervision and regulation of, and jurisdiction and control over all telephone companies furnishing any telephone service within this state, and including the operation of all conveniences, appliances, instrumentalities or equipment utilized in connection therewith or appertaining thereto, and including all corporations, companies, persons, associations, trustees, lessees, and receivers, owning or having any interest in any such telephone company or any right appertaining thereto,

for the purpose of prescribing and establishing joint service, as in this act provided, between any such telephone companies maintaining a switching station or telephone exchange office in the same city or town within this state, and of fixing and determining the terms and conditions under which the same shall be rendered and the rates and tolls which may be charged therefor, and for the purpose of enforcing and carrying into effect all of the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. Upon the written application of twenty-five patrons of any telephone company or upon the written application of the representatives of any telephone company operating in whole or in part within this state, the said Board of Railroad Commissioners shall upon notice to the interested parties and hearing upon said application by order require such telephone companies maintaining a switching station or telephone exchange office in the same city or town within this state to establish a joint service, and shall fix the rates or tolls which may be charged therefor, and the terms and conditions under which such joint service shall be rendered and the rates or tolls paid. In case such joint service is not established as ordered by the said board, then the said board shall establish the same and shall make such physical connections between such telephone companies as may be necessary to carry into effect any such order, and said board shall proportion the cost thereof between such telephone companies and require them to make payment thereof and in case such costs are not paid suit may be brought to recover the same by said board in the district court of Iowa. All orders or requirements of said board for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act shall be served upon the interested parties in the same manner in which original notices are served.

SEC. 3. The words "joint service" as used in this act shall mean among other things adequate telephone service between the patrons of one telephone company and the patrons of another telephone company. The words "physical connections" as used in this act mean such number of trunk lines or complete wire circuits and connections as may be required to furnish adequate telephone service between such telephone companies. The words "telephone company or telephone companies" as used in this act shall embrace all persons, firms, corporations or other organizations engaged in the business of furnishing means of communication by telephone within the state of Iowa.

SEC. 4. Every telephone company having conduits, subways, poles or other equipment on, over or under any street or highway shall, for a reasonable compensation and upon such terms and conditions as the said board shall prescribe and order for the purposes set forth in this act, permit the use of the same by any other telephone company, whenever, in the judgment of the said board, public convenience and necessity require such use, and when such use will not result in irreparable or serious injury or damage to the telephone company owning such conduits, subways, poles or equipment, nor in any substantial detriment to the service to be rendered or supply furnished by such public utility.

SEC. 5. No such telephone company shall, directly or indirectly, by any special rate, rebate, drawback, or other device or method, charge, de-

mand, collect, or receive from any person or corporation a greater or less compensation for any services rendered or to be rendered than it charges, demands, collects or receives from any other person or corporation for rendering or furnishing a like and contemporaneous service under substantially similar circumstances and conditions.

No such telephone company shall, directly or indirectly, make or give any preference or advantage to or in favor of any person, corporation or locality, or to any particular description of traffic or service in any respect whatever, or subject any person, corporation or locality or any particular description of traffic, service or supply to any prejudice or disadvantage in any respect whatsoever.

SEC. 6. Any telephone company or its officer or agent who shall violate any order or requirement of the Board of Railroad Commissioners authorized by this act, or who shall fail or neglect to comply therewith upon conviction thereof shall be liable to a fine in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, and to imprisonment not exceeding sixty days in jail.

SEC. 7. This act is deemed and hereby declared to be of immediate public importance, and shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the "Register and Leader," and the "Des Moines News," newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Adopted.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending measure by adding to section 5 the following:

"All such telephone companies furnishing telephone service between cities and towns within this state, shall file with the Board of Railroad Commissioners, within ninety days after this act takes effect, a schedule of their rates or tolls which were being charged for such service on the first day of May, 1915, and thereafter when such rates or tolls are changed such telephone companies shall file with the said Board of Railroad Commissioners, a schedule showing the new rates or tolls established."

Adopted.

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by striking out that part of Sec. 5 of the amendment beginning with the word "no" in line 9 of Sec 5, as amended, and ending with the word "whatsoever" in the same section.

Amendment lost.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting at the beginning of section 1 the following: "For the purpose of prescribing and establishing joint service only."

Amend by striking out the following words in said section: "for the purpose of prescribing and establishing joint service as in this act provided."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment filed by him and found on page 1455 of the journal and moved its adoption:

1st. Add after section 6 the following:

SECTION 7. The provisions of this act shall not be construed as depriving the council of cities, cities under commission form of government, or of special charter cities of jurisdiction to regulate local service of telephone lines or telephone companies operated for pecuniary profit. The use and enjoyment of all such telephone rights and franchises shall be subject to such reasonable rules and regulations and orders, controlling the extent and quality of construction and service to be maintained by the corporation enjoying such rights, and prescribing the location and arrangement of its tracks, poles, wires, conduits, or other appurtenances, as are, or may be from time to time, enacted by the town or said city councils. In case any such regulation or enactment shall seem to any such corporation unreasonable, such corporation, within thirty days after the same has been passed, may complain to the railroad commission, setting forth that such regulation or order is not reasonable in the premises, and thereupon said commission shall proceed to hear and determine the matter; subject, however, to the right of appeal to the district court for the county wherein is situated the town or city passing such regulation or enactment.

2d. Renumber the following sections.

Adopted.

Senator Doran offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by adding the following thereto: Provided that nothing in this act will compel the local mutual telephone companies to make a report to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Boe, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Greene, Hagemann, Robinson, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—14.

The nays were:

Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Taylor, Thomas—16.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Arney, Chase, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Thompson—20.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend by inserting before the word "cities" where it first appears in line 2 of section 7 of the amendment as printed in the journal the words "towns or".

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—45.

The nays were :

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Nye, Savage, Wilson—4.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 23 and moved its adoption :

I move to strike out the title and insert in lieu thereof the following :

"For an act conferring upon the board of railroad commissioners certain regulatory and supervisory powers over telephone companies and authorizing and empowering said board of railroad commissioners to prescribe and establish joint service between telephone companies and to fix the terms and conditions under which the same shall be rendered such telephone companies, and providing penalties for violation of the and the rates to be charged therefor, and to prevent discrimination by orders of such board."

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Ream, Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of \$300.00 to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the State Institution for Inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the Superintendent of said Institution, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee on appropriations adopted.

Senator Ream moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the words and figures "Three hundred dollars (\$300.00)" in line one (1) of the title and by striking out the words and figures "Three hundred dollars (\$300.00)" in line three (3) of section one (1), and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two hundred dollars (\$200.00)", in line one of the title and in line three of section one respectively.

Adopted.

Senator Ream moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Taylor, White of Iowa—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Arney, House File No. 250, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-one hundred twenty-five (2125), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to definition of switching service, was taken up and considered.

Senator Arney moved that the rule by which no bill be read a second and third time on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shecan, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Laffer, White of Benton—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Arney withdrew Senate File No. 212 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 503, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 17-B of title XXII, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of optometry, providing for the creation of a board of examiners in optometry, regulating the practice of optometry and provid-

ing penalties for the violation of said chapter, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by striking out section 1 of said bill and renumbering sections 2 and 3.

Adopted.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 503 by striking out the publication clause.

Adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Parker invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hillsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Arney, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Greene, Helmer, Larrabee, Quigley—8.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Darrah, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Laffer, Nye, Ream, Schrup, Thomas—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 525, a bill for an act to limit the compensation of public officers and employees to the salaries allowed them by law and to prevent the payment

to them of additional sums and to punish the claiming or receiving of such additional sums, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Foster, Frailey, Heald, Laffer, Ream—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Wilson, House File No. 429, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721) of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Clarkson moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which House File No. 429 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Further consideration deferred.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 36 was indefinitely postponed by the Senate.

JOHN H. DARRAH.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 154 was indefinitely postponed by the Senate.

JOHN H. DARRAH.

Senator Boe moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President Harding, presiding.

RESOLUTION FOR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Farr offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved, that the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three to draft appropriate resolutions relative to the life and service of Hon. George D. Perkins, now deceased, formerly a member of the Senate of the State of Iowa.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

President appointed as such committee Senators Farr, Thomas and Kimball.

Secretary was instructed to call the roll to ascertain if a quorum was present.

Those present were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton Whitmore, Wilson—33.

Roll call showed a quorum present.

On request of Senator Enger, leave of absence was granted Senator Heald for this afternoon and Saturday.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of House File No. 429, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Shean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton—19.

The nays were:

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Whitmore, Wilson—17.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Jackson, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House requests the return of House File No. 614, in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following joint resolution, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House Joint Resolution No. 10, a joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, providing for the initiative and referendum, with reference to the enactment of laws and amendments to the constitution.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 413, a bill for an act requiring cities to establish and maintain public comfort stations.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 418, a bill for an act requiring common carriers of intoxicating liquor to keep a daily record of such shipments; prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such record by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the incorporated town of Charter Oak, Iowa, on the third day of August, 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said town the question of erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant, and also the question of the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00), for electric light and power plant purposes, and to validate and legalize the proceedings of the town council had in relation to said special election preliminary to the holding thereof, and to legalize the ballots used at said special election and to legalize the bonds to be issued in pursuance thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 375, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-four (2215-f 24), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-five (2215-f 25), and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-seven (2215-f 27), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 586, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings under which the Independent School District of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school funding and school building purposes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following joint resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, a joint resolution disallowing claims of certain citizens of the Kingdom of Greece for damages alleged to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29th, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 411, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a 8 (1989-a 8), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the construction of levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, and providing for bonds as protection for payment for same.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Substitute for Senate File No. 376, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f 14), section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fifteen (2215-f 15), and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f seventeen (2215-f 17), supplement to the code, 1913; to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f forty-three (2215-f 43), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 491, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Helmer, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 541, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-m (2477-m), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employer's liability and workmen's compensation, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File No. 541 by striking out the letter "d" in the 4th line of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "e".

Adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen Caswell, Crist, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, House File, No. 383, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the allowance made for labor performed by dipsomaniacs and inebriates, as the same appear in section 2310-a37 supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Crist, Farr, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Quigley, Savage, Voorhees, White of Iowa—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Arney, House File No. 269, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-a (1661-a) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved the adoption of the following amendments :

Amend by striking out the words "of the" preceding the word "supplement" in line two of the title, and by striking out the words "of the" preceding the word "supplement" in line two of section one, and inserting in lieu of the words "of the" in the title and line two of section one a comma ",".

Adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were :

Gillette—1.

Absent or not voting :

Heald, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 362, a bill for an act providing for the organization of home banks incorporated, defining the powers of the directors, specifying the nature and character of the investments to be made, limiting the liabilities of the stockholders, limiting the salaries to be paid its officers, limiting the dividends to be paid the stockholders, providing for the disposition of the surplus, making provision for the encouragement of home ownership and providing funds with which to make chattel loans and that class of loans now made by loan sharks, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Hilsinger, Lindly, Ream, Savage, White of Benton, White of Iowa—9.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Gillette Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Fellows, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor—11.

The report of the committee to indefinitely postpone was rejected.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 2:40 p. m.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:45 p. m.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

Foster, Lindly, White of Benton—3.

Absent or not voting :

Fraily, Heald, Jones, Kimball, Quigley, Ream, Savage—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foster, House File No. 376, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred eighty-one (1881) of the code, relating to the report of the condition of banks by the auditor of state to the governor, and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Further consideration deferred.

On motion of Senator Perkins, House File No. 88, a bill for an act to regulate the practice of chiropractic and to provide for the examination and license of chiropractors, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved the adoption of the following amendments:

At the end of section 1 add the following:

"Provided, that after the year 1916 no person shall be eligible for examination or license who has not had a preliminary training equal to a course in an accredited high school."

After the word "act" in the 13th line of section 9 insert the words, "or any other medical practice act now in force or effect."

Strike out the words "at the close of each regular meeting of the board of examiners" in lines 1 and 2 of section 11, and also the comma

(,) following the said words, and change the letter "t" in the word following the comma to a capital.

Insert after the word "state" in line 3 of section 11 the words "in accordance with the provisions of existing law."

Adopted.

Senator Perkins offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the pending bill by striking out all after the enacting clause and by substituting the following:

"SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in Section Twenty-five Hundred Eighty-three-a (2583-a), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"Any person of good moral character holding a diploma from a legally incorporated school of osteopathy, chiropractic or other school which teaches the science of healing and which shall be recognized as of good standing by the state board of medical examiners, and wherein the course of study comprises a term of at least three (3) years of at least nine (9) months each in actual attendance at such school, and which shall include instruction in the following branches, to-wit: Anatomy, including dissection of a full lateral half of the cadaver, physiology, chemistry, histology, pathology, bacteriology, gynecology, obstetrics, symptomatology, hygiene and sanitation, shall, upon presentation of such diploma to the state board of medical examiners and satisfying such board that he is the legal holder thereof, be granted by such board an examination in the branches herein named. The fee for said examination, which shall accompany the application, shall be Ten Dollars (\$10.00), and the examination shall be conducted in the same manner and at the same place and on the same date that physicians are examined, as prescribed by Section twenty-five Hundred Seventy-six (2576), Supplement to the Code, 1913. The same general average shall be required as in cases of physicians; providing, that any person of good moral character now practicing the healing art in this state without surgery or use of drugs and who does not possess a certificate issued by the state board of medical examiners authorizing him to practice, but who has been graduated from any organized school or college of chiropractic or other school teaching the healing art and who has been engaged in actual and bona fide practice within the State of Iowa for at least one (1) year prior to the passage of this act, and who shall furnish satisfactory evidence that they possess the degree of skill and knowledge contemplated by this act, and are regarded as reputable and successful practitioners in their respective communities, shall be granted certificate signed by the president and secretary of said board, which certificate shall authorize the holder thereof to practice the healing art without surgery or the use of drugs in the State of Iowa, and shall designate the school of practice which the holder desires to follow. All applicants shall make application to the state board of medical examiners for license within ninety (90) days after the taking effect of this act. Provided, however, that after July 1, 1917, no person shall

be entitled to take an examination under the provisions of this act who does not hold a diploma from a school teaching the science of healing, recognized as of good standing by the state board of medical examiners, having a course of study comprising a term of four (4) years of at least eight (8) months each which shall include instructions in the branches herein specified, and who shall possess a high school education or its equivalent."

SEC. 2. The provisions of Section Twenty-five Hundred Eighty-two (2582) and Twenty-five Hundred Eighty-two-a (2582-a), Supplement to the Code, 1913, which relate to admission to the practice of medicine in this state of persons previously admitted to practice in other states, shall apply to the class of practitioners covered by this act, except that in determining the qualifications of applicants from other states who come within the class covered by this act, the standard of requirement as to educational qualifications shall not be higher than that for persons who take an examination under the provisions of this act after July 1, 1919.

SEC. 3. That the law as it appears in Section Twenty-five Hundred Eighty-three-e (2583-e), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out of said section all that part thereof after the comma (,) following the word "osteopathy" in line two (2) and before the word "method" in line three (3) of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "obstetrics, chiropractic, or any form of the healing art without major surgery or the internal use of drugs, or who professes to treat, cure or heal diseases, ailments or injury by any such method or methods"; by striking out the word "osteopath" following the word "itinerant" in line six (6) of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "healer"; and by striking out the word "osteopath" following the word "itinerant" in line seven (7) of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "healer".

SEC. 4. That the law as it appears in Section Twenty-five Hundred Eighty-three-d (2583-d), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "surgery" and before the word "or" in line seven (7) of said section the following: "chiropractic or any other form of the art of healing"; by inserting after the word "surgery" and before the word "or" in line ten (10) of said section the following: chiropractic or any other form of the art of healing"; and also by adding to said section at the end thereof the following: "in addition to all other penalties above provided, the remedy of injunction is hereby made available, and any person continuing to practice without complying with the provisions of this chapter as amended, shall be perpetually enjoined from engaging in such practice without such license, and in the event of a violation of the terms of said injunction, the court issuing the same is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to impose against any such violator a fine in the sum of not less than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) nor more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00). Nothing in the provisions of this act shall be construed to abridge the rights of any person or sect in the exercise of prayer, supplication or any mental or spiritual process for the prevention of disease or the relief of the sick." "

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded.

Senator Laffer invoked rule 8.

The ayes were :

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Helmer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—24.

The nays were :

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Grout, Hagemann, Henigmaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees—18.

Absent or not voting :

Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Kimball, Ream, Savage—8.

The substitute amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend House File No. 88 as amended by striking out of Sec. 4 in the last two lines that part of same reading "or any mental", so that the last sentence shall read: "Nothing in the provisions of this act shall be construed to abridge the rights of any person in the exercise of prayer, supplication or spiritual process for the prevention of disease or the relief of the sick."

Adopted.

Senator Perkins offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

I move to amend the substitute for House File No. 88 as follows:

By inserting after the word "histology" and before the word "pathology" in line fourteen (14) thereof the words "minor surgery".

By striking out the figures "1917" in line forty-four (44) thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1918".

Adopted.

Senator Perkins offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend the substitute for House File No. 88 by adding to the end of Section 4 the following:

"Any person holding a certificate to practice any healing art under the provisions of this act, and who has recorded such certificate as herein provided shall be entitled to perform any act or service which other phy-

sicians are now by law authorized to perform; provided, however, that any person practicing any healing art as provided for in this act shall not practice any form of such healing art in the essential sciences of which he has not received adequate instruction."

Admendment lost.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Perkins invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—25.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting:

Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Ream—6.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 533, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, and their indigent wives, widows, and their minor children, and the erection or maintenance of monuments or memorial halls for soldiers and sailors, was taken up and considered.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by inserting after the word "County" and before the word "Except", in the thirteenth line of Section one, the following: "Or across the line in an adjoining county where such cemetery is used chiefly by the inhabitants of the County voting the tax."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean Thomas—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Boe, Senate File No. 563, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred thirty-four-c (2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Boe moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Thompson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Schrup, Senate File No. 235, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Schrup moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Strike out sections 1 and 2 of the bill and substitute the following as sections 1 and 2:

SECTION 1. That section 2911-a, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "stock" in the 5th line of said section, the words, "or fixtures, or stock and fixtures", and by striking from line 5 of said section, the word, "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seven". . .

SECTION 2. That section 2911-b, supplement to the code, 1913, be amended as follows: By striking out the period after the word "transaction" in the last line, and adding the following: ", except creditors to whom notice was mailed as provided in section 2911-a, but if such creditors have received any part of the purchase price paid they shall be required to contribute equitably to those who have not received such notice."

Senator Schrup moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robin-

son, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Thomas—6.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Thompson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, House File No. 381, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-three (423), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File No. 381 by adding thereto the following:

"SECTION 2. That section twenty-two hundred forty-one (2241), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting the word "ten" for the word "five" in the sixth (6th) line thereof.

SECTION 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines News, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Hillsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Doran, Lindly—2.

Absent or not voting :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Thompson—19.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 381 and moved its adoption :

Amend the title of House File No. 381 by substituting therefor the following title:

“A Bill for an Act to Amend Sections Four Hundred Twenty-three (423), and Twenty-two Hundred Forty-one (2241), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to Expenditures for County Improvements.”

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Robinson, Senate File No. 273, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Hospital for Inebriates, Penitentiary and Reformatory, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Robinson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File No. 273 by striking out the period after the word “reformatory” in the last line of section 1 of the bill, and substituting in lieu thereof a semi-colon, and adding the words “provided, however, that not more than one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$175,000.00) of said appropriation shall be available for the period ending June 30, 1916, and not more than one hundred seventy-five thousand one hundred seventy dollars \$(175,170.00) shall be available for the period ending June 30, 1917.

Adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Shean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Chase, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Thompson—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent Senator Fellows withdrew Senate File No. 205 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 149, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws becoming effective by publication, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend Senate File No. 149 by striking out Section 2 and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, will take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Muscatine Journal, a newspaper published in the city of Muscatine, Iowa."

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Voorhees—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Helmer, House File No. 396, a bill for an act to amend section 741-d, section 741-e and section 741-f, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of city halls and the purchasing of ground therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend the title by inserting immediately preceding the word "supplement" in the third (3) line thereof the words "and section seven hundred forty-one-h (741-h),"

Amend by inserting at the end of said bill the following:

"SECTION 5. That section seven hundred forty-one-h (741-h) be amended by inserting after the word "city" in line two (2) thereof the words "or town".

Also by striking out all of said section after the period (.) following the word "purpose" in the third (3) line thereof, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "In cities having a population of five thousand or over notice of such election shall be published in two newspapers published in said city once each week for not less than four consecutive weeks. In all other cities and towns notice of such election shall be given by publication in one newspaper published in said city or town once each week for not less than two consecutive weeks. The election shall be held not less than five nor more than twenty days after the

completion of the publication of such notice. The question to be submitted shall be in the following form:

"Shall the city (or town) of.....erect a city (or town) hall at a cost not exceeding \$......"

Adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

- Amend the amendment proposed by the committee as printed on page 1101 of the Senate Journal by striking out of lines 12 and 13 of section 5 of said printed amendment the words "completion of the" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "last".

Adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Larrabee, Perkins, Ream, Savage—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Arney, Senate File No. 258, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred and ninety-five (695) of the code, relating to the rights, powers, privileges and jurisdiction of cities and towns, including cities under commission government and cities under special charter, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Add after the period in line twenty-three (23) the following: "Nothing in this law shall be construed as granting any municipality power to incur any debt or levy any taxes unless the same is now, or may be hereafter, specifically authorized by law."

Add after the period in line twenty-nine (29) the following: "Nothing in this law shall be construed as repealing any of the police powers of the state and all laws enacted by the state shall be binding on all municipalities and municipal officers."

Adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—25.

The nays were:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Hilsinger, Lindly, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson—10.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Crist, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Ream, Thomas—15.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 583, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest, was taken up and considered.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Savage moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

Senator Savage invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Thomas, Wilson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 584, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eighth (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contests, was taken up and considered.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Savage moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting :

Arney, Boe, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Laffer, Ream, Thompson—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 585, a bill for an act making an appropriation for extra clerical assistance and help in the office of the secretary of state, was taken up and considered.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Ream, Thompson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on cities and towns, to whom was referred Senate File No. 440, a bill for an act to authorize boards of park commissioners of cities having a population of over 25,000 to locate and acquire single blocks of ground in different parts of such city for public playgrounds and public squares for park purposes; to establish a park

district and to assess costs, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

CLEM. F. KIMBALL,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Kimball, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Helmer filed the following amendments:

Amend the substitute proposed by the committee to Senate File No. 335 by striking out Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the code be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"If any person ravish and carnally know any female or female child, by force and against her will, or if any person over the age of twenty-one years, carnally know and abuse any female child under the age of eighteen years, he shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary for life or any term of years. If any person under the age of twenty-one years carnally know and abuse any female child under the age of eighteen years, he shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary not more than five years, or in the county jail not more than one year. The burden of proving the age of any person charged with such crime shall not be on the state, but the defendant may prove that he was under twenty-one years of age at the time of the commission of the alleged crime, and on such question, in every proper case, the jury shall make a finding as to the age of the defendant under proper instructions by the court."

Senator Clarkson filed the following amendments:

I move to amend Senate File No. 289 as follows:

Amend Section Four, line nine (9) as the same appears in the printed bill by striking out the period and quotation marks following the word "government" and adding the following: "nor shall their sale, at the weights so ascertained, and because thereof, be, by such ordinance, prohibited or restricted."

Also amend the bill by inserting the following as section five:

"SECTION 5. That the law as it appears in section 3009-n, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the period following the word "tests" in line twelve and enacting in lieu thereof the following: "An inspection fee shall be charged the person owning or operating the scale so inspected in accordance with the following schedule, to-wit:

Scales over 500 lbs. capacity up to and including 4000

lbs. capacity\$1.00 each

Scales over 4000 lbs. capacity up to and including 21,000

lbs. capacity\$3.00 each

Scales over 21,000 lbs. capacity not including railroad track scales	\$5.00 each
Railroad track scales	\$10.00 each
All hopper or automatic scales	\$2.00 each

No person shall be required to pay more than two inspection fees for any one scale in any one year. Whenever such inspection shall be made upon the complaint of any person, other than the owner of the scale, and upon examination the scale is found by the inspector to be accurate for weighing, the inspection fee for such inspection shall be paid by the person making complaint.

Whenever special request is made for an inspection of a scale the actual expenses of the same shall be paid by the owner of said scale, or the one making complaint as herein provided."

Also amend the bill by numbering the present section five as section six, the present section six as section seven, the present section seven as section eight, and the present section eight as section nine.

Senator Kimball filed the following amendments to Substitute for Senate File No. 576, as found on page 1180 of the Senate Journal:

I move to amend the substitute for Senate File 576 in the following particulars:

By amending the title by inserting the words "and repealing sections" between the 8th and 9th lines of said title, and by inserting after the figures "1913" first appearing in line 11 of said title the words "and enacting substitutes therefor and all".

By substituting the word "second" for the word "first" first appearing after the words "provided also that if by reason of the height, etc." in Section 2 and by inserting the word "average" before the word "maximum" first appearing after the words "provided also, etc." and;

By substituting "such average maximum number of" for the words "of all" after the word "exit" first appearing after the words "provided also" in Section 2 and;

By substituting the word "fifteen" for the word "eight" before the word "minutes" last appearing in Section 2 and by substituting a comma for the period and by adding to Section 2 the following: "when said fire escapes are fully loaded, which rate of descent shall be estimated to permit the exit of not to exceed one person per second. Provided that the time of complete exit as herein provided may be increased where efficient sprinkler systems are installed, such increase of time to be determined by the character and efficiency of the sprinkling system installed unless peculiar or unusual hazards shall exist."

By inserting the words "reaching the top floor" after the words "all fire escapes" first appearing in the paragraph "Class C" of Section 3;

By inserting the words "or equivalent" after the words "mortise latches" last appearing in Section 3.

By inserting the words "by the inspector" after the words "deemed sufficient" in the fourth line of Section 5.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 429 failed to pass the Senate by constitutional majority. J. M. WILSON.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor stating that he had this day approved Senate Files Nos. 465, 106, 53, 51, 378, 41, 377, 45, 105, 496, 183, 3, 2, 144, 317 and 498.

SENATE AND HOUSE FILES RETURNED.

Senator Francis, from the committee No. 1 on judiciary, returned to the Senate, Senate File Nos. 490, 39, and 473 and House File Nos. 533, 537, 505, 201, 566, 95 and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Chase, from the committee No. 2 on judiciary, returned to the Senate, Senate File No. 458, 594, 554, 127, 210, 367, 591 and House File Nos. 487, 593, 612, 507, 372 and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Heald from the committee on penitentiaries and pardons returned to the Senate, Senate File No. 412 and House File No. 34 and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Francis from the committee No. 1 on judiciary returned to the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 311, 114, 391, 461 and 535, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

SENATE FILES WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent Senator White of Benton withdrew Senate File No. 172 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent Senator Perkins withdrew Senate File No. 311 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent Senator Whitmore withdrew Senate File No. 181 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent Senator Arney withdrew Senate File No. 225 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent Senator Parker withdrew the motion filed by him to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 429 passed the Senate.

Senator Larrabee moved that Senate File No. 328 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Carried.

Journal of April 8th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Crist moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 10, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Elias Handy, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Atlantic, Iowa.

Senator Clarkson, from the committee on mines and mining, returned to the Senate, Senate File No. 502, and same was referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Eversmeyer, from the committee on suppression of intemperance, returned to the Senate Senate File No. 181, and same was referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Arney, from the committee on educational institutions, returned to the Senate Senate Files Nos. 579 and 387, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Francis, from the committee No. 2 on judiciary, returned to the Senate House Files Nos. 316 and 515, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Boe, from the committee on schools, returned to the Senate Senate Files Nos. 318, 593, 444, 445, 110, 600, 589, and House Files Nos. 354, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Taylor, from the committee on county and township affairs, returned to the Senate Senate Files Nos. 587, 538, 252, 343, 152, and House Files Nos. 246, 532, 251, 531, 175, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Larrabee, from the committee on railroads, returned to the Senate Senate Files Nos. 394, 482, 365 and 324, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Chase, from the committee No. 2 on judiciary, returned to the Senate Senate Files Nos. 175, 582, 575, 153, 275, and House File No. 390, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Darrah, from the committee on elections, returned to the Senate Senate Files Nos. 36, 374, 373, 542, 607, 546, 468, 246, and 261, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Geneva, Iowa, favoring passage of the bill raising the age of consent.

Referred to sifting committee.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED

House File No. 413, a bill for an act to require cities to establish and maintain public comfort stations.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 10, a bill for an act agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, providing for the initiative and referendum, with reference to the enactment of laws and amendments to the constitution.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House requests the return of House File No. 614, a bill for an act to amend sections eighteen hundred forty-five (1845), eighteen hundred forty-seven (1847), eighteen hundred forty-nine (1849), eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851), eighteen hundred fifty-three (1853), eighteen hundred fifty-four (1854), eighteen hundred fifty-six (1856), code of 1897, and sections eighteen hundred forty-eight (1848), eighteen hundred fifty (1850), eighteen hundred fifty-a (1850-a), eighteen hundred fifty-two (1852), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to savings banks, amending said sections so that same shall apply to state banks.

Senator Jones moved that the request of the House be granted and House File No. 614 be recalled from the sifting committee and returned to the House as requested.

Carried.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Wilson called up for consideration the motion filed by him on April 9th, to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 429 failed to pass the Senate and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

Motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Wilson, House File No. 429, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Clarkson moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which House File No. 429 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Clarkson moved that this bill be made a special order for 10:30 a. m., Tuesday, April 13th.

Carried.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 6, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the qualifications of county superintendent of schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b (2734-b), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also :

House File No. 57. A bill for an act to regulate common carriers and fix liability as common carriers.

Also :

House File No. 136. A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Health to isolate cases of whooping cough, measles, mumps or chickenpox.

Also :

House File No. 330. A bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred eighty-two-t (2682-t), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the state board of education and the finance committee of said board of education.

Also :

House File No. 336. A bill for an act to amend section seven hundred fifty-one (751), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to streets and public grounds.

Also :

House File No. 206. A bill for an act to establish a Board of Accountancy, to provide for granting certificates to those public account-

ants who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 597, a bill for an act relative to certain public utilities, defining their rights, powers, remedies and duties, and providing for their further regulation and control, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Schrup moved that further consideration of this measure be deferred until 11:00 a. m., Monday, April 12th.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 449, a bill for an act authorizing the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, prescribing the method of granting the authority therefor, the regulation of such traffic, and the punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that further consideration of this measure be postponed until next Friday, at 1:30 p. m.

Motion lost.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Hagemann invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Eversmeyer, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa—13.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Farr, Heald, Laffer, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees—7.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Arney, Senate File No. 446, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred-1 (2600-1), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of dentistry, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved the adoption of the following amendment :

Amend section one (1) in the ninth (9th) line thereof by changing the word "ten" to the word "five".

Adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Boe, Chase, Doran, Fellows, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Hilsinger, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Shean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—22.

The nays were :

Allen, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Taylor—17.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Darrah, Farr, Foskett, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees—11.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

Senator Kimball moved that Calendar No. 105, Senate File No. 191, be taken up and considered in place of Calendar No. 3, Senate File No. 221.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 191, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections 410, 411, 416, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and in section 417 and 418 of the code; and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the elections, duties and terms of office of county supervisors, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend the bill by adding to Section 4 the following:

Provided, however, the board of supervisors may, when petitioned to do so by ten per centum of the electors of said county, submit to the qualified voters of the county at any regular election the following proposition: "Shall the county retain the district system of electing supervisors"? If a majority of the votes cast shall be in favor of the said proposition, then the member of the board from each respective district shall be nominated and elected by the electors of the district and not by the electors of the whole county at the first election held after the adoption of the proposition.

Adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 10:15 a. m.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File No. 191 by striking out the words "civil township", in the sixth line of Sec. 4 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "city".

Senator Kimball moved that further action be deferred to 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Francis moved that consideration on Calendar No. 4, Senate File No. 98, be deferred until 1:30 p. m., Tuesday, April 13th.

Carried.

President Harding resumed the chair at 10:55.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Allen called up for consideration the motion filed by him and found on page 1432 of the Journal, to reconsider the vote whereby the report of the committee was adopted on Senate File No. 295, and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—28.

The nays were :

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Foskett, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton, Wilson—17.

Absent or not voting :

Enger, Heald, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees—5.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

The report of the committee was rejected.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 295, a bill for an act making it an offense to bring false charges against employes, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File No. 295 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

SECTION 1. That any person who shall by any letter, mark, sign or designation whatever, or by any verbal statement, falsely and without probable cause, report to any railroad or any other company or corporation, or to any person or firm, or to any of the officers, servants, agents or employes of any such corporation, person or firm, that any conductor, brakeman, engineer, fireman, station agent or any employe of such railroad company, corporation, person or firm has received any money or thing of value for the transportation of persons or property or for other service for which he has not accounted to such corporation, person or firm, or shall falsely and without probable cause report that any conductor, brakeman, engineer, fireman, station agent or other employe of any railroad company, corporation, firm or person, neglected,

failed or refused to collect any money or ticket for transportation of persons or property or other service when it was their duty so to do, shall, on conviction, be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100) or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding thirty days.

Senator Gillette offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend the amendment by adding thereto the following:

“And upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding \$100.00 or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding thirty days.

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann raised the point of order that as this bill had once been indefinitely postponed it should go to the sifting committee.

President held the point not well taken.

The amendment offered by Senator Allen, as amended, was adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimbell, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—35.

The nays were:

Boe, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Perkins, Wilson—7.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Heald, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Thomas, Voorhees—8.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 295 and moved its adoption:

A bill for an act providing punishment for making false charges concerning the honesty of employes.

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relative to excusing the pages.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 547, a bill for an act to amend an act passed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly and approved on the twelfth day of February, 1915, and entitled, "A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the independent school district of Cherokee, County of Cherokee, and State of Iowa."

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 518, a bill for an act to repeal section nine hundred thirty-two-n (932-n), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 626, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a twenty-six (1056-a 26), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the appointment of police judges in cities of the first and second class.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 367, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 575, a bill for an act to amend chapter two-a (2-a) of title ten (X), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a provision for the issuing and payment of county drainage bonds as distinguished from district drainage bonds..

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 613, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand fifty-six-a eighteen (1056-a 18), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the number of councilmen in cities organized under the provisions of said section.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 576, a bill for an act to provide for joint action between the duly constituted authorities of this state having jurisdiction of drainage proceedings and like authorities of adjoining states, with a view to joint and equitable drainage of lands of both states, and to provide for the procedure in such cases.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 6, 57, 136, 330, 336 and 206.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 327, a bill for an act authorizing counties containing not less than 20 square miles of lake surface to issue bonds for not more than sixty thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a public highway around such lakes; authorizing levy of tax to meet interest on said bonds and for payment of said bonds; authorizing construction of said highway under supervision of the state highway commission; providing for use of a portion of the funds placed at the disposition of said commission in construction of said highway, and directing payment to such county for use in construction of said highway, of proceeds in state treasury arising from sale of lake beds situated within such county, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 11:15 a. m.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out section 8.

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—27.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Darrah, Foster, Frailey, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Shean, Thompson, Whitmore—11.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Fellows, Francis, Heald, Jones, Ream, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees—12.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the sections of the bill be renumbered.

Carried.

President Harding resumed the chair at 11:40 a. m.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now. which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Doran, Greene—2.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Chase, Enger, Farr, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—17.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 327 and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by striking therefrom the words "providing for use of a portion of the funds placed at the disposition of said commission in construction of said highway."

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

Senator Frailey asked unanimous consent to withdraw motion to reconsider vote by which Senate refused to concur in House amendment to Senate File No. 34.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Wilson moved that Senate File No. 59 be made a special order for 2 p. m. Monday, April 12th.

Carried.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Francis moved that Senate File No. 369 be made a special order for 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, April 13th.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend section 3009-a to 3009-r, supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the Dairy and Food Commissioners; and repeal sections 3029-a, 3029-b, 3029-c, 3029-d and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting after (3029-d) in line 8 of the title the following: "Supplement to the Code, 1913." Further amend by striking out section 1 and renumbering the other sections as follows: section 2 to be numbered section 1; section 3 to be numbered section 2; section 4 to be numbered section 3, section 5 to be numbered section 4, section 6 to be numbered section 5 and section 7 to be numbered section 6.

Further amend by striking out section 8.

Amendments lost.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment filed by him and found on page 1504 of the Journal and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 289 as follows:

Amend Section Four, line nine (9) as the same appears in the printed bill by striking out the period and quotation marks following the word "government" and adding the following: "nor shall their sale, at the weights so ascertained, and because thereof, be, by such ordinance, prohibited or restricted."

Also amend the bill by inserting the following as section five:

"SECTION 5. That the law as it appears in section 3009-n, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the prices following the word "tests" in line twelve and enacting in lieu thereof the following: "An inspection fee shall be charged the person owning or operating the scale so inspected in accordance with the following schedule, to-wit:

Scales over 500 lbs. capacity up to and including 4000	
lbs. capacity	\$1.00 each
Scales over 4000 lbs. capacity up and including 21,000	
lbs. capacity	\$3.00 each
Scales over 21,000 lbs. capacity not including railroad	
track scales	\$5.00 each
Railroad track scales	\$10.00 each
All hopper or automatic scales	\$2.00 each

No person shall be required to pay more than two inspection fees for any one scale in any one year. Whenever such inspection shall be made upon the complaint of any person, other than the owner of the scale, and upon examination the scale is found by the inspector to be accurate for weighing, the inspection fee for such inspection shall be paid by the person making complaint.

Whenever special request is made for an inspection of a scale the actual expenses of the same shall be paid by the owner of said scale, or the one making complaint as herein provided."

Also amend the bill by numbering the present section five as section six, the present section six as section seven, the present section seven as section eight, and the present section eight as section nine.

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments recommended by the committee were lost.

Motion prevailed.

Further consideration deferred.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 126, 425, 424 and 427.

MOTION FOR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Eversmeyer offered the following motion:

Be It Resolved, that the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three to draft appropriate resolutions relative to the life and service of Honorable John M. Gobble, now deceased, formerly a member of the Senate of the State of Iowa.

Carried.

President appointed as such committee Senators Eversmeyer, Hagemann and Schrup.

MOTION FOR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Eversmeyer offered the following motion:

Be It Resolved, that the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three to draft appropriate resolutions relative to the life and service of Honorable C. A. Carpenter, now deceased, formerly a member of the Senate of the State of Iowa.

Carried.

President appointed as such committee Senators Eversmeyer, Henigbaum and Hilsinger.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:00 p. m. today.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend sections three thousand nine-a to three thousand nine-r (3009-a to 3009-r), supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand twenty-nine-a (3029-a), three thousand twenty-nine-b (3029-b), three thousand twenty-nine-c (3029-c), three thousand twenty-nine-d (3029-d), and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Senator Clarkson moved the adoption of the report of the committee as to section one.

“, Supplement to the code, 1913.”. Amend by striking out section 1.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the report of the committee on section 8 be adopted.

Further amend by striking out section 8.

Lost.

Senator Clarkson moved the adoption of the remainder of the amendment recommended by the committee as to the title.

Amend by inserting after (3029-d) in line 8 of the title the following:

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved the adoption of the amendment as to renumbering sections.

Amend by renumbering the other sections as follows: Section 2 to be numbered Section 1; Section 3 to be numbered Section 2; Section 4 to be numbered Section 3; Section 5 to be numbered Section 4; Section 6 to be numbered Section 5 and Section 7 to be numbered Section 6.

Adopted.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the words "Daily Capital" in Section 8 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Des Moines News".

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

Doran, Henigbaum, Quigley—3.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Enger, Farr, Foster, Heald, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has failed to pass the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 262, a bill for an act to safeguard water supplies to prevent the discharge of sewage or the deposit of garbage into lakes, ponds, natural or artificial depressions or reservoirs, rivers or other water courses or upon land subject to overflow; to provide a plan for enabling cities and towns to provide sewage treatment for existing sewer systems, and to provide for the supervision, direction and care of sanitary installations.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 395, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-h (2341-h), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend section twenty-three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g), twenty-three hundred forty-one-i (2341-i), twenty-three hundred forty-one-k (2341-k), twenty-three hundred forty-one-m (2341-m), twenty-three hundred forty-one-o (2341-o), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-q (2341-q), all relating to the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept for public service.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 260, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty-two-a (1822-a), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title (9), of the code.

Also:

Senate File No. 467, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation, acts and proceedings of the Baker-Lodge Theatre Company, of Keokuk, Lee County, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 479, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 421, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the provisions of chapter six (6), title twelve (XII), of the code and laws amendatory thereto.

Also:

Senate File No. 422, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law.

Also:

Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a) supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.

Also :

Senate File No. 423, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances.

Also :

Substitute for Senate File No. 12, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the code, relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same.

Also :

Senate File No. 222, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section eight hundred ten (810) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to publication of preliminary notice of street improvements.

Also :

Senate File No. 420, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for individuals to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, when same is intended for unlawful purposes.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 260, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty-two-a (1822-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title nine (9), of the code.

Also :

Senate File No. 467, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation, acts and proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company, of Keokuk, Lee County, Iowa.

Also :

Senate File No. 479, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also :

Senate File No. 421, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the provisions of chapter six (6), title twelve (XII), of the code and laws amendatory thereto.

Also :

Senate File No. 422, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law.

Also :

Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a) supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.

Also :

Senate File No. 423, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances.

Also :

Substitute for Senate File No. 12, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the code, relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same.

Also :

Senate File No. 222, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section eight hundred ten (810) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to publication of preliminary notice of street improvements.

Also :

Senate File No. 420, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for individuals to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, when same is intended for unlawful purposes.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 150, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend Senate File No. 150 by striking out the word "January" in the first line of section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July".

Senator Kimball moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Enger, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—20.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 191, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections four hundred ten (410), four hundred eleven (411) and four hundred sixteen (416) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and in sections four hundred seventeen (417) and four hundred eighteen (418), of the code; and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the elections, duties and terms of office of county supervisors.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill as amended by striking out the amendment added to Section 4 and substituting therefor the following:

Provided, however, counties which now nominate and elect supervisors by vote of the electors of the respective districts shall continue to so nominate and elect their supervisors, but the board of supervisors may, and shall when petitioned to do so by fifteen per centum of the electors from each of the districts of the said county, submit to the qualified voters

of the county at any regular election the following proposition: "Shall the county nominate and elect the supervisors by vote of the electors voting at large instead of by districts?" If a majority of the votes cast shall be in favor of said proposition, then the members of the board from the respective districts shall be nominated and elected as herein provided by the electors of the whole county at the first primary and election held after the adoption of the proposition.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—27.

The nays were:

Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Gillette, Hilsinger, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton—11.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Heald, Laffer, Perkins, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Grout withdrew Senate File No. 221 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Caswell, House File No. 32, a bill for an act to enable electors to vote at any general, special, primary, county, township, city or town election, where the Australian ballot is used, when absent or anticipating being absent on the day of such election from the county in which they are electors, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—38.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Enger, Hagemann, Heald, Laffer, Perkins, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Hilsinger, Senate File No. 264, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight (2538) of the supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine by the Commission of Animal Health, and prescribing the method of quarantine, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hilsinger offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 264 by striking out the words "one mile", in the fourth line of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "three miles" and by striking out the word "four", at the end of the sixth line of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two".

Adopted.

Senator Hilsinger moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—36.

The nays were :

Caswell—1.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Enger, Farr, Grout, Heald, Perkins, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On request of Senator Boe, leave of absence was granted Senator Thomas for the day.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 413, a bill for an act relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment as filed by him and found on page 1329 of the Journal and moved its adoption :

Amend by adding the following proviso:

“Provided that this act shall only apply to actions brought by an employe against his or her employer, or by a passenger against a common carrier, and in such cases contributory negligence may be pleaded in mitigation of damages.”

Adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson,

Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Farr, Foster, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate File No. 527, a bill for an act to punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate of interest than two per cent per month and to provide a penalty therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thompson moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by striking out the words and figures "one hundred dollars" in the sixth from the last line of section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five dollars (\$25.00)".

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

But the person or corporation making the loan shall be permitted to charge and include within the loan, a reasonable amount for the inspection or investigation of the security, and also the cost of drawing the papers, not exceeding one dollar (\$1.00), and cost of recording the same, which cost of inspection or investigation shall not exceed ten (10) per cent of the amount loaned when the loan is under fifty dollars (\$50.00) nor more than five dollars (\$5.00) in any event, and no recording fee shall be included unless an instrument is actually recorded.

Adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 2:20 p. m.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 527 by striking out of line 4 of the printed bill the words "any interest at".

Adopted.

Senator Thompson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foster, Heald, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—16.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment to the title of Senate File No. 527 and moved its adoption:

Amend title to Senate File No. 527 by striking out of second line thereof the words "of interest".

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Grout, House File No. 408, a bill for an act providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof. This act being additional to title V, of the code, was taken up and considered.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—34.

The nays were :

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 529, a bill for an act creating the office of county assessor and defining the powers and duties of the same, was taken up and considered.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 2:35 p. m.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:45 p. m.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Darrah, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Schrup, Whitmore—15.

The nays were :

Caswell, Chase, Doran, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Thompson, White of Benton—17.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Heald, Hilsinger, Perkins, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—18.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 390, a bill for an act to provide for the acquisition of water supply for power purposes by condemnation by interurban railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven (1997) of the code, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Insert after the word "situated" in line 29 of Sec. 1 the following: "if said railroad commissioners find that the rights of the public are in any way affected by such changes or improvements, they shall give such notice as in their judgment will properly advise the public of said proposed change, the expenses thereof to be paid by the interurban railroad corporation."

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Hagemann invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—30.

The nays were:

Doran, Jones, Parker, Whitmore—4.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Francis, Grout, Heald, Hilsinger, Kimball, Nye, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Hagemann moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 390 passed the Senate and to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

Motion lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Gillette, House File No. 317, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings and the special election held in the incorporated town of Hinton, Iowa, on the 7th day of July, 1914, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Gillette moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by inserting after the word "and" in the 13th line of said bill and before the word "whereas" in the 14th line, the following words:

"WHEREAS, at said special election there were fifty-two votes of the male electors of said town cast, of which thirty-five votes were in favor of both of said propositions and sixteen votes were against the said propositions, and that the affirmative vote on both propositions was as large as a majority of all the votes cast at the last preceding municipal election, and".

Adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Kimball, Savage, Shecan, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Wilson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Fellows, House File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the electors and officers of the Independent School District of Hawkeye, Iowa, at the special meeting of said electors held on the eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1914, relative to the issuing of bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a school house, etc., with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee, adopted.

Senator Fellows moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foscett, Foster, Gillette, Greené, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Hilsinger, Jones, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 626, a bill for an act to legalize ordinance No. 533 of the ordinances of the city of Fort Dodge, Iowa, relative to an ordinance adopted March 29, 1913, fixing the salary of the mayor and the members of the city council of said city, was taken up, and considered.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton—34.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Francis, Heald, Hilsinger, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 592, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the Board of Supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of said Board of Supervisors in making payments in accordance with the said resolution, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton,, Whitmore—37.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Francis, Heald, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Helmer, House File No. 457, a bill for an act to legalize the plat of Gallaher's addition to the town of Jefferson, Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—36.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Francis, Heald, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Enger, House File No. 620, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the city of Cresco, Howard county, Iowa, on March 10, 1915, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said city the question of issuing city water bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting a new water tower in said city, and purchasing grounds upon which to erect the same; to legalize the acts of the city council in respect to said election, canvassing the returns of said election and declaring the result thereof, and ordering the issuance of bonds thereunder; and to legalize the bonds issued in

pursuance thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Enger moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—34.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Parker, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 75, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 396, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 310, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 269, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 352, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 381, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 630, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Iowa City, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 174, a bill for an act to relinquish and quit claim all the rights of the state of Iowa in and to the abandoned river bed of the Des Moines river, in sections twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33), in township seventy-seven (77) north, range twenty (20) west of the Fifth P. M., Marion county, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, a joint resolution providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state of certain unexpended balances of funds appropriated by section 2, chapter 136, acts of the 22nd General Assembly; section 1, chapter 153, acts of the 26th General Assembly; section 1, chapter 196, acts of the 29th General Assembly; chapter 189, acts of the 30th General Assembly; section 4, chapter 177, acts of

the 31st General Assembly; section 45, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 2, chapter 193, acts of the 31st General Assembly; chapter 202, acts of the 32nd General Assembly; sections 1 and 2, chapter 203, acts of the 32nd General Assembly; section 2, chapter 226, acts of the 32nd General Assembly; section 2, chapter 241, acts of the 32nd General Assembly; section 35, chapter 241, acts of the 33rd General Assembly; chapter 258, acts of the 33rd General Assembly; section 41, chapter 192, acts of the 34th General Assembly; chapter 208, acts of the 34th General Assembly; paragraph 25, section 3, chapter 321, acts of the 35th General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Enger, House File No. 619, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the independent school district of Fort Atkinson, in the county of Winneshiek and state of Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Enger moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foscett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Hilsinger, Jones, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Arney, House File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the government of the soldiers' home, as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred four

(2604), supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Heald, Jones, Quigley, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, Senate File No. 602, a bill for an act to legalize the actions of the board of directors of the consolidated independent school district of Lanyon, in the counties of Webster and Greene, state of Iowa, relative to the issuance of certain bonds of said consolidated independent school district, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee,

Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Jones, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 37, a bill for an act enabling Mrs. C. C. Platner and Mrs. George Wilson to share in the policemen's pension fund of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 617, a bill for an act to provide the conditions under which Boards of Supervisors

may exclude lands from a drainage district after the establishment thereof, was taken up and considered.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—35.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 572, a bill for an act to repeal sections 2881-j, 2881-k, 2811-l, 2881-m, 2881-n of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the care and permanent preservation of the public archives and fixing and defining the authority and responsibilities of administration, care and custody thereof, with report of committee on libraries recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee,

Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson, Whitmore—31.

The nays were :

Chase, Doran, Sheean—3.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, House File No. 218, a bill for an act to amend section 2547-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the taking of fish from the waters of the Big Sioux river and that part of the Des Moines river forming the part of the boundary between the state of Iowa and the state of Missouri, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Shecan, Thompson, Whitmore—30.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Grout, House File No. 419, a bill for an act to authorize the River Front Improvement Commission to permit the erection of a Soldiers' Monument or Memorial Hall upon any ground, the title to which is in such commission, under the provisions of chapter 9-A, title V, of the supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimbell, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Francis, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Grout, House File No. 420, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, and cities acting under special charter, to permit the erection of Soldiers' Monuments or Memorial Halls erected under the provisions of section 430 of the supplement to the code, 1913, or section 435 of the code, to be located in the parks or public grounds of the city or town, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 573, a bill for an act to amend section 809 of the code, relating to the putting in of waterworks connections before permanent improvement of the street, alley or public place where the same is located and the taxing of the cost of same to the property benefited if the property owner fails and neglects to put in the same and pay the cost thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Heald, Jones, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 508, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2477-i, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the regulation of employment agencies and bureaus, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time, now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—34.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Francis, Heald, Jones, Larrabee, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 272, a bill for an act to amend section 2888-h of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Library Commission, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendment:

By striking out all of Section One (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That Section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and is hereby amended by striking out the words "eleven thousand" in lines eleven (11) and twenty (20) respectively of said section, and substituting in lieu thereof the words "fifteen thousand" in said lines eleven (11) and twenty (20) respectively, and further amend by striking out the words "seventy-six hundred" in lines eleven (11) and twelve (12) of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "nine thousand".

Also that the title be amended by striking out the words "of the" in line two (2) thereof and substituting in lieu thereof a comma ",".

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Venigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Iye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore—32.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Heald, Jones, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

CORRECTION OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of April 9th was taken up, corrected and approved.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 222, 260, 420, 421, 422, 423, 426, 467, 479, and substitute for Senate File No. 12.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 260, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty-two-a (1822-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title nine (9), of the code.

Also:

Senate File No. 467, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation, acts and proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company, of Keokuk, Lee County, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 479, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 421, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the provisions of chapter six (6), title twelve (XII), of the code and laws amendatory thereto.

Also:

Senate File No. 422, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law.

Also:

Senate File No. 426, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.

Also:

Senate File No. 423, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 12, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413) of the code, relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415) of the code, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same.

Also :

Senate File No. 222, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section eight hundred ten (810) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to publication of preliminary notice of street improvements.

Also :

Senate File No. 420, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for individuals to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, when same is intended for unlawful purposes.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Senator Kimball offered the following concurrent resolution :

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the States of Iowa, the House Concurring :

WHEREAS, The glory and prosperity of Iowa has rested not alone in her wonderful farms, but also in her prosperous and beautiful cities and towns as well, and the prosperity of her entire citizenship requires a symmetrical development of both farm and city, for the injury of either is sure to bring a loss and depreciation to the other and a decline in the population of the state; and

WHEREAS, The rates of the parcels post are so low for excessive distances and the charge for shipment is in such unjust and unfair proportion to the haul that neither the government nor the railroads are receiving sufficient compensation to cover cost of service rendered, and a large amount of trade that legitimately belongs to the inhabitants of the State of Iowa is being diverted to the great cities of the land in distant states. This policy is depriving thousands of our best and brightest young men and women of their birthright by forcing them to emigrate from the state in order that they may have a chance in the world; and

WHEREAS, These great concerns in distant cities do not contribute in any way to the revenues of the State of Iowa, nor do they in any way assist in the education of the youth of our state. They build no roads or bridges and bear none of our many burdens incident to the development of Iowa; and

WHEREAS, They are waxing fat upon the trade they take from our state and are fast developing into great monopolies that bid fair to equal if not excel in size the greatest manufacturing concerns in the land; and

WHEREAS, It is the policy of Iowa to provide work and opportunity for all its children, and we believe the Federal Government, of which we are a part, should not tax the people to reimburse losses in the parcels post service when these losses are incurred in establishing great monopolies that are fast sapping the life of our cities and towns, and depriv-

ing our children of a place and opportunity in their own community; and

WHEREAS, Thousands of Iowa's citizens have petitioned the General Assembly of the State of Iowa to memorialize the Postmaster General and the Congress of the United States to limit the weight of the parcels post package to a maximum of forty pounds and make such readjustment in the postal rates as will eventually make each class self-supporting.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, the House Concurring;

That the Postmaster General and the Congress of the United States be, and they are hereby requested and petitioned to reduce the weight of the parcels post package to a maximum of forty pounds and make such readjustment in our postal rates and zones as will eventually make each class self-supporting, to the end that justice may be done as between all of the citizens of the United States, and that the unjust discrimination that now exists against the state of Iowa may be removed.

Passed on file.

MOTION TO REFER.

Senator Foskett moved that Calendar No. 144, Senate File No. 234 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Carried.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Grout withdrew Senate File No. 346 from further consideration by the Senate.

MOTIONS TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 446 by Arney failed to pass.

J. R. FRAILEY.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 88 passed to its third reading and failed to pass the Senate.

W. H. ARNEY.

Senator Lindly moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m., Monday, April 12th.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 12, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Robert K. Porter, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Des Moines, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Parker presented a petition of citizens of Polk county, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Wilson presented a petition of citizens of Appanoose county, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Eversmeyer presented a petition of citizens of Muscatine county, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Crist presented a petition of citizens of Clarke and Warren counties, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Farr presented a petition of citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, urging the legislature to memorialize the Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Enger presented a petition of citizens of Howard and Winneshiek counties, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Jackson presented a petition of citizens of Chickasaw and Floyd counties, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Grout presented a petition of citizens of Waterloo, Iowa, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Robinson presented a petition of citizens of Mason City, Iowa, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Doran presented a petition of citizens of Boone and Story counties, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Nye presented a petition of citizens of Taylor county, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Fellows presented a petition of citizens of Allamakee and Fayette counties, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Thompson presented a petition of citizens of Des Moines county, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Senator Kimball called up for consideration the following Concurrent Resolution offered by him on April 10th and found on page 1550 of the Journal and moved its adoption:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, the House Concurring:

WHEREAS, The glory and prosperity of Iowa has rested not alone in her wonderful farms, but also in her prosperous and beautiful cities and towns as well, and the prosperity of her entire citizenship requires a symmetrical development of both farm and city, for the injury of either is sure to bring a loss and depreciation to the other and a decline in the population of the state; and

WHEREAS, The rates of the parcels post are so low for excessive distances and the charge for shipment is in such unjust and unfair proportion to the haul that neither the government nor the railroads are receiving sufficient compensation to cover cost of service rendered, and a large amount of trade that legitimately belong to the inhabitants of the State of Iowa is being diverted to the great cities of the land in distant states. This policy is depriving thousands of our best and brightest young men and women of their birthright by forcing them to emigrate from the state in order that they may have a chance in the world; and

WHEREAS, These great concerns in distant cities do not contribute in any way to the revenues of the State of Iowa, nor do they in any way assist in the education of the youth of our state. They build no roads or bridges and bear none of our many burdens incident to the development of Iowa; and

WHEREAS, They are waxing fat upon the trade they take from our state and are fast developing into great monopolies that bid fair to equal if not excel in size the greatest manufacturing concerns in the land, and

WHEREAS, It is the policy of Iowa to provide work and opportunity for all its children, and we believe the Federal Government, of which we are a part, should not tax the people to reimburse losses in the parcels post service when these losses are incurred in establishing great monopolies that are fast sapping the life of our cities and towns, and depriving our children of a place and opportunity in their own community; and

WHEREAS, Thousands of Iowa's citizens have petitioned the General Assembly of the State of Iowa to memorialize the Postmaster General and the Congress of the United States to limit the weight of the parcels post package to a maximum of forty pounds and make such readjustment in the postal rates as will eventually make each class self-supporting.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, the House Concurring:

That the Postmaster General and the Congress of the United States be, and they are hereby requested and petitioned to reduce the weight of the parcels post package to a maximum of forty pounds and make such readjustment in our postal rates and zones as will eventually make each class self-supporting, to the end that justice may be done as be-

tween all of the citizens of the United States, and that the unjust discrimination that now exists against the state of Iowa may be removed.

The resolution was adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House File No. 484, a bill for an act to amend sections 1989-a52-f and 1989-a52-d, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers, duties, etc., of trustees in the matter of expenditure of funds for levees, ditches, drains, etc., and further relating to the filling of vacancies in office of trustees, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thompson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Thompson withdrew Senate File No. 441 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foster, House File No. 127, a bill for an act giving legislative assent to the purposes of the congressional acts of May 8, 1914, providing for co-operative extension work be-

tween the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the act of congress approved July 2, 1862, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States department of agriculture, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Farr, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Taylor—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Heald, House File No. 329, a bill for an act to amend section 1660, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the purchase of real estate by the board of supervisors for county fair purposes, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Henig-

baum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Farr, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Grout, House File No. 517, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section seven hundred fifty-eight (758) of the code, sections seven hundred fifty-eight-a (758-a), seven hundred fifty-eight-d (758-d) and seven hundred fifty-eight-e (758-e) of the supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fosskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Grout withdrew Senate File No. 462 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The sifting committee returned to the Senate, House File No. 610.

On motion of Senator Hilsinger, House File No. 610, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the amount of insurance to be required on improvements included in loans made by insurance companies, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hilsinger moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Hilsinger withdrew Senate File No. 568 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 588, a bill for an act amending section 725, supplement to the code, 1913, giving to cities and towns power to require gas, water, electric and power companies to furnish service to certain persons, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Clarkson, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 559, a bill for an act granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license, tax and regulate so-called "jitney" busses, and all busses, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns, doing a business similar to that transacted by street railway companies, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Frailey moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By striking out the comma and the word "tax" after the word "regulate" in the third line of section 1.

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File 559 by adding the following to Section 1.

Provided that "jitney buses shall not be excluded from streets on which street cars are allowed to operate".

Adopted.

Senator Frailey moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheenan, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees—13.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment to the title to Senate File No. 559 and moved its adoption:

Amend title to Senate File No. 559 by striking out the word "tax", found in the second line of the title to the printed bill.

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Kimball moved that Senate Files Nos. 243, 244 and 245 be made a special order for 11:30 a. m. Tuesday, April 13th.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 309, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by adding to said bill the following:

"SECTION 18. The private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from execution for the debts of the corporation.

SEC. 19. The highest amount of indebtedness the corporation may contract shall not exceed two thirds of its capital stock."

Adopted.

Further consideration deferred.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 256, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sanitation in food producing establishments as the same is found in section 2527-a to 2527-o, supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Section one of the printed bill by adding after the period following the word "officer" in line three, the following: "The same section shall also be amended by substituting a period for the semi-colon after the word 'building' in sub-division 'a' line fourteen of said section and by striking out all of line fourteen following said semi-colon and all of line fifteen preceding the word 'doors'."

Also amend section three of the printed bill by striking from line six the word "word" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "period following the word". Also amend the same section by adding after line eight the following: "The same section shall also be amended by inserting after the period following the word 'commissioner' in line ten the following: 'provided that nothing herein shall require the payment of a license fee under this act for the operation of a restaurant

or cafe operated by and connection with any hotel licensed by the State Board of Health."

Adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—31.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Farr, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Wilson—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 395, a bill for an act to repeal section 2341-h, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend sections 2341-g, 2341-i, 2341-k, 2341-m, 2341-o, and 2341-q, all relating to the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept for public service.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Grout, House File No. 395, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-h (2341-h), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend section twenty-three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g), twenty-three hundred forty-one-i (2341-i), twenty-three hundred forty-one-k (2341-k), twenty-three hundred forty-one-m (2341-m), twenty-three hundred forty-one-o (2341-o), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-q (2341-q), all relating to the enrollment

of stallions and jacks kept for public service, was taken up and considered.

Senator Grout moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read the second and third times on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were :

Chase, Gillette, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson—6.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thompson—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Grout withdrew Senate File No. 308 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Fleck, Senate File No. 368, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter one hundred thirty-eight (138) of the acts of the thirty-third general assembly, defining what constitutes a tight partition fence, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Fleck moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Hilsinger was called to the chair at 10:35 a. m.

Senator Fleck moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Gillette—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Foster, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thompson—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the incorporated town of Charter Oak, Iowa, on the third day of August, 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said town the question of erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant, and also the question of the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00), for electric light and power plant purposes, and to validate and legalize the proceedings of the town council had in relation to said special election preliminary to the holding thereof, and to legalize the ballots used at said special election and to legalize the bonds to be issued in pursuance thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 375, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-four (2215-f 24), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-five (2215-f 25), and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f

twenty-seven (2215-f 27), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Also :

Senate File No. 411, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine a-8 (1989 a-8), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the construction of levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, and providing for bonds as protection for payment for same.

Also :

Senate File No. 418, a bill for an act requiring common carriers of intoxicating liquor to keep a daily record of such shipments, prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such records by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor.

Also :

Substitute for Senate File No. 376, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f 14), section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fifteen (2215-f 15), and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f seventeen (2215-f 17), supplement to the code, 1913; to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f forty-three (2215-f 43), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor.

Also :

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, Senate joint resolution disallowing claims of certain citizens of the Kingdom of Greece for damages alleged to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29th, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the incorporated town of Charter Oak, Iowa, on the third day of August, 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said town the question of erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant, and also the question of the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00), for electric light and power plant purposes, and to validate and legalize the proceedings of the town council had in relation to said special election preliminary to the holding thereof, and to legalize the ballots used at said special election and to legalize the bonds to be issued in pursuance thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 375, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-four (2215-f 24), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-five (2215-f 25), and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-seven (2215-f 27), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 411, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine a-8 (1989 a-8), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the construction of levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, and providing for bonds as protection for payment for same.

Also:

Senate File No. 418, a bill for an act requiring common carriers of intoxicating liquor to keep a daily record of such shipments, prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such records by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 376, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f 14), section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fifteen (2215-f 15), and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f seventeen (2215-f 17), supplement to the code, 1913; to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f forty-three (2215-f 43), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, Senate joint resolution disallowing claims of certain citizens of the Kingdom of Greece for damages alleged to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29th, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Frailey, House File No. 495, a bill for an act relating to insurance, providing for the supervision and examination of insurance rating bureaus by the commissioner of insurance; providing for an inspection and survey by such bureaus of all insurance risks specifically rated; requiring insurance concerns to adopt insurance bureau ratings, or to maintain or co-operate in maintaining and operating insurance rate making bureaus; author-

izing a hearing upon and review of the rates fixed by any such bureau for insurance upon property within the state of Iowa; prohibiting discrimination in fixing and collecting insurance rates, and also rebates of premiums paid under such rates, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Frailey moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

Balkema, Chase, Greene, Robinson—4.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Farr, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thomas—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator Francis moved that Senate File No. 484 be made a special order for Tuesday, April 13th, at 3 p. m.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Schrup, House File No. 485, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the limitation of the number of saloons in cities and towns acting under special charter, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

President Harding resumed the chair at 11:00 a. m.

Senator Schrup moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigmaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Shean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

Nye—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Clarkson, Farr, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Ream, Robinson, Savage—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for consideration of Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 597, a bill for an act relative to certain public utilities, defining their rights, powers, remedies and duties, and providing for their further regulation and control, was taken up and considered.

Senator Chase offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting in section 4, line 4, as it appears in the printed bill, after the word "heat", the words "telephone service".

Adopted.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending measure by adding to section three the following: "provided, however, that the provisions of this act shall not be construed to repeal any provision of law relating to the granting or extending of any public utility franchise."

Adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment filed by him on April 8 and found on page 1456 of the Journal and moved its adoption.

Amend Senate File No. 597 as follows:

By adding to section 3 the words "All rentals, rates and charges as finally fixed and determined as in this act provided shall be and remain in full force and effect for a period of two years from and after such final determination, and until the final determination as in this act provided of other and different rentals, rates and charges, unless sooner modified or changed by agreement between the city or town council and the public utility affected."

Senator Crist offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out of the pending amendment all that portion thereof following the word "determination" as it first occurs and inserting in lieu thereof a period.

Adopted.

The amendment as amended was adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Also, to amend section 4 by changing the period at the end of the 7th line thereof to a comma, and by adding after said comma the words, "but this act shall not apply to or include the physical properties, operation or service of interurban or street railways."

Amendment lost.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Also, to amend section 3 by changing the period at the end of line 16 of the printed bill to a comma and adding thereafter, "but said 25 free-holders shall file with said petition a bond for the costs of said proceedings in an amount and with sureties satisfactory to the city council."

Amendment lost.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

1st. Amend section 4 by inserting after the comma (,) following the word "electricity" in the fifth line the words: "heat, steam",

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 597, section 3, paragraph 5, line 1 by inserting between the words "in" and "such" the following: "or contiguous to".

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 597 in section 4 by striking out of the seventh line the words "twenty-five thousand" and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "forty thousand, as shown by the Federal census of A. D. 1910."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File 597 by inserting in section 4 in line 2 after the word "partnership" and before the word "or" the following ", municipal".

Adopted.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption.

Amend Section 4 of the printed bill by changing the period at the end of the seventh line thereof to a comma and by adding thereafter the following: "but this act shall not apply to the operation of inter-urban railways as common carriers."

Adopted.

Senator Crist offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending measure as follows: By inserting after the word "to" in paragraph 5 of section 3, the words, "and who are patrons of such public utility in".

Adopted.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding the following:

This act shall not apply to cities acting under special charters and having a population of over thirty-five thousand.

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—29.

The nays were:

Doran, Hilsinger, Lindly, Wilson—4.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Enger, Fellows, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Laffer, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House requests the return of Senate File No. 262, which failed to pass the House.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 24, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 601, a bill for an act to legalize certain acts and proceedings of the board of supervisors of the county of Fremont in the matter of establishing the Waubonsie drainage district, locating a drainage ditch therein, apportioning costs and benefits thereunder and issuing bonds against said district for funds to construct said ditch.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 455, a bill for an act to legalize the construction of a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system in and by the town of Lu Verne, Iowa, and bonds issued for that purpose and the resolution, acts and proceedings relating to the authorization of the construction of such plant and the issuing of such bonds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate journal and the House journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, and providing for the printing thereof and fixing the compensation to be paid to the state printer and binder therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 185, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities of the second class and towns, a levy for road purposes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 478, a bill for an act to amend title twenty-four (XXIV), chapter eleven (11) of the code, 1897, relating to offenses against public policy.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 629, a bill for an act to repeal section three hundred ninety-two (392) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the fees of commissioners appointed for other states and the record of their appointment.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 633, a bill for an act to amend sections eleven hundred one (1101), eleven hundred four (1104), and eleven hundred five (1105), of the code, relating to the time of filing withdrawals, certificates, petitions and nominations of candidates for public offices.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 634, a bill for an act relative to disposition of fees paid to the Governor, additional to chapter one (1), title one (1) of the code, and amendments thereto.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 631, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Waterloo, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 621, a bill for an act to amend sections fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-two (1571-m-2), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-five (1571-

m-5), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-six (1571-m-6), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-fifteen (1571-m-15), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-seven (1571-m-7), and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-twelve (1571-m-12), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 291, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-sevens-three (1527-s 3), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the employment of county engineers, and fixing their terms of office and bonds, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jones moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by inserting after the word "provided" and before the word "and" in line thirteen (13) of section 1, the following words:

"but in case of a controversy between the board of supervisors and said engineer in matters involving professional or technical skill or knowledge, the same shall be immediately referred to the highway commission for final determination".

Amend by inserting the word "engineer" in the 13th line of section 1 between the words "each" and "shall".

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The yeas were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones,

Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Quigley—3.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Foskett, Hagemann, Helmer, Laffer, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 284, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s nineteen (1527-s19) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to final designation of county roads, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Foskett, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, Senate Files Nos. 375, 411, 418, 618 and Substitute for Senate File No. 376.

SENATE FILES WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Gillette withdrew Senate File No. 402 from further consideration by the Senate.

By unanimous consent, Senator Henigbaum withdrew Senate File No. 239 from further consideration by the Senate.

Senator Henigbaum moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate W. L. Harding presiding.

Senator Kimball offered the following concurrent resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House Concurring:

WHEREAS, General Grenville M. Dodge was born eighty-four years ago on the 12th day of April and this day being the anniversary of his birth; and

WHEREAS, This beloved General and veteran of that great struggle is now in delicate health, but clear and forceful in his mind and faculties and is receiving the felicitations of the officials of this nation and foreign nations and of the Governor of this state; and

WHEREAS, Iowa is proud of the service and life of her greatest general;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House Concurring, that the Lieutenant Governor, as President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, be and are hereby requested to convey by telegram the high expressions of regard of the members of the 36th General Assembly for our distinguished soldier and citizen, and congratulate him upon his eighty-fourth birthday.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Heald, House File No. 307, a bill for an act to amend section 1304 of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the exemption of certain property from taxation,

with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Eversmeyer, House File No. 564, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 836, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 224, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section 254-a 46 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the enticing away of children, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheenan, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Thompson, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 25, a bill for an act to invest the District Court of the state of Iowa with jurisdiction and authority to restrain violations of any law heretofore or hereafter enacted to protect the public and trade and commerce against unlawful restraints, trusts, conspiracies, combinations and monopolies, or unfair discrimination between different sections, communities and localities, to cause any person within the state of Iowa to be made party to an action pending in any court in this state, and to require any person, firm, association or corporation, to respond to a subpoena in any court in this state, and to give testimony and produce any books, papers or documents in any hearing, investigation, proceeding or prosecution for the violation of any laws relating to pools, trusts, conspiracies, combinations or monopolies, or prohibiting unfair discrimination between different sections, communities or localities, and to provide immunity to the person so testifying, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Senate File No. 25 by adding thereto as sections 5 and 6 the following:

SEC. 5. That the labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce. Nothing contained in the Anti-Trust laws shall be construed to forbid the existence and operation of labor, agricultural, or horticultural organizations, instituted for the purpose of mutual help, and not having capital stock or conducted for profit, or to forbid or restrain individual members of such organizations from lawfully carrying out the legitimate objects thereof; nor shall such organizations, or the members thereof, be held or construed to be illegal combinations or conspiracies in restraint of trade, under the Anti-Trust laws.

SEC. 6. That before any such action shall be instituted or commenced by the Attorney General or any County Attorney, at the request of any non-resident, or at the request of any person or persons for the benefit of any non-resident, said non-resident shall furnish a bond in such sum as shall be required by the Attorney General, which bond may from time to time be modified or increased by the court having jurisdiction of the said action, which bond shall require the plaintiff to pay all costs in said proceeding.

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Savage—1.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Roe, Caswell, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Iowa—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 560, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-B, title III, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers, and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking from the printed bill lines 16, 17 and 18.

Adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Foskett, Gillette, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Eversmeyer withdrew Senate File 578 from further consideration by the Senate.

On request of Senator Clarkson, leave of absence was granted Senator Ream for the day.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 543, a bill for an act to amend section five thousand five (5005) of the code, relating to the sale of tobacco to minors, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson,

Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Balkema, Darrah, Foskett, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Sheean, White of Benton, White of Iowa—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for consideration of Special Order No. 2, on motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 59, a bill for an act to amend section 1087-a4 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a7 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a10 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a14 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a19 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a22 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a24 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a25 of the supplement to the code, 1913, 1087-a27 of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the time of holding primary elections, declaration of party affiliation, form of nomination papers, form of primary election ballots, canvass by Board of Supervisors, canvass by State Board, vacancy in nomination of United States senator, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by striking out the words "of the" from the title and body of the bill where the same refers to supplement to the code, and also that the words described by the figures denoting the different sections be inserted in their respective places prior to the figures.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 59 as amended in the following particulars: By striking out section 5 thereof and substituting the following: That section 1087-a 19 of the supplement to the code, 1913, be amended as follows: By substituting for the words "on the second Tuesday next following the primary election in June" first appearing in said section

the following: "on the first Monday next following the primary election".

By striking out section 9 of the bill and substituting therefor the following: That section 1087-a 27 of the supplement to the code, 1913, be amended as follows: By striking out the words "not earlier than the first Wednesday and not later than the fifth Wednesday following the county convention in the year 1908 and biennially thereafter" and substituting therefor the following: "on the fourth Wednesday following the primary election".

Adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Boe, Enger, Gillette, Jackson, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—11.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Foskett, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Ream—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 517, a bill for an act to amend section 5007-c, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the use of cigarettes by minors, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

Enger, Quigley—2.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Foskett, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Perkins, House File No. 365, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter 19-B of title XII, supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor to prevent the procreation of the insane, idiots, imbeciles and feeble-minded, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—31.

The nays were:

Doran, Greene, Laffer, Nye, White of Iowa, Wilson—6.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Foskett, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 40, a bill for an act to amend section 2540 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the season during which fish may be taken, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Foskett, Francis, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 68, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred forty (2540) supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter one hundred fifty-three (153) Acts of the Thirty-third (33) General Assembly, relating to the use of trot lines, and to the time during which one may take fish from the waters of the state, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a

substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, While of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were :

Gillette, Parker, Robinson—3.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Foskett, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Ream, Taylor—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Arney, Senate File No. 180, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 2727-a3, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the Secretary of the Board of Control, with report of committee on appropriations and board of control recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the reports of the committees were adopted.

Senator Arney moved the adoption of the following amendment:

"Amend by striking out Section 2."

Adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Greene, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley—7.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Darrah, Foskett, Francis, Hagemann, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Taylor—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Schrup, Senate File No. 448, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the Board of Supervisors, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Schrup moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—41.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Darrah, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Taylor, Thomas, Wilson—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 576, a bill for an act to repeal section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a 6 (4999-a 6), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven (4999-a 7), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eight (4999-a 8), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a nine (4999-a 9), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a ten (4999-a 10), and four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eleven (4999-a 11) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor relating to fire escapes, stairways and means of escape from buildings, structures or enclosures, and protection against fire and providing for the inspection of such means of protection of buildings, and the duties of commissioner of labor and other officers in relation thereto, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by striking out the words "or constructed since the 4th day of July, 1909", appearing in the fifth and sixth lines of section 9 of the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendments filed by him and found on page 1505 of the Journal of April 9th:

I move to amend the substitute for Senate File 576 in the following particulars:

By amending the title by inserting the words "and repealing sections" between the 8th and 9th lines of said title, and by inserting after the figures "1913" first appearing in line 11 of said title the words "and enacting substitutes therefor and all".

By substituting the word "second" for the word "first" first appearing after the words "provided also that if by reason of the height, etc." in Section 2 and by inserting the word "average" before the word "maximum" first appearing after the words "provided also, etc."; and

By substituting "such average maximum number of" for the words "of all" after the word "exit" first appearing after the words "provided also" in Section 2; and

By substituting the word "fifteen" for the word "eight" before the word "minutes" last appearing in Section 2 and by substituting a comma for

the period and by adding to Section 2 the following: "when said fire escapes are fully loaded, which rate of descent shall be estimated to permit the exit of not to exceed one person per second. Provided that the time of complete exit as herein provided may be increased where efficient sprinkler systems are installed, such increase of time to be determined by the character and efficiency of the sprinkling system installed unless peculiar or unusual hazards shall exist."

By inserting the words "reaching the top floor" after the words "all fire escapes" first appearing in the paragraph "Class C" of Section 3;

By inserting the words "or equivalent" after the words "mortise latches" last appearing in Section 3.

By inserting the words "by the inspector" after the words "deemed sufficient" in the fourth line of Section 5.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Jackson, Lindly, Quigley—5.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Gillette, Hagemann, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 608, a bill for an act confirming the title of Margaret Murphy to certain meandered lands in section number twenty (20), township number ninety-seven (97), north of range number thirty-five (35), west of the fifth (5th) principal meridian, in Clay county, Iowa, and authorizing and directing the issuance of a patent therefor, was taken up and considered.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Hagemann, Jones, Ream, Taylor, White of Benton—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 609, a bill for an act to legalize satisfactions of school fund mortgages where such satisfactions were executed or entered on the margin of the record by county auditors prior to July 4th, 1894, was taken up and considered.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Hagemann, Jones, Kimball, Ream, Savage, Taylor, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, House File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section 792-g, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of property not abutting, for street improvements, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Darrah, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Ream, Savage, Taylor, White of Iowa—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 345, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred and eight (308), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county attorneys, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigmaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

Doran, Enger, Quigley—3.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, House File No. 462, a bill for an act relating to the equipment of street cars and maintenance of toilet facilities for street car employes, amendatory of section 768, supplement to the code, 1913, and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigmaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Foskett, Grout, Heald, Jones, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Gillette, Senate File No. 580, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-two-b (2562-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the issuance of licenses permitting certain persons to engage in the business of raising and selling certain game birds, and fixing the ownership and title to such game, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Gillette moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Darrah, Foskett, Frailey, Heald, Jones, Parker, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Boe, Senate File No. 612, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the county superintendent of schools, was taken up and considered.

Senator Boe moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Shecan, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were :

Arney, Doran, Farr, Jackson, Perkins, Thomas—6.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Caswell, Darrah, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Hagemann, Heald, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 613, a bill for an act to repeal section seven hundred seventy-nine, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, was taken up and considered.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Eversmeyer, Enger, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Parker, Perkins, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—18.

The nays were :

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton—12.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foscett, Foster, Gillette, Heald, Jones, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees—20.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 614, a bill for an act amending section one thousand fifty-six-a twenty-eight (1056-a 28) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of city officers in certain cities, was taken up and considered.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Jackson, Kimball, Robinson, Sheean, White of Benton, White of Iowa—7.

The nays were :

Allen, Boe, Chase, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Greene, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—21.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Foscett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees—22.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the governor, stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 12, 467, 420, 421, 422, 423, 426, 479, 260 and 222.

On motion of Senator Arney, Senate File No. 515, a bill for an act to make uniform the law of sales of goods, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now,

Senator Hagemann moved that this motion be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

The motion by Senator Arney was lost.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 549, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred forty-three (3543), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to indexing the names of parties named in petitions affecting real estate, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Shecan, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Frailey, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thomas—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 18, a joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, authorizing the general assembly to provide for the exclusive taxation of classes of property for state revenue purposes, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

CALL OF THE SENATE.

The following call of the Senate was filed:

We hereby demand a call of the Senate on Senate Joint Resolution No. 18.

C. W. WHITMORE.
 W. H. ARNEY.
 L. E. FRANCIS.
 D. S. FLECK.
 N. BALKEMA.
 A. M. FELLOWS.
 A. D. NYE.
 H. W. GROUT.
 L. W. BOE.
 J. H. ALLEN.
 H. C. WHITE.
 A. M. PARKER.
 C. C. HELMER.
 GEO. H. JACKSON.
 J. R. DORAN.
 G. M. GILLETTE.
 T. J. B. ROBINSON.
 D. C. CHASE.

Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring the absent members into the Senate Chamber.

The ayes were:

Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Helmer, Jackson, Robinson, Schrup, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—20.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Laffer, Ream, Taylor—4.

So the report of the committee was adopted and the joint resolution indefinitely postponed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House requests the return of Senate File No. 436, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution regarding congratulations to be sent to Gen. Grenville M. Dodge.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f forty-two (2215-f42), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the Military Code of Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 336, a bill for an act making appropriation for the purchase of twenty thousand (20,000) copies of the Railroad Commissioners' official maps to be distributed by the Railroad Commission.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 393, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473) of the code relating to the duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and relating to the meaning of definitions of the terms "factory", "mill", and other like terms.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 392, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-five (4999-a5), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of safety appliances on machinery.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 293, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars, (\$2500.00) to indemnify T. D. Fultz for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as a carpenter at the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 616, a bill for an act to reimburse William Lester Alery for injuries received while an inmate in the Soldiers' Orphans' Home, and for loss of wages and expenses incurred because of said injuries, at Davenport, Iowa, September 23, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 628, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the State Penitentiary and Reformatory as the same appears in section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a-eleven (5718-a-11), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 615, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of one thousand (\$1000.00) dollars, to indemnify A. H. Kellogg for personal injuries sustained by him while employed in the Iowa State Industrial Schools for boys at Eldora, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate Joint Resolution No. 13, a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa empowering the general assembly to provide for a system of registering, transferring, insuring and guaranteeing land titles by the state of the counties thereof, and settling and determining adverse or other claims to such lands, and to provide for the creation of a guaranty fund in connection with such system and to empower and authorize the general assembly to confer judicial power on officers charged with duties under such system, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Clarkson moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. 1 by striking out the words and figures "forty (40)" and inserting the words and figures "thirty-nine (39)" and by changing section 40 to read section 39.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Robinson, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—22.

The nays were:

Crist, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Voorhees, Wilson—18.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Farr, Frailey, Hagemann, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Taylor—10.

So the joint resolution having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MOTION TO RETURN.

Senator Foskett moved that the Secretary be instructed to return to the House, as per their request, Senate File No. 436.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Doran, Senate File No. 577, a bill for an act amending chapter two (2) of the code of 1897, relating to the membership of the Board of Educational Examiners, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Doran moved that the substitute for the original bill be adopted.

Adopted.

Senator Doran moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Chase, Greene, Hilsinger, Quigley—4.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the incorporated town of Charter Oak, Iowa, on the third day of August, 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said town the question of erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant, and also the question of the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00), for electric light and power plant purposes, and to validate and legalize the proceedings of the town council had in relation to said special election preliminary to the holding thereof, and to legalize the ballots used at said special election and to legalize the bonds to be issued in pursuance thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 375, a bill for an act to amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-four (2215-f 24), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-five (2215-f 25), and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-seven (2215-f 27), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 411, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine a-8 (1989 a-8), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the construction of levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, and providing for bonds as protection for payment of same.

Also:

Senate File No. 418, a bill for an act requiring common carriers of intoxicating liquor to keep a daily record of such shipments, prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such records by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 376, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f 14), section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fifteen (2215-f 15), and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f seventeen (2215-f 17), supplement to the code, 1913; to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f forth-three (2215-f 43), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, Senate joint resolution disallowing claims of certain citizens of the Kingdom of Greece for damages alleged

to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29th, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 495, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred eighty (2780), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the system of the common school and requiring monthly publication of expenditures made by certain schools, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shecan, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were :

Clarkson, Jackson—2.

Absent or not voting :

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Farr, Fellows, Frailey, Hagemann, Helmer, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, Thomas—16.

Senator Foskett offered the following amendment to the title to Senate File No. 495 and moved its adoption :

Amend the title by striking out the word "monthly".

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate File No. 574, a bill for an act to provide the conditions on which corporations, associations or companies, issuing policies of insurance of any character and not organized or existing pursuant to the laws of this state, shall transact business in this state, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File 574 by adding the words "other than life" after the word "character" in the 2nd line of printed bill.

Adopted.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File 574 by adding the words "other than life" following the word "company" in first line of section 2.

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Clarkson invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Jackson, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton—18.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigmaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—23.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Taylor, White of Iowa—9.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 359, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a), supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Caswell, Chase, Crist, Farr, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, White of Iowa—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 396, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred forty-one-d (741-d), section seven hundred forty-one-e (741-e), section seven hundred forty-one-f (741-f), section seven hundred forty-one-g (741-g), and section seven hundred forty-one-h (741-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of city halls and the purchasing of ground therefor.

Also :

House File No. 346. A bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred thirty-eight (3538), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the manner of commencing actions against unknown defendants.

Also:

House File No. 383. A bill for an act to amend the law relating to the allowance made for labor performed by dipsomaniacs and inebriates, as the same appears in section twenty-three hundred ten-a thirty-seven (2310-a37), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

House File No. 250. A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-one hundred twenty-five (2125), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to definition of switching service.

Also:

House File No. 269. A bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-A (1661-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies.

Also:

House File No. 381. A bill for an act to amend sections four hundred twenty-three (423), and twenty-two hundred forty-one (2241), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements.

Also:

House File No. 352. A bill for an act to repeal section four hundred nine-t (409-t), supplement to the code, 1913, and in lieu thereof to authorize the Board of Supervisors of each county to make provision for the segregation, care and support of indigent persons afflicted with tuberculosis.

Also:

House File No. 310. A bill for an act providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state at the end of each biennial period of all unexpended balances for which specific appropriations from the state funds have been made and which purposes have been fully carried out or abandoned.

Also:

House File No. 75. A bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to the east thirty (30) acres of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three (23) in township seventy-seven (77), north range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth P. M. of Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 24. A bill for an act making an appropriation to reimburse J. M. Tannehill, an employe of the Iowa school for the deaf, for loss of wages and expenses incurred by reason of an injury sustained in connection with his employment at said school on the 31st day of December, 1912.

Also:

House File No. 351, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter (13-B) title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 437, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections ten hundred seventy-two (1072) and twenty-seven hundred forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and compensation of a county superintendent of schools, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the last three lines of Section One (1), all of Section Two (2) and all of Section Three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof as follows:

"SECTION 2. School districts when situated in two or more counties shall be designated as joint school districts. A joint school district shall be classified for purposes of jurisdiction in that county having the largest portion of the population of said school district. Joint districts shall be classified for purposes of representation in the county convention of school officers with the county having jurisdiction over said joint districts."

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker,

Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Doran, Enger, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, White of Iowa—20.

Senator Hagemann offered the following amendment to the title to Senate File No. 437 and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by offering the following substitute therefor:

"A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section ten hundred seventy-two (1072), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election of county superintendent of schools."

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Caswell, House File No. 479, a bill for an act to regulate political advertising and to provide penalties for the breach hereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the words "and the name of the printer" from the 12th line of said bill.

Amend by inserting the word "upon conviction thereof shall", between the words "and" and "be", in the 13th line.

Adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frai-

ley, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Jackson, Kimball, Perkins, Quigley—4.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Crist, Grout, Heald, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Caswell, House File No. 489, a bill for an act to repeal section three hundred forty-four (344) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section five thousand two hundred forty (5240) supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the drawing and summoning of grand juries, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—20.

The nays were:

Allen, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Quigley, Robinson, Thompson—13.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Fleck, Frailey, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Enger, Senate File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-a (2634-a) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the educational board of examiners, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Enger moved the adoption of the following amendments by the committee on schools:

By striking from line six (6) of section one (1) the words and figures "one hundred and fifty (\$150.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and twenty-five (\$125.00)".

Adopted.

Senator Enger moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Thompson, Whitmore—10.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Crist, Foster, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Taylor, White of Iowa—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By sifting committee, Senate File No. 630, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the duration of school bonds, as the same appears in section twenty-eight hundred twelve-e (2812-e), supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

MOTION FOR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Hilsinger offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved that the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three to draft appropriate resolutions relative to the life and services to the state of Honorable Alfred Hurst, now deceased, formerly a member of the Senate of the state of Iowa.

Adopted.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Hilsinger, Larrabee and Hagemann.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Henigbaum, from the special conference committee on House File No. 283, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your conference committee to whom was referred House File No. 283 beg leave to report that they have had same under consideration and recommend that the Senate recede from its demands and recommend that the Senate adopt and concur in House File No. 283 as originally drafted.

Senate Committee:

F. G. HENIGBAUM, *Chairman*.

ELI C. PERKINS.

WM. J. GREENE.

F. F. JONES.

House Committee:

J. E. JAMIESON.

D. W. KIMBERLY.

G. F. TUCKER.

M. B. PITT.

On motion, the report of the conference committee was adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Henigbaum, House File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend sections 2691 and 2692 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, was taken up and considered.

On the question, "Shall the Senate adopt and concur in House File No. 283 as originally drafted?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting :

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Enger, Farr, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Taylor—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 351, 269, 381, 352, 310, 75, 24, 396, 346, 383 and 250.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Farr withdrew Senate File No. 267 from further consideration by the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Helmer withdrew the motion filed by him on March 29 and found on page 1109 of the Senate Journal, to reconsider the vote on Senate File No. 556.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Francis withdrew the motion filed by him on April 7th and found on page 1397 of the Journal, to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 504 passed the Senate.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL ORDER.

Senator White of Iowa moved that Calendar No. 85, Senate File No. 67, be made a special order for Tuesday, April 13, at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

Carried.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, returned to the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 480 and 530, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Jackson, from the committee on pharmacy, returned to the Senate, Senate File No. 71, and same was referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Doran, from the committee on agriculture, returned to the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 131, 280, 497, 572, 510 and House Files Nos. 394, 259, and House concurrent resolution relative to foot and mouth disease, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Kimball, from the committee on cities and towns, returned to the Senate, Senate File No. 550 and House File No. 499, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

CORRECTION OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Saturday, April 10th, was taken up, corrected and approved.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Farr filed the following amendments:

I move to amend Senate File No. 610, by striking out all after the enacting clause, and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That every company owning or operating a transmission line or lines for the conduct of electric energy and which line or lines are located within the state, and which said line or lines are also located wholly or partly outside cities and towns, shall on or before the first day of May of each year, furnish to the Executive Council of the state of Iowa a verified statement as to its entire line or lines within this state, when all of said line or lines are located outside cities and towns, and as to such portion of its line or lines within this state as are located partly outside cities and towns, when such line or lines are located partly outside and partly inside cities and towns, showing:

1st. The total number of miles of line owned, operated or leased, located outside cities and towns within this state, with a separate showing the number of miles leased:

2d. The location and length of each division within the state and character of poles, towers, wires, substation equipment and other construction of each such division, designating the length and portion thereof in each separate county into which each such division extends.

SECTION 2. Upon receipt of said statements from the several companies, the Executive Council shall examine such statements, and if it shall deem same insufficient, and that further information is requisite, it shall require the company making same to make such other or further statement as it may desire, notifying such company thereof by registered mail. In case of the total failure or refusal to make any statement required by this act to be made by May first in any year, or of failure or refusal to make such other or further statement within thirty (30) days from the time the registered notice thereof is received by said company that the same is required by the Executive Council, such company shall forfeit and pay to the state of Iowa, one hundred dollars (\$100.) for each day the total failure or refusal to make any report is continued beyond the said first day of May of the year in which it is required, or in case of any such other or further report required by

the Executive Council for each day the same is delayed beyond thirty (30) days from the receipt of the notice by said company that same is required, such forfeiture to be sued for and recovered in any proper form of action in the name of the state and on relation of the Executive Council of the state of Iowa, and such penalty when collected, shall be paid into the general fund.

SECTION 3. The Executive Council shall, at its meeting on the second Monday in July of each year, proceed to find the actual value of that part of such transmission line or lines referred to in section one (1) of this act, owned or operated by any company, that are located within this state but outside cities and towns, including the whole of such line or lines when all of such line or lines owned or operated by said company are located wholly outside cities and towns; taking into consideration the information obtained from the statements required by or under this act, and any further information they can obtain, using the same as a means of determining the actual cash value of such transmission line or lines or parts thereof, within this state, located outside cities and towns. The Executive Council shall then ascertain the value per mile of such transmission line or lines owned or operated by each company specified in Section One (1) of this act by dividing the total value as above ascertained by the number of miles of line of such company within the state located outside cities and towns, and the result shall be deemed and held to be the actual value per mile of said transmission line or lines of each said company within the state located outside of cities and towns. The taxable value of such line or lines of which said Executive Council by this act are required to find the value, shall be determined by taking the percentage of the actual value so ascertained, as provided by Section Thirteen Hundred Five (1305) of the Code, as amended, and the ratio between the actual value and the assessed or taxable value of the transmission line or lines of each of said companies located outside of cities and towns shall be the same as in the case of the property of private individuals. At said meeting in July, any company interested shall have the right to appear by its officers, agents and attorneys before the Executive Council, and be heard on the question of the value of its property for taxation.

SECTION 4. The Executive Council shall, for the purpose of determining what amount shall be assessed to any one of said companies in each county of the state into which the line or lines of the company extend, multiply the assessed or taxable value per mile of line of said company, as ascertained according to the provisions of this act, by the number of miles of line in each of said counties, and the result thereof shall be by said council certified to the several county auditors of the respective counties into, over or through which said line or lines extend.

SECTION 5. At the first meeting of the board of supervisors held after said statements is received by the county auditor, it shall cause such statement to be entered in its minute book and make and enter therein an order stating the length of the lines and the assessed value of the property of each of said companies situated in each township or lesser taxing district in each county outside cities and towns, as fixed by the Executive Council, which shall constitute the taxable value of said

property for taxing purposes. The county auditor shall transmit a copy of said order to the trustees of each township and to the proper taxing boards in lesser taxing districts into which the line or lines of said company extend in the county. The taxes on said property when collected by the county treasurer shall be disposed of as other taxes on real estate.

SECTION 6. Such portions of the transmission line or lines within the state referred to in Section One (1) hereof, as are located outside cities and towns, shall be taxable upon said assessment provided for by this act at the same rate, by the same officers and for the same purposes as property of individuals within such counties, townships or lesser taxing districts, outside cities and towns, and the county treasurer shall collect said taxes at the same time and in the same manner as other taxes, and the same penalties shall be due and collectable as for the nonpayment of individual taxes.

SECTION 7. Every transmission line or part thereof, of which the Executive Council is required by this act to find the value, shall be exempt from other assessment or taxation either under Section Thirteen Hundred Forty-three (1343) of the Code, or under any other law of this state except as provided in this act. Provided that all lands, buildings, machinery, poles, towers, wires, station and substation equipment and other construction owned or operated by any company referred to in Section One (1) of this act, and which such property is located within any city or town within this state shall be listed and assessed for taxation in the same manner as provided in Section Thirteen Hundred Forty-three (1343) of the Code, for the listing and assessments of that part of the lands, buildings, machinery, tracks, poles and wires within the limits of any city or town belonging to individuals or corporations furnishing electric light or power, and whose such property, except the capital stock, is situated partly within and partly without the limits of a city or town. All personal property of every company owning or operating any such transmission line referred to in Section One (1) of this act, used or purchased by it for the purpose of such transmission line shall be listed and assessed in the assessment district where usually kept and housed and under said Section Thirteen Hundred Forty-three (1343) of the Code.

SECTION 8. The word "company" as used in this act, shall be deemed and construed to mean and include any person, copartnership, association, corporation or syndicate that shall own or operate a transmission line or lines for the conducting of electric energy located within the state and wholly or partly outside cities and towns, whether formed or organized under the laws of this state or elsewhere; and the verification of any statement required by this act or under the provisions thereof, shall, in the case of a person, be made by such person; in case of a corporation, by the President or Secretary thereof; and in the case of a copartnership, association or syndicate, by some member, officer, or agent thereof, having knowledge of the facts.

SECTION 9. The owner of the capital stock in any company owning or operating any transmission line or lines referred to in this act shall not be assessed for taxation upon such capital stock.

SECTION 10. The provisions of sections thirteen hundred thirty-h (133-h) and thirteen hundred thirty-i (1330-i), Supplement to the Code, 1913, shall apply to the property of transmission lines included in and referred to under section one (1) of this act.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Kimball filed the following amendments:

I move to amend Senate File No. 245 by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That such sections or parts of sections Five Thousand Seventy-seven-a-6 (5077-a-6) to Section Five Thousand Seventy-seven-a-24 (5077-a-24) inclusive that refer to agricultural seeds be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. Every parcel, package or lot of agricultural seeds as defined in section Four (4) of this act, and containing one pound or more, offered or exposed for sale in the state of Iowa for use within this state, shall have affixed thereto, in a conspicuous place on the outside thereof, distinctly printed in the English language in legible type not smaller than eight point heavy Gothic caps, or plainly written, a statement certifying,

First. Name of seed.

Second. Full name and address of the seedman, importer, dealer or agent.

Third. A statement of the purity of the seed contained, specifying the kind and percentage of the impurities as defined in section seven (7) and eight (8) hereof, provided that said seeds are below the standards fixed in this act.

Fourth. Locality where seed was grown, when known.

SECTION 3. The State Dairy and Food Commission shall cause to be made analysis of agricultural seeds sold or offered for sale in this state. Said Dairy and Food Commissioner is hereby authorized, in person or by deputy, to take for analysis from any lot or package of agricultural seeds, a sample not exceeding four ounces in weight; but said sample shall be drawn or taken in the presence of the party or parties in interest, or their representative, or in the presence of two disinterested persons, and shall be taken from a parcel, lot or number of parcels which shall not be less than five per cent of the whole lot inspected and shall be thoroughly mixed and divided into two samples and placed in tight packages carefully sealed and a label placed on each, stating the name or brand of the agricultural seeds sampled, and name of the party from whose stock the sample is drawn, and the date and place of taking such sample, and said label shall be signed by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner, or his authorized agent. One of the said duplicate samples shall be left on the premises of the party whose stock was sampled and the other retained by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner for analysis. The result of the analysis of the samples, together with additional information may be published from time to time in the bulletins issued by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner, upon approval of Executive Council.

SECTION 4. The term Agricultural seeds, as used in this act, shall include the seeds of the red clover, white clover, alsike, alfalfa, Kentucky blue grass, timothy, brome grass, orchard grass, red top, meadow fescue, oat grass, rye grass and other grasses and forage plants, flax, rape and cereals.

SECTION 5. Any person, purchasing any agricultural seeds in this state for his own use may submit fair samples of said seeds to the State Dairy and Food Commissioner, who, upon receipt of an analysis fee of fifty cents for each sample, shall cause an analysis of the same to be made.

SECTION 6. No person shall sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this state for the purpose of seeding, any of the agricultural seeds as defined in this act, unless the said seeds are free from the seeds of the following weeds: Wild mustard or charlock (*Brassica Sinapi trum*), quack grass (*Agropyron repens*), Canada thistle (*Onious Arvensis*), wild oats (*Avena fatua*), clover and alfalfa dodder (*Cuscuta epithimum*), field dodder (*Ouccuta arvensis*), and corn cockle (*Lychnis githage*).

SECTION 7. The seeds of the following weeds shall be considered as impurities in agricultural seeds, sold, offered or exposed for sale within the state for the purpose of seeding: White cockle (*Lychnis vespertina*), night flowering catch fly (*Silene noctiflora*), curled dock (*Rumex crispus*), smooth dock (*Rumex altissimus*), sheep sorrel (*Rumex scetosella*), Yellow trefoil (*Medicago lupulina*), burr clover (*Medicago dentifulta*), sweet cover (*melilotus Alba and officinalis*), black mustard (*Brassica nigra*), plantain, buckhorn (*Plantago lanceolata*), bracted plantain (*Plantago aristata*), bind weed (*Coculvulus sepium*), smooth crab grass (*Panicum glabrum*), common chickweed (*Stellaria media*). When such impurities are present in quantity exceeding a total of two per cent of the weight of said agricultural seeds, the approximate percentage of each shall be plainly indicated in the statement specified in section one (1) of this act.

SECTION 8. Sand, dirt, chaff and foreign substances and seeds other than those specified in section Nine (9) and Ten (10) or broken seeds and seeds not capable of germination, shall be considered impurities when present in agricultural seeds, sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for the purpose of seeding, and when such impurities, or any of them are present in quantity exceeding the standards of purity and viability fixed by this act, the name and approximate percentage of each shall be plainly indicated in the statement specified in section Two (2) of this act.

SECTION 9. First, for the purpose of this act agricultural seeds shall be deemed mixed or adulterated when orchard grass (*Dactylis glomerat*) seed contains ten per cent or more by weight of meadow fescue (*Festue elatier pratensis*) seed, or Italian rye grass (*Iolium italicum*) seed or English rye grass (*Lolium perenne*) seed.

Second. When bluegrass or Kentucky bluegrass (*Poa pratensis*) seed, contains five per cent or more by weight of Canadian blue grass (*Poa compressa*) seed, red top chaff, red top (*Agrostis alba*) seed, or any other seed or foreign substance.

Third. When red clover (*Trifolium pratense*), mammoth red clover (*Trifolium pratense* var) or alfalfa (*Medicago sativa*), contains five per cent or more by weight of yellow trefoil (*medicago lupulina*), or sweet clover (*Melilotus alba* and *M. Officinalis*) seed or burr clover (*Medicago denticulata*) seed.

Fourth. When rape (*Brassica Rapa*) contains five per cent or more of common mustard (*Brassica simapistrum*) or black mustard (*B. Nigra*).

SECTION 10. For the purpose of this act, seed shall be deemed to be misbranded,

First. When meadow fescue (*Festuca elatior pratensis*), English rye grass (*Lolium Perenne*) or Italian rye grass (*Lolium italicum*) is labeled or sold under the name of orchard grass (*Lactylis glomerata*) seed.

Second. When Canadian blue grass (*Poa compressa*) seed, red top (*Agrostis alba* (seed, or any other seed not bluegrass seed, is sold under the name of Kentucky blue grass (*Poa Pratensis*) or blue grass seed.

Third. When yellowish trefoil (*Medicago lupulina*) burr clover (*Medicago denticulata*) or sweet clover (*Melilotus*) is sold under the name of Clover, June Clover, red Clover (*Trifolium pratense*) medium red clover, small red clover, mammoth red clover, sapling clover, peavinc cover (*T. Pratensis* var.) or alfalfa (*Medicago sativa*) seed.

Fourth. When the seeds are not true to the species under which they are sold.

SECTION 11. The provisions governing agricultural seeds contained in this act shall not apply to:

First. Any person or persons growing or selling seeds for food purposes only, or having such seeds in possession for sale for such purposes.

Second. Any person selling seeds direct to merchants to be cleaned or graded before being offered for sale for the purpose of seeding. This shall not, however, exempt the seller from the restrictions of Section Six (6) of this act.

Third. Seed that is held in storage for the purpose of being re-cleaned and which has not been offered, exposed or held in possession or for sale for the purpose of seeding.

Fourth. Seed marked "not absolutely clean" and held or sold for export outside the state only.

Fifth. The sale of seed that is grown, sold or delivered by any farmer on his own premises for seeding by the purchaser himself unless the purchaser of said seeds obtains from the seller at the time of the sale thereof a certificate that the said seed is supplied to the purchaser subject to the provisions of this act.

Sixth. Mixtures of seeds for lawn or pasture purposes. This shall not, however, exempt the seller of such mixtures of seeds from the restrictions of section Six (6) and Seven (7) of this act.

Section 12. The following standards of purity (meaning freedom from weed seeds or other seeds) and viability are hereby affixed:

	Per Cent of Purity	Per Cent of Germinable Seeds
Alfalfa (<i>Medicago Sativa</i>)	96	80
Clover red (<i>Trifolium pretense</i>)	92	80
Clover alsyke (<i>Trifolium hyoridum</i>)	90	75
Clover white (<i>Trifolium repens</i>)	90	75
Clover crimson (<i>Trifolium incanatum</i>)	98	85
Timothy (<i>Phileum pretense</i>)	96	85
Blue grass Kentucky (<i>Poa pertense</i>)	80	45
Blue grass Canadian (<i>Poa compressa</i>)	90	45
Fescue meadow (<i>Pesticu pertensis</i>)	95	85
Brome grass (<i>Bromus inermis</i>)	90	75
Red top (<i>Agrostis Alba</i>)	90	70
Rye grass Perennial (<i>Lolium PPreene</i>)	96	80
Rye grass Italian (<i>Lolium Italicum</i>)	95	80
Wheat (<i>triticum</i>)	98	90
Orchard grass (<i>Dactylis Glomerata</i>)	70	70
Oat grass tall (<i>Arrhena therum Avenceum</i>)	72	70
Millet common (<i>Setaria Italica</i>)	90	85
Millett hog (<i>Penicum milisdeum</i>)	90	85
Millett pearl (<i>Penesitum Typhodeum</i>)	99	65
Sorghum (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>)	96	80
Sorghum (for fodder)	90	60
Rape (<i>Bassica Rapa</i>)	98	90
Corn fied (<i>Zea maye</i>)	99	94
Corn sweet	99	75
Rye (<i>Secala cereale</i>)	98	90
Oats (<i>Avena sativa</i>)	98	90
Barley	98	90
Buckwheat	96	90
Flax (<i>Lineum Unitstisium</i>)	96	89

SECTION 13. It is hereby made the duty of the State Dairy and Food Commissioner to enforce the provisions of this act. The inspectors, assistants and chemists appointed by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner shall perform the same duties and have the same authority under this act as are prescribed in Section Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a-25 (4999-a-25), and Section Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-seven-m (2527-m) Supplement to the Code, 1913, and the said State Dairy and Food commissioner may appoint with the approval of the State Executive Council such analysts as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

SECTION 14. Whoever sells, offers or exposes for sale any of the seeds specified in Sections Nine (9) and Ten (10) of this act which are mixed, adulterated or misbranded, or any agricultural seeds which do not comply with Sections Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) of this act, or who shall attempt to prevent any inspector in the discharge of his duty from collecting samples, or who shall violate any of the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, shall be fined not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) and costs of prosecuting; provided, that no one shall be convicted for the violation of the provisions of Section Six (6) of this act, unless it is shown that the weed seeds named in Section Six (6) are present in quantities of not more than one in three thousand, and that due diligence has been used to find and remove said seeds.

SECTION 15. All fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the State Treasury.

MOTIONS TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 489 passed the Senate.

L. E. FRANCIS.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 390 passed the Senate on Saturday, April 10, 1915.

CLEM F. KIMBALL.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 479 passed the Senate.

F. W. EVERSMAYER.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment to Senate File No. 242, and requested that it be printed in the Journal:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the State University of Iowa, the sum of one hundred thirty-three thousand dollars (\$133,000.00) for the following purposes:

Equipment of buildings and buildings partially equipped	\$45,000.00
Electrical equipment	10,000.00
Paving and sidewalks	6,000.00
Purchase of lands (to be available first year).....	48,000.00
Enlarging heating plant (to be available first year)	18,000.00
Tunnel to new buildings (to be available first year)	6,000.00

The sums mentioned in this section shall be paid on order of the Iowa State Board of Education, but not more than one-half of the entire amount shall be paid before July 1, 1916, with the exception of the appropriations for the purchase of land, \$48,000.00; enlarging heating plant, \$18,000.00; and tunnel to new buildings, \$6,000.00; which are to be available July 1, 1915.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the sum of one hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$180,000.00) for the following purposes: —

Additional equipment and furnishings for buildings and departments	\$105,000.00
Extension of heating system and equipment of heating plant	32,000.00
Repairs and improvements for dairy building, old agricultural hall and barns, temporary provisions for fruit storage, and small buildings and additions to buildings	26,000.00
Temporary provisions for home economics laboratory	1,500.00
Settling and storage water tank and connections	15,000.00

The sums mentioned in this section shall be paid on order of the Iowa State Board of Education, but not more than one-half of the entire amount shall be paid before July 1, 1916, with the exception of the appropriation for the extension of the heating system and equipment of heating plant (\$32,000.00), and settling and storage tank and connections (\$15,000.00), which shall be available July, 1915.

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Iowa State Teachers

College, the sum of sixteen thousand six hundred dollars (\$16,600.00), for the following purposes:—

Furniture fund for new Dormitory	\$ 15,000.00
Paving	1,600.00

The sums mentioned in this section shall be available July 1, 1915, and to be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education.

SECTION 4. There is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the College for the Blind, twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars (\$23,500.00), for the following purposes:—

Electric lighting plant	\$ 3,000.00
Pianos and furniture	5,000.00
Barns and silo	4,500.00
Paving, side-walks, improvements of grounds and land ...	10,000.00
Printing plant for making books for the blind	1,000.00

The sums mentioned in this section shall be available July 1, 1915, and be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment to Senate File No. 288, and requested that it be printed in the Journal:

Amend Senate File No. 288 by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the State University of Iowa, the sum of Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$700,000.00) annually hereafter for the following purposes:

Educational Support	\$ 454,700.00
College of Applied Science, Liberal Arts, Law, Pharmacy and Medicine	68,350.00
College of Dentistry	23,725.00
College of Education	20,000.00
Graduate College	9,000.00
College of Fine Arts.....	3,000.00
University Extension	17,000.00
Summer School	16,000.00
Equipment and supplies	12,500.00
Repair and contingent	35,000.00
Department of Building and Grounds.....	12,000.00
Administration	6,225.00
Library	17,500.00
Epidemiology laboratory	5,000.00

The permanent annual appropriations provided for in this section shall take the place and be in lieu of all other annual appropriations made to the State University of Iowa prior to the convening of the 36th General Assembly; and shall be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education, in monthly installments beginning July 1, 1915, with the exception of the Summer School Fund (\$20,000.00), which shall be available July 1, 1915, and on July 1st of each year thereafter.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated to the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, out of money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Nine Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$940,000.00) annually hereafter for the following purposes:

Permanent Collegiate Support Fund.....	\$ 505,000.00
Summer Session	20,000.00
Two year and four year courses in Home Economics for homemakers and teachers	20,000.00
Subcollegiate courses in agriculture, home economics, and engineering	54,000.00
Contingent Fund, repairs, and minor improvements.....	46,000.00
Library, Books and Periodicals.....	5,000.00
Maintenance and improvement of public grounds.....	10,000.00
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	\$ 660,000.00

and for,

Winter Short courses in agriculture, home economics and engineering and trade school work.....	9,500.00
Veterinary Practitioners' Courses	2,500.00
Engineering Experiment Station	15,000.00
Good Roads Experimentation	10,000.00
Agricultural Experiment Station	115,500.00
Argicultural and Home Economics Extension.....	90,000.00
Engineering Extension and Trade Schools.....	25,000.00
Veterinary investigations	12,500.00
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	\$ 280,000.00

The permanent annual appropriation provided for in Section 2 of this Act, shall take the place and be in lieu of all other annual appropriations made to the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts prior to the convening of the 36th General Assembly; and the balance of the annual appropriations under the Two Year Millage Tax levied as provided in Chapter 228 of the Laws of the 35th General Assembly, 1913, in excess of \$188,750.00 collected and payable to the College during the year 1915, shall be transferred to the general revenues of the State. The appropriations in Section 2 of this Act, shall be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education, in monthly installments Beginning July 1, 1915, with the exception of the Summer Sessions Fund of \$20,000.00, which shall be available July 1, 1915, and on July 1st of each year thereafter, and the Winter Short Course Fund of \$9,500.00, which shall be available January 1, 1916, and on January 1st each year thereafter.

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Iowa State Teachers College, the sum of wo Hundred Eighty-five Thousand Dollars (\$285,000.00) annually hereafter for the following purposes:

Teachers Fund	\$ 139,500.00
Summer Term Fund	40,000.00
Contingent and Repair	70,000.00
Library	5,000.00

Librarian's Salary Fund.....	8,500.00
Hospital Fund	2,250.00
Extension Service Fund	19,750.00

The permanent annual appropriations provided for in this section shall take the place and be in lieu of all other annual appropriations made to the Iowa State Teachers College prior to the convening of the 36th General Assembly; and shall be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education, in monthly installments beginning July 1, 1915, with the exception of the Summer Term Fund, \$40,000.00 which shall be available July 1, 1915, and on July 1st each year thereafter.

SECTION 4. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the College for the Blind, the sum of Forty-one Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$41,600.00) annually hereafter for the following purposes:

Support Fund	\$ 40,000.00
Repair and contingent fund	1,500.00
Oculist Fund	100.00

The permanent annual appropriations provided for in this Section shall take the place and be in lieu of all other annual appropriations made to the College for the Blind prior to the convening of the 36th General Assembly; and shall be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education, in monthly installments beginning July 1, 1915.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 13, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. T. Jones, Pastor of the First Congregational Church, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Lindly presented a petition of citizens of Henry county, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Perkins presented a petition of citizens of Waterloo, Iowa, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Boe presented a petition of citizens of Mason City, Iowa, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Boe presented a remonstrance from the citizens of Osage, Iowa, against increase in passenger and freight rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Thomas presented a petition of citizens of Union county, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Frailey presented a petition of citizens of Keokuk, Iowa, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Foster presented a petition of citizens of Granger, Iowa, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Caswell presented a petition of citizens of Woodbine and Charter Oak, Iowa, urging the legislature to memorialize Congress in regard to readjustment of parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 628, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the State Penitentiary and Reformatory as the same appears in section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a-eleven (5718-a-11), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 626, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a26 (1056-a26), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the appointment of police judges in cities of the first and second class.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 518, a bill for an act to repeal section nine hundred thirty-two-n (932-n) supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 174, a bill for an act to relinquish and quit claim all the rights of the state of Iowa in and to the abandoned river bed of the Des Moines river, in sections twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33), in township seventy-seven (77) north, range twenty (20) west of the Fifth P. M., Marion county, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 621, a bill for an act to amend sections fifteen hundred seventy-one-m two (1571-m 2), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m five (1571-m 5), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m six (1571-m 6), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m fifteen (1571-m 15), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m seven (1571-m 7), and to repeal sec

tion fifteen hundred seventy-one-m twelve (1571-m 12), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 369, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 631, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Waterloo, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 634, a bill for an act relative to disposition of fees paid to the governor, additional to chapter one (1), title one (1) of the code, and amendments thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 633, a bill for an act to amend sections eleven hundred one (1101), eleven hundred four (1104), and eleven hundred five (1105), of the code, relating to the time of filing withdrawals, certificates, petitions and nominations of candidates for public offices.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 629, a bill for an act to repeal section three hundred ninety-two (392) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the fees of commissioners appointed for other states and the record of their appointment.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 478, a bill for an act to amend title twenty-four (XXIV), chapter eleven (11), of the code, 1897, relating to offences against public policy.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 575, a bill for an act to amend chapter two-a (2-a) of title ten (X), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a provision for the issuing and payment of county drainage bonds as distinguished from district drainage bonds.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 613, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand fifty-six-a eighteen (1056-a-18), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the number of councilmen in cities organized under the provisions of said section.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 576, a bill for an act to provide for joint action between the duly constituted authorities of this state having jurisdiction of drainage proceedings and like authorities of adjoining states, with a view to joint and equitable drainage of lands of both states, and to provide for the procedure in such cases.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 615, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, to indemnify A. H. Kellogg for personal injuries sustained by him while employed in the Iowa state industrial schools for boys at Eldora, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 293, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00) to indemnify T. D. Fultz for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as a carpenter at the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

House File No. 616, a bill for an act to reimburse William Lester Alery for injuries received while an inmate in the Soldiers' Orphans' Home, and for loss of wages and expenses incurred because of said injuries, at Davenport, Iowa, September 23, 1913.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

MOTION FOR RETURN OF SENATE FILE.

Senator Robinson moved that the Senate comply with the request of the House for the return of Senate File No. 262.

Carried.

MESSAGE FROM GEN. GRENVILLE M. DODGE.

President Harding read the following telegram, and same was ordered printed in the journal.

Lieutenant Governor, Speaker of the House and Members of the House and Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, Des Moines:

GENTLEMEN—I thank each and every one of the members of the House and Senate of our great state of Iowa for their kind thought of me on this my eighty-fourth birthday, which also marks my sixty-second year as a citizen of Iowa.

I take equal pride with you in our great state, the garden and granary of the United States. It was my duty and honor to serve her as a soldier but I hope neither this generation nor any other may be called upon to take up arms in behalf of our country or state; but should the call come, I know Iowa will answer if necessary to its last citizen with great gratitude and respect.

GRENVILLE M. DODGE.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 631, a bill for an act making appropriation of funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the interstate commerce commission and intrastate cases and service.

Read first and second time and placed on the calendar.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 632, a bill for an act making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of section twenty-five hundred sixty-nine-a (2569-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the enforcement of sanitary conditions by the state board of health.

Read first and second time and placed on the calendar.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 276, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in Sections 4999-a 31, 4999-a 31-c, 4999-a 31-e, and 4999-a 31-f, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended by the adoption of the substitute hereto attached:

A. C. SAVAGE,

Chairman.

SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE FILE NO. 276.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend the Law Relating to Pure Food as the Same Appears in Sections Forty-nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Thirty-one (4999-a 31), Forty-nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Thirty-one-c (4999-a 31-c), Forty-nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Thirty-one-e (4999-a 31-e) and Forty-nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a Thirty-one-f (4999-a 31-f), Supplement to the Code, 1913.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one (4999-a 31), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from said section all after the heading "VINEGAR" following paragraph twenty-four (24) of said section down to and including line fourteen (14) of page 1814 of said supplement to the code, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

1. All vinegar shall be made by the alcoholic and subsequent acetous fermentation of fruits, grain, vegetables, sugar or syrups, and if not distilled must carry in solution the extractive matter derived solely from the substances indicated on the label as its source.

2. No vinegar shall be sold or exposed for sale as vinegar, apple vinegar or cider vinegar which is not the legitimate product of apples. The term "cider vinegar" as used shall be construed to mean vinegar derived by the alcoholic and subsequent acetous fermentation of the expressed juice of apples, the acidity, solids and ash of which have been derived exclusively from apples, and which contains not less than four per cent of absolute acetic acid. Cider vinegar which, during the course of manufacture, has developed in excess of four per cent acetic acid may be reduced to a strength of not less than four per cent, and cider vinegar so reduced shall not be regarded as adulterated if so branded.

3. Sugar vinegar sold or exposed for sale as such shall be strictly and distinctly fermented from sucrose.

4. No vinegar shall be sold or exposed for sale as malt vinegar which is not fermented strictly and distinctly from barley, malt, or cereals whose starch has been converted by malt.

5. No vinegar shall be sold or exposed for sale in which foreign substances, drugs or acids have been introduced. No vinegar shall contain any artificial coloring matter, and all vinegar shall have an acidity of not less than four per cent by weight of absolute acetic acid. If vinegar contains any artificial matter, or less than the required amount of acidity, it shall be deemed to be adulterated.

6. All vinegar made by fermentation and oxidation without the intervention of distillation shall be branded with the name of the fruit or substance from which such vinegar has been made.

7. All vinegar made by acetous fermentation of dilute distilled alcohol shall be branded "distilled" vinegar, together with the name of the substance from which it is made, and shall not have a brown color in imitation of cider vinegar.

8. Corn sugar vinegar is the product made by the alcoholic and subsequent acetous fermentation of solutions of starch sugar.

SECTION 2. That the law as it appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one c (4999-a 31 c), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "for" in line four (4) of said section the following, "or entering into the composition of"; and also by inserting after the comma following the word "purchaser", in line seventeen (17) of said section the following, "or if it bears any design or device which might prove deceptive as to the true character of the product"; and also by striking from line forty (40) of said section the word "added".

SECTION 3. That the law as it appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one e (4999-a 31 e), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from line one (1) of the sixth (6th) subdivision of said section the word "added" and by striking from line three (3) of said sixth (6th) subdivision the word "or" and inserting a comma in lieu thereof and also by inserting in said line three (3) of said subdivision following the word "formaldehyde" the words "or boron compound"; and also by inserting after the comma at the end of line one (1) of the seventh (7th) subdivision of said section the following "rancid,,"; and also by inserting after the word "slaughter" in line five (5) of said seventh (7th) subdivision the following, "or if it be a food product which has been damaged by freezing"; and also by striking out all of the ninth (9th) subdivision of said section.

SECTION 4. That the law as it appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one f (4999-a 31 f), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from line seven (7) of said section the word "twenty-one" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty-four".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Substitute read first and second time.

On motion of Senator Savage the report of the committee was adopted.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 464, a bill for an act to create a department in the office of commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics for the purpose of providing free public employment, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By striking out the word "department" in the first line of the title and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "Free Employment Bureau" and by striking out all of the title following the word "statistics" in the title.

Also amend Section One of the bill by striking out all of line four following the word "department" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "to be called The State Free Employment Bureau".

Also by striking out of line 6 and 7 in Section 2 the words "such of the newspapers of the state as in his judgment is desirable, and also to".

Also by striking out of line 24 of Section 2 the words "charged or".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 218, a bill for an act to encourage the dairy industry and beef cattle growing industries of the state of Iowa and to aid in providing instruction in practical and scientific methods and making an appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By inserting after the word "president" in line three of section three the words "and secretary" and striking from lines four and five in said section three the words "the President of the Iowa State Buttermakers' Association,"

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 353, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the inspection of petroleum as the same appears in chapter 11, title XII, supplement to the code, 1913, and making an annual appropriation for the Oil Inspection Department, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 234, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section 2575-a-52, supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor, making annual appropriations for carrying on the work of the State Entomologist, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

By striking out the words and figures "eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500.00)" in lines 6 and 7 of Section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00)".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 76, a bill for an act to amend chapter 348 of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, relating to pensions to survivors of the Spirit Lake Relief Expedition extending said pension to Abbie Gardner Sharp, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 586, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings under which the independent school district of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school funding and school building purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 547, a bill for an act to amend an act passed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly and approved on the twelfth day of February, 1915, and entitled "A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee, and State of Iowa."

Also:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, Senate joint resolution providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state of certain unexpended balances of funds appropriated by section 2, chapter 136, acts of the 22d General Assembly; section 1, chapter 153, acts of the 26th General Assembly; section 1, chapter 196, acts of the 29th General Assembly; chapter 189, acts of the 30th General Assembly; section 4, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 45, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 2, chapter 193, acts of the 31st General Assembly; chapter 202, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 1 and 2, chapter 203, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 2, chapter 226, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 2, chapter 241, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 35, chapter 241, acts of the 33d General Assembly; chapter 258, acts of the 33d General Assembly; section 41,

Also:

Senate File No. 150, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure there-

of.

chapter 192, acts of the 34th General Assembly; chapter 208, acts of the 34th General Assembly; paragraph 25, section 3, chapter 321, acts of the 35th General Assembly.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 586, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings under which the independent school district of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school funding and school building purposes.

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Senate File No. 150, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof.

Also:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, Senate joint resolution providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state of certain unexpended balances of funds appropriated by section 2, chapter 136, acts of the 22d General Assembly; section 1, chapter 153, acts of the 26th General Assembly; section 1, chapter 196, acts of the 29th General Assembly; chapter 189, acts of the 30th General Assembly; section 4, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 45, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 2, chapter 193, acts of the 31st General Assembly; chapter 202, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 1 and 2, chapter 203, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 2, chapter 226, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 2, chapter 241, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 35, chapter 241, acts of the 33d General Assembly; chapter 258, acts of the 33d General Assembly; section 41, chapter 192, acts of the 34th General Assembly; chapter 208, acts of the 34th General Assembly; paragraph 25, section 3, chapter 321, acts of the 35th General Assembly.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman House Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman Senate Committee.

Adopted.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Whitmore called up for consideration the motion filed by him to reconsider the vote on Senate File No. 59 and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

Senator Wilson moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Ream. Schrup, Shecan, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, Wilson—24.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—21.

Absent or not voting:

Hagemann, Henigbaum, Laffer, Quigley, Savage—5.

The motion prevailed, and the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 242, a bill for an act making appropriations for the State University of Iowa, the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the Iowa State Teachers' College, and the College for the Blind, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 288, a bill for an act making annual appropriations to the State University, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic

Arts, and Iowa State Teachers' College, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Senator Savage moved that Senate Files Nos. 288 and 242 and House File No. 248 be made a special order for 10:30 a. m., Wednesday, April 14th.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foster, House File No. 376, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881) of the code, relating to the report of the condition of banks by the Auditor of State to the Governor, and to enact a substitute therefor, was taken up and considered.

Senator Francis moved that further consideration be deferred

Motion lost.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—19.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Nye, Parker, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—26.

Absent or not voting:

Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Sheean—5.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for consideration of Special Order No. 1, on motion of Senator Wilson, House File No. 429, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721) of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File No. 429 by striking out the quotation marks following the word "automobile", in the last line of section one, and inserting the following: "providing such companies are possessed of a surplus in an amount to be approved by the Commissioner of Insurance."

Adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Wilson invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—20.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee—4.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 408, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following joint resolution, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House Joint Resolution No. 9, a joint resolution approving estimates of cost, plans and specifications for buildings at the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, and the Iowa State Teachers College.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 580, a bill for an act to regulate the equipment and operation of moving picture machines, the protection of the operator and the premises where the same are located.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 603, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed or to be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease; and to defray the expense of quarantine, care, destruction or burial of stock within any quarantined district.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 340, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred and six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the admission of soldiers' wives and widows to the Soldiers' Home.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145), one hundred forty-six (146) and one hundred fifty-four (154) of the code relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147) of the code and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f 16 (2215-f 16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 447, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in sections twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four (2544), twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554) twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562) and twenty-five hundred sixty two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 605, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-four (2584) of the code; and to repeal sections twenty-five hundred eighty-seven (2587) and twenty-five hundred eighty-nine-a (2589-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to provide an appropriation for reciprocal arrangements, all relating to the practice of pharmacy, was taken up and considered.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Hel-

mer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran—2.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, White of Benton, White of Iowa—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, House File No. 446, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred seventy-eight (578) of the code, relative to the posting of statement of receipts and expenditures by the township clerk, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Clarkson, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Jones, Larrabee, Quigley—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 532, a bill for an act to amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald moved the adoption of the following amendment filed by him and found on page 1456 of the Senate Journal.

Amend Senate File No. 532 by striking out of lines 4, 5, 6 and 7 of the printed bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Nor to debentures or bonds issued by any corporation organized under this chapter for the purpose of manufacturing or selling gas, heat, steam or electricity, or constructing or operating interurban or street railways, or for any one or more of said purposes, when such debentures or bonds are not issued in an amount exceeding twice the amount of the paid up capital stock of such corporation."

Adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Parker invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Crist, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hillsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—29.

The nays were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Greene, Grout, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Schrup, Whitmore—16.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Gillette, Thomas, White of Benton, Wilson—5.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 610, a bill for an act providing for the reporting and taxation of electric transmission lines and properties, was taken up and considered.

Senator Farr offered the following amendments filed by him and found on page 1613 of the journal and moved their adoption.

I move to amend Senate File No. 610, by striking out all after the enacting clause, and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That every company owning or operating a transmission line or lines for the conduct of electric energy and which line or lines are located within the state, and which said line or lines are also located wholly or partly outside cities and towns, shall on or before the first day of May of each year, furnish to the Executive Council of the state of Iowa a verified statement as to its entire line or lines within this state, when all of said line or lines are located outside cities and towns, and as to such portion of its line or lines within this state as are located partly outside cities and towns, when such line or lines are located partly outside and partly inside cities and towns, showing:

1st. The total number of miles of line owned, operated or leased, located outside cities and towns within this state, with a separate showing the number of miles leased:

2d. The location and length of each division within the state and character of poles, towers, wires, substation equipment and other construction of each such division, designating the length and portion thereof in each separate county into which each such division extends.

SECTION 2. Upon receipt of said statements from the several companies, the Executive Council shall examine such statements, and if it shall deem same insufficient, and that further information is requisite, it shall require the company making same to make such other or further statement as it may desire, notifying such company thereof by registered mail. In case of the total failure or refusal to make any statement required by this act to be made by May first in any year, or of failure or refusal to make such other or further statement within thirty (30) days from the time the registered notice thereof is received by said company that the same is required by the Executive Council, such company shall forfeit and pay to the state of Iowa, one hundred dollars (\$100) for each day the total failure or refusal to make any report is continued beyond the said first day of May of the year in which it is required, or in case of any such other or further report required by the Executive Council for each day the same is delayed beyond thirty (30) days from the receipt of the notice by said company that same is required, such forfeiture to be sued for and recovered in any proper form of action in the name of the state and on relation of the Executive Council of the state of Iowa, and such penalty when collected, shall be paid into the general fund.

SECTION 3. The Executive Council shall, at its meeting on the second Monday in July of each year, proceed to find the actual value of that part of such transmission line or lines referred to in section one (1)

of this act, owned or operated by any company, that are located within this state but outside cities and towns, including the whole of such line or lines when all of such line or lines owned or operated by said company are located wholly outside cities and towns; taking into consideration the information obtained from the statements required by or under this act, and any further information they can obtain, using the same as a means of determining the actual cash value of such transmission line or lines or parts thereof, within this state, located outside cities and towns. The Executive Council shall then ascertain the value per mile of such transmission line or lines owned or operated by each company specified in Section One (1) of this act by dividing the total value as above ascertained by the number of miles of line of such company within the state located outside cities and towns, and the result shall be deemed and held to be the actual value per mile of said transmission line or lines of each said company within the state located outside of cities and towns. The taxable value of such line or lines of which said Executive Council by this act are required to find the value, shall be determined by taking the percentage of the actual value so ascertained, as provided by Section Thirteen Hundred Five (1305) of the Code, as amended, and the ratio between the actual value and the assessed or taxable value of the transmission line or lines of each of said companies located outside of cities and towns shall be the same as in the case of the property of private individuals. At said meeting in July, any company interested shall have the right to appear by its officers, agents and attorneys before the Executive Council, and be heard on the question of the value of its property for taxation.

SECTION 4. The Executive Council shall, for the purposes of determining what amount shall be assessed to any one of said companies in each county of the state into which the line or lines of the company extend, multiply the assessed or taxable value per mile of line of said company, as ascertained according to the provisions of this act, by the number of miles of line in each of said counties, and the result thereof shall be by said council certified to the several county auditors of the respective counties into, over or through which said line or lines extend.

SECTION 5. At the first meeting of the board of supervisors held after said statements is received by the county auditor, it shall cause such statement to be entered in its minute book and make and enter therein an order stating the length of the lines and the assessed value of the property of each of said companies situated in each township or lesser taxing district in each county outside cities and towns, as fixed by the Executive Council, which shall constitute the taxable value of said property for taxing purposes. The county auditor shall transmit a copy of said order to the trustees of each township and to the proper taxing boards in lesser taxing districts into which the line or lines of said company extend in the county. The taxes on said property when collected by the county treasurer shall be disposed of as other taxes on real estate.

SECTION 6. Such portions of the transmission line or lines within the state referred to in Section One (1) hereof, as are located outside cities and towns, shall be taxable upon said assessment provided for

by this act at the same rate, by the same officers and for the same purposes as property of individuals within such counties, townships or lesser taxing districts, outside cities and towns, and the county treasurer shall collect said taxes at the same time and in the same manner as other taxes, and the same penalties shall be due and collectable as for the nonpayment of individual taxes.

SECTION 7. Every transmission line or part thereof, of which the Executive Council is required by this act to find the value, shall be exempt from other assessment or taxation either under Section Thirteen Hundred Forty-three (1343) of the Code, or under any other law of this state except as provided in this act. Provided that all lands, buildings, machinery, poles, towers, wires, station and substation equipment and other construction owned or operated by any company referred to in Section One (1) of this act, and which such property is located within any city or town within this state shall be listed and assessed for taxation in the same manner as provided in Section Thirteen Hundred Forty-three (1343) of the Code, for the listing and assessments of that part of the lands, buildings, machinery, tracks, poles and wires within the limits of any city or town belonging to individuals or corporations furnishing electric light or power, and whose such property, except the capital stock, is situated partly within and partly without the limits of a city or town. All personal property of every company owning or operating any such transmission line referred to in Section One (1) of this act, used or purchased by it for the purpose of such transmission line shall be listed and assessed in the assessment district where usually kept and housed and under said Section Thirteen Hundred Forty-three (1343) of the Code.

SECTION 8. The word "company" as used in this act, shall be deemed and construed to mean and include any person, copartnership, association, corporation or syndicate that shall own or operate a transmission line or lines for the conducting of electric energy located within the state and wholly or partly outside cities and towns, whether formed or organized under the laws of this state or elsewhere; and the verification of any statement required by this act or under the provisions thereof, shall, in the case of a person, be made by such person; in case of a corporation, by the President or Secretary thereof; and in the case of a copartnership, association or syndicate, by some member, officer, or agent thereof, having knowledge of the facts.

SECTION 9. The owner of the capital stock in any company owning or operating any transmission line or lines referred to in this act shall not be assessed for taxation upon such capital stock.

SECTION 10. The provisions of sections thirteen hundred thirty-h (1330-h) and thirteen hundred thirty-i (1330-i), supplement to the Code, 1913, shall apply to the property of transmission lines included in and referred to under section one (1) of this act.

This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in full force and effect after its publication in the Register and Leader, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Jones, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Savage, White of Benton—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 4, on motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 245, a bill for an act to regulate the sale of agricultural seeds, defining same, providing for their inspection, fixing fees and providing penalties for violation of this act, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendments filed by him and found on pages 1616 to 1620 of the Journal of April 12th.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Kimball filed the following amendments:

I move to amend Senate File No. 245 by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That such sections or parts of sections Five Thousand Seventy-seven-a-6 (5077-a-6) to Section Five Thousand Seventy-seven-a-24 (5077-a-24) inclusive that refer to agricultural seeds be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. Every parcel, package or lot of agricultural seeds as defined in section Four (4) of this act, and containing one pound or more, offered or exposed for sale in the state of Iowa for use within this state, shall have affixed thereto, in a conspicuous place on the out-

side thereof, distinctly printed in the English language in legible type not smaller than eight point heavy Gothic caps, or plainly written, a statement certifying,

First. Name of seed.

Second. Full name and address of the seedman, importer, dealer or agent.

Third. A statement of the purity of the seed contained, specifying the kind and percentage of the impurities as defined in section seven (7) and eight (8) hereof, provided that said seeds are below the standards fixed in this act.

Fourth. Locality where seed was grown, when known.

SECTION 3. The State Dairy and Food Commission shall cause to be made analysis of agricultural seeds sold or offered for sale in this state. Said Dairy and Food Commissioner is hereby authorized, in person or by deputy, to take for analysis from any lot or package of agricultural seeds, a sample not exceeding four ounces in weight; but said sample shall be drawn or taken in the presence of the party or parties in interest, or their representative, or in the presence of two disinterested persons, and shall be taken from a parcel, lot or number of parcels which shall not be less than five per cent of the whole lot inspected and shall be thoroughly mixed and divided into two samples and placed in tight packages carefully sealed and a label placed on each, stating the name or brand of the agricultural seeds sampled, and name of the party from whose stock the sample is drawn, and the date and place of taking such sample, and said label shall be signed by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner, or his authorized agent. One of the said duplicate samples shall be left on the premises of the party whose stock was sampled and the other retained by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner for analysis. The result of the analysis of the samples, together with additional information may be published from time to time in the bulletins issued by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner, upon approval of Executive Council.

SECTION 4. The term Agricultural seeds, as used in this act, shall include the seeds of the red clover, white clover, alsike, alfalfa, Kentucky blue grass, timothy, brome grass, orchard grass, red top, meadow fescue, oat grass, rye grass and other grasses and forage plants, flax, rape and cereals.

SECTION 5. Any person, purchasing any agricultural seeds in this state for his own use may submit fair samples of said seeds to the State Dairy and Food Commissioner, who, upon receipt of an analysis fee of fifty cents for each sample, shall cause an analysis of the same to be made.

SECTION 6. No person shall sell, offer or expose for sale or distribute in this state for the purpose of seeding, any of the agricultural seeds as defined in this act, unless the said seeds are free from the seeds of the following weeds: Wild mustard or charlock (*Brassica Sinapi trum*), quack grass (*Agropyron repens*), Canada thistle (*Onious Arvensis*), wild oats (*Avena fatua*), clover and alfalfa dodder (*Cuscuta epithimum*), field dodder (*Ouccuta arvensis*), and corn cockle (*Lychnis githage*).

SECTION 7. The seeds of the following weeds shall be considered as impurities in agricultural seeds, sold, offered or exposed for sale within the state for the purpose of seeding: White cockle (*Lychnis vespertina*), night flowering catch fly (*Silene noctiflora*), curled dock (*Rumex crispus*), smooth dock (*Rumex altissimus*), sheep sorrel (*Rumex acetosella*), Yellow trefoil (*Medicago lupulina*), burr clover (*Medicago dentiflora*), sweet cover (*Melilotus Alba* and *officinalis*), black mustard (*Brassica nigra*), plantain, buckhorn (*Plantago lanceolata*), bracted plantain (*Plantago aristata*), bind weed (*Coculvulus sepium*), smooth crab grass (*Panicum glabrum*), common chickweed (*Stellaria media*). When such impurities are present in quantity exceeding a total of two per cent of the weight of said agricultural seeds, the approximate percentage of each shall be plainly indicated in the statement specified in section one (1) of this act.

SECTION 8. Sand, dirt, chaff and foreign substances and seeds other than those specified in section Nine (9) and Ten (10) or broken seeds and seeds not capable of germination, shall be considered impurities when present in agricultural seeds, sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for the purpose of seeding, and when such impurities, or any of them are present in quantity exceeding the standards of purity and viability fixed by this act, the name and approximate percentage of each shall be plainly indicated in the statement specified in section Two (2) of this act.

SECTION 9. First, for the purpose of this act agricultural seeds shall be deemed mixed or adulterated when orchard grass (*Dactylis glomerata*) seed contains ten per cent or more by weight of meadow fescue (*Festuca elatior pratensis*) seed, or Italian rye grass (*Lolium italicum*) seed or English rye grass (*Lolium perenne*) seed.

Second. When bluegrass or Kentucky bluegrass (*Poa pratensis*) seed, contains five per cent or more by weight of Canadian blue grass (*Poa compressa*) seed, red top chaff, red top (*Agrostis alba*) seed, or any other seed or foreign substance.

Third. When red clover (*Trifolium pratense*), mammoth red clover (*Trifolium pratense* var) or alfalfa (*Medicago sativa*), contains five per cent or more by weight of yellow trefoil (*Medicago lupulina*), or sweet clover (*Melilotus alba* and *M. Officinalis*) seed or burr clover (*Medicago denticulata*) seed.

Fourth. When rape (*Brassica Rapa*) contains five per cent or more of common mustard (*Brassica simapistrum*) or black mustard (*B. Nigra*).

SECTION 10. For the purpose of this act, seed shall be deemed to be misbranded,

First. When meadow fescue (*Festuca elatior pratensis*), English rye grass (*Lolium Perenne*) or Italian rye grass (*Lolium italicum*) is labeled or sold under the name of orchard grass (*Dactylis glomerata*) seed.

Second. When Canadian blue grass (*Poa compressa*) seed, red top (*Agrostis alba* (seed, or any other seed not bluegrass seed, is sold under the name of Kentucky blue grass (*Poa Pratensis*) or blue grass seed.

Third. When yellowish trefoil (*Medicago lupulina*) burr clover (*Medicago denticulata*) or sweet clover (*Melilotus*) is sold under the name of Clover, June Clover, red Clover (*Trifolium pratense*) medium red clover, small red clover, mammoth red clover, sapling clover, peavine cover (*T. Pratensis* var.) or alfalfa (*Medicago sativa*) seed.

Fourth. When the seeds are not true to the species under which they are sold.

SECTION 11. The provisions governing agricultural seeds contained in this act shall not apply to:

First. Any person or persons growing or selling seeds for food purposes only, or having such seeds in possession for sale for such purposes.

Second. Any person selling seeds direct to merchants to be cleaned or graded before being offered for sale for the purpose of seeding. This shall not, however, exempt the seller from the restrictions of Section Six (6) of this act.

Third. Seed that is held in storage for the purpose of being re-cleaned and which has not been offered, exposed or held in possession or for sale for the purpose of seeding.

Fourth. Seed marked "not absolutely clean" and held or sold for export outside the state only.

Fifth. The sale of seed that is grown, sold or delivered by any farmer on his own premises for seeding by the purchaser himself unless the purchaser of said seeds obtains from the seller at the time of the sale thereof a certificate that the said seed is supplied to the purchaser subject to the provisions of this act.

Sixth. Mixtures of seeds for lawn or pasture purposes. This shall not, however, exempt the seller of such mixtures of seeds from the restrictions of section Six (6) and Seven (7) of this act.

Section 12. The following standards of purity (meaning freedom from weed seeds or other seeds) and viability are hereby affixed:

	Per Cent of Purity	Per Cent of Germinable Seeds
Alfalfa (<i>Medicago Sativa</i>)	96	80
Clover red (<i>Trifolium pratense</i>)	92	80
Clover alsyke (<i>Trifolium hyridum</i>)	90	75
Clover white (<i>Trifolium repens</i>)	90	75
Clover crimson (<i>Trifolium incanatum</i>)	98	85
Timothy (<i>Phileum pratense</i>)	96	85
Blue grass Kentucky (<i>Poa pertense</i>)	80	45
Blue grass Canadian (<i>Poa compressa</i>)	90	45
Fescue meadow (<i>Festicu pertensis</i>)	95	85
Brome grass (<i>Bromus inermis</i>)	90	75
Red top (<i>Agrostis Alba</i>)	90	70
Rye grass Perennial (<i>Lolium PPreene</i>)	96	80
Rye grass Italian (<i>Lolium Italicum</i>)	95	80
Wheat (<i>triticum</i>)	98	90
Orchard grass (<i>Dactylis Glomerata</i>)	70	70
Oat grass tall (<i>Arrhena therum Avenceum</i>)	72	70
Millet common (<i>Setaria Italica</i>)	90	85
Millet hog (<i>Penicum milisdeum</i>)	90	85
Millet pearl (<i>Penesiton Typhodeum</i>)	99	65
Sorghum (<i>Andropogon Sorghum</i>)	96	80
Sorghum (for fodder)	90	60

Rape (Bassica Rapa)	98	90
Corn field (Zea maye).....	99	94
Corn sweet	99	75
Rye (Secala cereale).....	98	90
Oats (Avena sativa)	98	90
Barley	98	90
Buckwheat	96	90
Flax (Lineum Unitstisium)	96	89

SECTION 13. It is hereby made the duty of the State Dairy and Food Commissioner to enforce the provisions of this act. The inspectors, assistants and chemists appointed by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner shall perform the same duties and have the same authority under this act as are prescribed in Section Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-nine-a-25 (4999-a-25), and Section Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-seven-m (2527-m) Supplement to the Code, 1913, and the said State Dairy and Food commissioner may appoint with the approval of the State Executive Council such analysts as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

SECTION 14. Whoever sells, offers or exposes for sale any of the seeds specified in Sections Nine (9) and Ten (10) of this act which are mixed, adulterated or misbranded, or any agricultural seeds which do not comply with Sections Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) of this act, or who shall attempt to prevent any inspector in the discharge of his duty from collecting samples, or who shall violate any of the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, shall be fined not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) and costs of prosecuting; provided, that no one shall be convicted for the violation of the provisions of Section Six (6) of this act, unless it is shown that the weed seeds named in Section Six (6) are present in quantities of not more than one in three thousand, and that due diligence has been used to find and remove said seeds.

SECTION 15. All fees collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the State Treasury.

Adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 11:45 a. m.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—30.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—8.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Jones, Nye, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Wilson—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 6, on motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 244, a bill for an act regulating the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs, defining the same, providing for their labeling, the collection of an inspection fee, fixing penalties for the violation of its provisions and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File 244 by Kimball by inserting after the word "shorts" in line seventeen (17) of section five (5) of the printed bill the following: "nor to wheat, rye or buckwheat middlings"; also by changing to a comma the period following the word "state" in the said line seventeen (17) and adding after the comma the following: "nor to mixed feed manufactured within the state and which is sold direct to the consumer or feeder."

Also amend section eight (8) of the printed bill by changing the comma following the figures "1913" in line four (4) to a period and by striking out all of the remainder of said section.

Also amend by striking out all of section eleven (11) appearing before the word "All" in line five (5) of said section.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Kimball invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Francis, Grout, Heald, Kimball, Larrabee, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—18.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—25.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Jones, Parker, Savage—7.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for consideration of Special Order No. 5, on motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 243, a bill for an act regulating the sale of live stock remedies and stock foods; defining the same; providing for the labeling, registration and inspection of the same; providing for affixing of labels and a means of identification of registration license and inspection; providing for an inspection fee and its collection; prohibiting the sale of fraudulent, injurious, deleterious and adulterated remedies and stock foods; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and repealing laws in conflict therewith, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

By adding to section 1 of the bill the following: "and shall exclude all such remedies in a liquid form, all concentrated lyes and commercial drugs unmixed and not marked exclusively as a stock remedy, and shall not include the filling of receipts or prescriptions by druggists or veterinarians."

By striking out the word "condimental" in the first line of section 2 and by inserting after the words "stock food tonics" in the second line of section 2 the words "condimental stock foods," and by adding to the end of said section 2 the following: "and shall exclude concentrated commercial feeding stuffs as defined by law."

By striking out the word "condimental" in the second line of section 4 and by striking out the words in paragraph first of said section 4 "or if liquid, the measure" and by adding to paragraph second the following: "and whether the same is a stock remedy or stock food as defined by law" and by adding to paragraph fifth the words "when such diluent shall exceed one per cent," and by striking out of paragraph sixth the word "condimental".

By striking out the words "and condimental" in the second line of section 5 and by substituting therefor the word "or" and by inserting the words "or stock food" after the word "remedy" and before the word "shall" last appearing in said section 5.

By striking out the word "condimental" in section 6 in the following lines: 4, 6, 10, 13, 15, 31, 34, 37, 42, 45, 49, 51, 55, 56, 61, 64, 66, 67, 72 and 79 and by striking out the words beginning with "and if he shall" in line 33 and ending with "state of Iowa" in line 38 of said section 6, and by striking out all of said section 6 from lines 16 to 29 inclusive and by striking out the words "or if liquid, one pint by measure" in line 53 of the said section 6, and by striking out the words "distinguishing it as a stock remedy or condimental stock food and such" in lines 55 and 56 of said section 6 and substituting therefor the following: "the numbers for stock remedies shall be of a different series or have a different prefix or suffix from those assigned to stock foods. "The" and by inserting before the word "records" in the 74th line of said section 6 the words "processes and", and by striking out the words "the ingredients used and to examine all ingredients so used in the manufacture of such remedy or condimental stock food" in the 74th, 75th and 76th lines of said section 6 and by substituting therefor the following: "the truth of the matters set forth in the statements and certificate required by this act."

By striking out the word "condimental" in lines 2, 4, and 10 of section 7.

By striking out the word "condimental" in lines 3, 5 and 9 of section 8 and inserting the words "deliver, receive" after the word "offer" in the second line of said section 8.

By striking out the word "condimental" in line 5 of section 9 and by striking out all of said section 9 after the word "examination" in the 6th line thereof.

By striking out the word "condimental" in line 2 of section 10 and by inserting after the word "remedy" in line 5 the words "or stock food."

By adding to section 11 the following: "for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of this act the Dairy and Food Commissioner, his deputies or assistants may, in addition to the other remedies and penalties provided herein, take, seize and hold any shipment of any stock remedy or stock food as defined by law wherever found, and from any carrier, dealer or other person, which stock remedy or stock food does not bear the registration number as provided by law, and the same may be so held until the manufacturer, importer, agent, or person shall have complied with all of the provisions of the law relative to the registration, sale, delivery, exposure for sale or soliciting therefor has been complied with, and if the law is not so complied with within thirty days the stock remedy or stock food stuff so taken shall be disposed of without incurring the penalty provided by law in the same manner as personal property is sold by constables under execution, and the proceeds shall be turned into the state treasury after paying the costs of sale."

Senator Hagemann moved that the amendment be laid on the table.

Motion prevailed.

REPORT OF SIFTING COMMITTEE.

The sifting committee, to whom was referred House File No. 394, by Holbert of Delaware; Senate File No. 280, by White of Iowa; Senate File No. 131, by White of Iowa, House File No. 173, by Crozier, recommend that the same be referred to the committee on appropriations.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report was adopted and the bills referred to committee on appropriations.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, Senate Files Nos. 150, 547 and 586.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had approved Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, Senate Files Nos. 376, 411, 375, 618 and 418.

Senator Voorhees moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President pro tem of the Senate, L. E. Crist, presiding.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 586, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings under which the independent school district of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school funding and school building purposes.

Also :

Senate File No. 547, a bill for an act to amend an act passed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly and approved on the twelfth day of February, 1915, and entitled "A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the Independent School District of Cherokee, County of Cherokee, and State of Iowa."

Also :

Senate File No. 150, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof.

Also :

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, Senate joint resolution providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state of certain unexpended balances of funds appropriated by section 2, chapter 136, acts of the 22d General Assembly; section 1, chapter 153, acts of the 26th General Assembly; section 1, chapter 196, acts of the 29th General Assembly; chapter 189, acts of the 30th General Assembly; section 4, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 45, chapter 177, acts of the 31st General Assembly; section 2, chapter 193, acts of the 31st General Assembly; chapter 202, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 1 and 2, chapter 203, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 2, chapter 226, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 2, chapter 241, acts of the 32d General Assembly; section 35, chapter 241, acts of the 33d General Assembly; chapter 258, acts of the 33d General Assembly; section 41, chapter 192, acts of the 34th General Assembly; chapter 208, acts of the 34th General Assembly; paragraph 25, section 3, chapter 321, acts of the 35th General Assembly.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for consideration of Special Order No. 2, on motion of Senator Perkins, House File No. 98, a bill for an act to authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, delinquents or defectives, was taken up and considered.

Senator Perkins moved that further consideration be **deferred** until 2:00 p. m. today.

Carried.

President Harding resumed the chair at 1:35 p. m.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Hagemann called up for consideration the motion filed by Senator Kimball on April 12th, to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 390 passed the Senate.

Senator Hagemann raised the point of order that the motion to reconsider was not in order, as the Senator filing the motion did not vote for the bill.

Senator Kimball moved that the records be changed to show that he voted for the bill. The President held that the correction of the journal was not in order at this time.

An examination of the original roll call showed the Senator recorded as absent or not voting on the bill.

The President held the motion to reconsider the vote not in order.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 611, a bill for an act to repeal section thirteen (13) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to general assembly employees and their compensation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend line 5 by making salary of Secretary \$10.00 per day.

Amendment lost.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Larrabee, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton—27.

The nays were:

Clarkson, Doran, Frailey, Greene, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—14.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Enger, Farr, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Taylor—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Allen moved that the vote by which Senate File No. 611 passed the Senate be reconsidered and that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE.

MR. PRESIDENT—In explanation of my vote "no" on Senate File 611, I desire to say, that in my opinion this measure while ostensibly and as claimed by the friends of the bill to be in favor of retrenchment and reform, fails materially in that respect, but will and can have no other effect than to enable the majority party to exclude the minority party from the benefit and need of clerical assistance for the purpose of and to enable each senator to expeditiously care for the clerical work which become a part of the work in the performance of the duties incumbent upon each Senator.

Chairmanships are usually conferred upon members of the majority party and committee clerks assigned to each Chairman in the performance of the duty as such clerk for such committee. All of the time of such clerk will be taken up therewith, hence a member of the Senate, not a Chairman of a committee will be required to employ a clerk out of his own funds, therefore unfair and unjust.

JNO. T. CLARKSON.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s16) and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 1 (1527-s 1), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s 2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 7 (1527-s7), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s 11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s 13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 17 (1527-s17), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 19 (1527-s19), supplement to the code, 1913, defining the duties of township trustees and boards of supervisors relative to marking dangerous

points on highways, defining the jurisdiction of state, county, township and corporation line roads, and providing for the transfer of the unexpended balance from the drag fund to the general township road fund.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Chief Clerk.

THURD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for consideration of Special Order No. 2, on motion of Senator Perkins, House File No. 98, a bill for an act to authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, delinquents or defectives, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up for further consideration.

On the motion to adopt the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—21.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—26.

Absent or not voting:

Kimball, Laffer, Nye—3.

So the report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—28.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—21.

Absent or not voting:

Laffer—1.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The time having arrived for Special Order No. 3, on motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 422, a bill for an act to provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were :

Caswell, Chase, Doran, Farr, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—14.

Absent or not voting :

Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thomas—6.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Allen withdrew Senate File No. 369 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Jackson, Senate File No. 279, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2575.00 to indemnify Wm. H. Nieman for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa National Guard, with report of committee on appropriations recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jackson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Balkema, Francis, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Savage, Sheean—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 484, a bill for an act to regulate the sale of alcohol to registered pharmacists, physicians, veterinarians, hospitals, colleges and certain manufacturers and repealing sections 2385, 2387, 2389, 2391, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399 and 2401 of the code and the law as it appears in sections 2386, 2388, 2390, 2393, 2394, 2400, 2401, 2401-a, 2401-b, 2401-c, 2401-d, 2401-e and 2401-f of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the issuance of permits to registered pharmacists for the sale of intoxicating liquors, with report of committee recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Caswell, Chase, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—25.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore—23.

Absent or not voting:

Fleck, Laffer—2.

So the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Senator Sheean, Senate File No. 570, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 880 of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Sheean moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty of the code be amended by adding to said section as paragraph four the following:

"4. Such cities and towns may levy a tax not exceeding in any one year one mill on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property within the corporate limits thereof, such levy to be used for no other purpose than the payment for the land acquired for cemetery purposes and interest accruing on the purchase or condemnation price thereof."

Adopted.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 3:30 p. m.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 570 by adding to section 1 the following: "This act shall not apply to cities having a population of fifty thousand or over."

Amendment lost.

President Harding resumed the chair at 3:40 p. m.

Senator Sheean moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Laffer, Larrabee, White of Iowa—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145), one hundred forty-six (146) and one hundred fifty-four (154) of the code relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147) of the code and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-14 (2215-f-14), twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-15 (2215-f-15) and twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-16 (2215-f-16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.

Read first and second time.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Strike out of line two of the title the comma, words and figures ", One hundred forty-six (146)" and further by placing a comma "," after the word "Code" in line three and inserting before the word "relating" in line three the words and figures "One hundred forty-six (146), supplement to the code, 1913,"

Amend section one (1) by striking out the comma, words and figures ", One hundred forty-six (146) in line two and further by inserting after the word "Code" in line three the words "and One hundred forty-six (146), supplement to the code, 1913," and further by inserting after the word "thereon" in line eight of section two the words "except the Iowa Historical, Memorial and Art Building and grounds"

Further amend by striking out the comma following the word "hundred" in line five of section three of the bill as amended by inserting a period "." and further amend the bill by inserting before the word "which" in line six of the bill as amended the following:

"Further amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-16 (2215-f-16), supplement to the code, 1913, by striking out the period at the end of said section and inserting a comma and adding the words"

Senator Savage moved that the Senate concur in the House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger,

Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

Taylor—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Fleck, Foster, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, White of Iowa—10.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate Journal and House Journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, and providing for the printing thereof and fixing the compensation to be paid to the state printer and binder therefor.

Read first and second time.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by inserting after the word "specified" in the second (2nd) line of section two (2) the words "shall be the corrected copies".

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

Quigley—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Thompson, White of Iowa—17.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority was declared to have been concurred in.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 335, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to rape and providing a punishment therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Strike out sections 1 and 2 and substitute the following as sections 1 and 2:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the Code be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"If any person ravish and carnally know any female of the age of sixteen years or more, by force and against her will, or carnally know and abuse any female child under the age of sixteen years, he shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary for life or any term of years."

SECTION 2. "This act shall not apply to an offense of such character committed prior to the time when this act takes effect; but as to an offense of such character committed prior to the time when this act takes effect, the law as the same appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the Code shall remain in force and effect."

Adopted.

Senator Helmer was called to the chair at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the substitute by striking out sections 1 and 2 substituting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That Section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the code be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"If any person ravish and carnally know any female of the age of eighteen years or more by force and against her will, or carnally know and abuse any female child under the age of eighteen years, he shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary for life or any term of years; provided, however, that if the jury finds that the accused was under the age of twenty-one years at the time of the commission of the offense and was only guilty of carnally knowing and abusing a female child of the age of fifteen years and under the age of eighteen years at the time of the commission of the

offense, unaccompanied with force, violence or putting in fear, then and in that case the defendant shall be punished by imprisonment in the reformatory for a period not exceeding one year or in the county jail not exceeding six months or by fine not exceeding one thousand dollars in the discretion of the court. The court on its own motion may and on demand of the state or the accused, shall require the jury to return special findings on the matters necessary to bring the punishment within the terms of the proviso, if the jury is not required to return findings, the accused shall not be deemed to be within the terms of this proviso.

No allegation of the age of the accused shall be deemed necessary in the indictment or information, and the burden of proving the age of any person charged with such crime shall not be on the state, but the defendant may prove that he was under the age of twenty-one years at the time of the commission of the alleged crime."

Adopted.

President resumed the chair at 4:10 p. m.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Thomas invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Lindly, Parker, Schrup, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—17.

The nays were:

Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Shean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—24.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Darrah, Enger, Fleck, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Taylor—9.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

Senator White of Iowa moved that consideration of Senate File No. 67 be deferred to 1:30 p. m., Wednesday, April 14th, and that it be made a special order for that time.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, House File No. 501, a bill for an act to authorize, empower and direct the executive council to sell all that part of the Capitol grounds lying and being west of East Ninth street, and also to sell all that part of said Capitol grounds lying and being east on East Twelfth street and to amend section fourteen hundred-t (1400-t) and repeal section fourteen hundred-t two (1400-t2), of chapter one-A (1-A), supplement to the code, 1913, and to specify the manner in which the money derived from the sale of said land shall be used, and the conditions governing such sale, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the pending bill by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting therefor the following:

"SECTION 1. That the Executive Council is hereby authorized to proceed at once to sell all grounds purchased under the provisions of Chapter Fourteen (14), Acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and all streets and alleys purchased thereby, also all grounds outside of the Capitol Square in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, also all that part of the Capitol grounds lying west of the line extending through said Capitol grounds north and south along the west line of east Tenth Street including the Soldiers' Monument, the Heating plant, and Historical Building.

SECTION 2. All receipts from the sale of said grounds shall be turned back to the General Fund of the State Treasury by the Executive Council."

On the adoption of the amendment, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Boe, Enger, Foskett, Grout, Lindly, Perkins, White of Iowa—7.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigmaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Fleck, Foster, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye—10.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding in the sixth line of the substitute bill as printed in the Journal of the House, between the words "sell" and "all" the following: "Within three years and after clearing the same of all objectionable buildings".

Amendment lost.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Caswell, Chase, Doran, Farr, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Henigbaum, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—20.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Thomas—24.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Fleck, Foster, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer—6.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation of state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 555, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r1 (1400-r1), and section fourteen hundred-r2 (1400-r2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections

thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and State Colony for Epileptics.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 109, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of six hundred seventy-five dollars (\$675.00) to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sustained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the Capitol ground.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 302, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 597, a bill for an act to amend chapter eleven-D (11-D), of title XIII of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment and management of the state hospital and colony for epileptics, and making an appropriation therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 622, a bill for an act to pension the survivors of the Frontier Guards (cavalry) providing the amount of said pensions, the method of payment and making appropriation therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF SIFTING COMMITTEE.

Your sifting committee, to whom was referred Senate File 261 by White of Benton (by request), beg leave to report that they recommend the same to the appropriations committee.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Chairman.

Senator Larrabee moved that the report of the committee be adopted.

Report adopted and Senate File 261 referred to committee on appropriations.

REPORT OF SIFTING COMMITTEE.

The sifting committee reported the following bills to the Senate recommending passage:

Senate File No. 587, by Heald.

House File No. 633, by sifting committee.

House File No. 259, by Brady.

Senate File No. 626, by sifting committee.

House File No. 425, by Pitt.

Ordered placed on the calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By sifting committee, Senate File No. 633.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Legalizing the Acts and Proceedings of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Marshalltown, Iowa, in Fixing the Salary of the Mayor and Council of Said City.

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of May, 1913, at a meeting of the mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, the said mayor and city council regularly passed and adopted a resolution fixing and prescribing the salary of the mayor of said city of Marshalltown at sixteen hundred twenty (\$1,620.00) dollars per annum and the salary of each councilman at the sum of thirteen hundred twenty (\$1,320.00) dollars per annum, and further provided that said salaries should be payable monthly commencing July 4th, 1913, and thereby rescinding all resolutions theretofore in force with respect to the salary of said officers, in conflict therewith, and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1913, there was enacted and passed by the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, being section three (3) in chapter 102 of the acts thereof which provided among other things, "that in cities by the last preceding state or national census a population of less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) the mayor and councilmen shall receive as their annual salaries the amount to be fixed by ordinance as follows: For the mayor, not to exceed the sum of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150.00) per annum for each one thousand of population, or major portion thereof in such city, and for each councilman in such city not to exceed the sum of one hundred twenty dollars

(\$120.00) per annum for each one thousand of population, or major portion thereof; provided however, that in said city no mayor shall receive as his annual salary an amount greater than two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) per annum; and provided further, that from and after the passage of this act and during the first term of his office under the provisions of this act the mayor and councilmen shall by ordinance fix their compensation as herein provided for the term of their office; but thereafter the salary of any such officer shall not be increased or decreased during the term for which he shall have been elected or appointed, and

WHEREAS, said act while having been passed and approved on the 21st day of March, 1913, did not become in force until July 4th following thereof and was not in force on March 5th, 1913, at the time of the adoption of the aforementioned resolution, and

WHEREAS, the mayor and councilmen of said city did during the remainder of the term of their office commencing July 4th, 1913, in good faith accept and receive as their salary the amount prescribed by said resolution to-wit: Salary of the mayor sixteen hundred and twenty dollars (\$1,620.00) per annum, salary of each councilman thirteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,320.00) per annum, and

WHEREAS, said resolution has since said time remained in force and been acted upon in good faith and with all intents and purposes as though the same had been an ordinance formally and regularly adopted, embodying the provisions, conditions and substance thereof, and

WHEREAS, there are doubts existing as to the legality of the said resolution and the action of said mayor and city council in fixing said salary of the mayor and councilmen as aforesaid and in having accepted and received the same as hereinbefore set forth and in the manner stated, and

WHEREAS, there are also doubts as to the legality and validity of the present mayor and city council having and receiving the compensation as fixed by said resolution which was adopted for the purposes herein set forth, therefore

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That all the proceedings of the mayor and city council of the City of Marshalltown, Iowa, with reference to the adoption and passage of the resolution of date May 5th, 1913, whereby the salary of the mayor was fixed in the sum of sixteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,620.00) per annum and each councilman the sum of thirteen hundred twenty dollars (\$1,320.00) per annum, and the acts and conduct of said mayor and city council in accepting and receiving their salary thereunder, and the acts and conduct of the present mayor and city council in continuing to accept and receive compensation thereunder and in the sum as fixed and prescribed by said resolution, are hereby legalized and made of the same validity, force and effect as if all of the formalities, requirements and provisions of the law applicable thereto had been fully complied with, and that the acts and proceedings of said mayor and city council all as hereinbefore set forth in relation thereto, are hereby declared to be valid and legal, and the acts of the said officers in accepting and receiving payment upon warrants for their salaries drawn in accordance with said resolution prescrib-

ing their said salaries are hereby legalized and validated so as to be of the same force and effect as if each and every provision of the statute with reference thereto had been strictly adhered to and complied with.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this act shall in any manner affect pending litigation.

SECTION 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines Register and Leader a newspaper published in City of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Evening Times-Republican a newspaper published in the City of Marshalltown, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Read first and second time and placed on the calendar.

MOTION FOR MEMORIAL SESSION.

Senator Gillette moved that the Senate hold a memorial session on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. for the submission and adoption of resolutions of respect to the memory of former members of the Senate who have recently died.

SENATE FILES RETURNED.

Senator Allen, from the committee on retrenchment and reform, returned to the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 305, 372 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Parker, from the committee on corporations, returned to the Senate. Senate Files Nos. 228, 226 and 227, and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Journal of April 12th was taken up, corrected and approved.

MOTIONS TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 335 failed to pass the Senate and by which the bill passed to its third reading.

JOHN T. CLARKSON.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 577 passed the Senate.

J. R. DORAN.

I move to reconsider the vote by which the report of the committee to indefinitely postpone Senate File No. 484 was adopted.

J. R. FRAILEY.

We move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 335 failed to pass the Senate April 13th.

T. J. B. ROBINSON.

G. M. GILLETTE.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 14, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 A. M., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. B. F. Martin, pastor of the Congregational church, Marshalltown, Iowa.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION COMMISSION.

Senator Doran offered the following resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Whereas the "commission appointed by the Governor in April, 1913, with full power to conduct an exhibit for the State of Iowa at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, has at its disposal the sum of \$7300 for the purpose of providing moving pictures for advertising purposes and no other"

And Whereas the aforesaid commission has unnecessarily gone out of this state to have the picture made, and are having made an advertising film which will advertise the individual business man who pays the sum of fifty cents per foot for it. Now if the man who buys an advertising space on this film pays for it, why should the State also pay for it when the private individual is advertised and not the State?

Therefore be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the aforesaid commission make a report of all moneys received for business men's advertising space on the aforesaid film together with the moneys of parties advertised and account to the legislature for the moneys received and paid out, to date, to the end that the legislature may have knowledge of what is being done by the aforesaid commission.

By unanimous consent, taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the resolution a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Helmer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Thomas, Whitmore—12.

The nays were :

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Everymeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Jackson, Kimball, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton—23.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Farr, Gillette, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Ream, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—15.

The resolution was lost.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 601, a bill for an act to legalize certain acts and proceedings of the board of supervisors of the county of Fremont in the matter of establishing the Waubonsie Drainage District, locating a drainage ditch therein, apportioning costs and benefits thereunder and issuing bonds against said district for funds to construct said ditch.

Also :

Senate File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f forty-two (2215-f42), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Also :

Senate File No. 393, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473) of the code relating to the duties of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, and relating to the meaning or definitions of the terms "factory", "mill", and other like terms.

Also :

Senate File No. 336, a bill for an act making appropriation for the purchase of twenty thousand (20,000) copies of the railroad commissioners' official maps to be distributed by the railroad commission.

Also :

Senate, File No. 392, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a five (4999-a5), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of safety appliances on machinery.

Also:

Senate File No. 455, a bill for an act to legalize the construction of a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system in and by the town of Lu Verne, Iowa, and bonds issued for that purpose and the resolution, acts and proceedings relating to the authorization of the construction of such plant and the issuing of such bonds.

Also:

Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145) and one hundred fifty-four (154) of the code, one hundred forty-six (146), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147) of the code and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f sixteen (2215-f16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.**REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.**

Senator Foskett from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145) and one hundred fifty-four (154) of the code, one hundred forty-six (146), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147) of the code and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f sixteen (2215-f16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.

Also:

Senate File No. 601, a bill for an act to legalize certain acts and proceedings of the board of supervisors of the county of Fremont in the matter of establishing the Waubonsie Drainage District, locating a drainage ditch therein, apportioning costs and benefits thereunder and issuing bonds against said district for funds to construct said ditch.

Also:

Senate File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f forty-two (2215-f42), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Also :

Senate File No. 393, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473) of the code relating to the duties of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, and relating to the meaning or definitions of the terms "factory", "mill", and other like terms.

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Also :

House File No. 32, a bill for an act to enable electors to vote at any general, special, primary, county, city or town election, when absent or anticipating being absent on the day of such election from the county in which they are electors, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.

Also :

House File No. 218, a bill for an act to amend section 2547-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the taking of fish from the waters of the Big Sioux river and that part of the Des Moines river forming the part of the boundary between the state of Iowa and the state of Missouri.

Also :

House File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the government of the soldiers' home, as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred four (2604), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also :

House File No. 419, a bill for an act to authorize the river front improvement commission to permit the erection of a soldiers' monument or memorial hall upon any ground, held in trust by such commission, under the provisions of Chapter 9-A, Title V, supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

House File No. 420, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, and cities acting under special charter, to permit the erection of soldiers' monuments or memorial halls erected under the provisions of section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, or section four hundred thirty-five (435) of the code, to be located in the parks or public grounds of the city or town.

Also:

House File No. 457, a bill for an act to legalize the plat of Gallaher's addition to the town (now city) of Jefferson, Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 572, a bill for an act to repeal sections twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-j (2881-j), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-k (2881-k), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-l (2881-l), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-m (2881-m), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-n (2881-n), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the care and permanent preservation of the public archives and fixing and defining the authority and responsibilities of administration, care and custody thereof.

Also:

House File No. 619, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the Independent School District of Fort Atkinson, in the county of Winneshiek and state of Iowa, on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said independent school district to be voted upon by them, the question of issuing bonds in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars for the purpose of constructing and equipping schoolhouses in said independent school district, and to validate and legalize the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.

Also:

House File No. 618, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the electors and officers of the Independent School District of Hawkeye, Iowa, at the special meeting of said electors held on the eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1914, relative to the issuing of bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a school house in said district, and

Also:

House File No. 620, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the city of Cresco, Howard county, Iowa, on March 10, 1915, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said city the question of issuing city water bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting a new water tower in said city, and purchasing ground upon which to erect the same; to legalize the acts of the city council in respect to said election, canvassing the returns of said election

and declaring the result thereof, and ordering the issuance of bonds thereunder, and to legalize the bonds issued in pursuance thereof.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 580, a bill for an act to regulate the equipment and operation of moving picture machines, the protection of the operator and the premises where the same are located.

Read first and second time and referred to Sifting Committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 9, a bill for an act approving estimates of cost, plans and specifications for buildings at the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, and the Iowa State Teachers College.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House File No. 603, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed or to be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "Foot and Mouth" disease; and to defray the expense of quarantine, care, destruction or burial of stock within any quarantined district.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House File No. 597, a bill for an act to amend chapter eleven-D (11-D) of Title XIII of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment and management of the state hospital and colony for epileptics, and making an appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Appropriations.

House File No. 622, a bill for an act to pension the survivors of the Frontier Guards (cavalry), providing the amount of said pensions, the method of payment and making appropriation therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to Committee on Appropriations.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO EMPLOYMENT OF CLERKS TO CHECK
PRINTING AND BINDING.

Senator Allen offered the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the Senate that the secretary of the Senate is authorized to detail twenty (20) committee clerks to assist the state accountant in checking the printing and binding during the year 1913 with the prices in the bill being prepared by the committee on retrenchment and reform.

J. H. ALLEN.

By unanimous consent taken up, considered and adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 555, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r1 (1400-r1), and section fourteen hundred-r2 (1400-r2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and State Colony for Epileptics.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend by striking out of lines 6 and 7 of section 1 the words and figures "eight hundred twenty-five thousand (\$325,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "six hundred twenty-five thousand (\$625,000)" and by striking out of line 18 of section 1 the words and figures "four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000)" and by striking out all of section four (4) and five (5).

Amend by striking out the words and figures "four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$425,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "three hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$325,000.00)".

Amend by striking out the words "Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females" and the words "District Custodial Farm" wherever same appears in the title and in the bill. Also the words "when located at new location" in the next to the last line of the bill.

Senator Robinson moved that the Senate concur in the House amendments.

The following call of the Senate was filed:

We the undersigned hereby join in a call of the Senate on Senate File No. 555 now under consideration.

J. R. FRAILEY,
 W. H. ARNEY,
 JOHN H. DARRAH,
 C. W. WHITMORE,
 JOHN F. REAM,
 CLEM F. KIMBALL,
 F. A. HEALD,
 L. W. BOE,
 A. M. PARKER,
 H. C. WHITE,
 L. E. FRANCIS,
 D. S. FLECK,
 E. C. PERKINS.

Secretary was instructed to call the roll to ascertain if all senators were present.

On the roll call those responding were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Felows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—47.

Absent:

Clarkson, Henigbaum, Laffer.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Caswell, Doran, Greene, Lindly, Quigley, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Iowa—8.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball,

Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—35.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Farr, Frailey, Henigbaum, Laffer, Thompson, Wilson—7.

So the Senate refused to concur in House amendments.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 336, 379, 392, 393, 436, 455 and 601.

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MEMORIAL RESOLUTION.

Senatör Hagemann offered the following resolution:

Be It Resolved—That the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three to draft proper resolutions commemorating the life and services to the state of the Honorable John F. Wade, now deceased, formerly a member of the Senate of the state of Iowa.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Hagemann, Chase and Fleck.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Savage, from the committee on Appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 248, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation, of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the State University of Iowa, the State College of Agriculture and Mechanics Arts, and the State Teachers College, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and refer same back to Senate without recommendation.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

REPORT OF SIFTING COMMITTEE.

Your committee, to whom was referred House File No. 628 and Senate File No. 210, beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same be referred to the committee on appropriations.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,

Chairman.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill referred to the committee on appropriations.

SIFTING COMMITTEE REPORT.

The sifting committee reported the following bills to the Senate, recommending passage:

House File 475—By Murray (by request).

House File 175—By Anderson of Montgomery.

House File 634—By Committee on Retrenchment and Reform.

Senate File 594—By Chase.

H. F. 367—By Taylor (by request).

Ordered placed on the calendar.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, Senate File No. 176, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand ninety-four (3094) of the code, 1897, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the filing of mechanics' liens by sub-contractors after thirty days, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 176 by striking out the publication clause.

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Par-

ker, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Enger, Gillette, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor—15.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment to the title to Senate File No. 176 and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by striking out the figures "1897", found in line 2 of the title to the printed bill.

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

The sifting committee returned to the Senate House File No. 367.

On motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 367, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

Savage—1.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 288, a bill for an act making annual appropriations to the State University, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, and Iowa Teachers' College, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jones moved the adoption of the following amendments, found on page 1621 of the Journal:

Amend Senate File No. 288 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the State University of Iowa, the sum of Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$700,000.00) annually hereafter for the following purposes:

Educational Support	\$454,700.00
College of Applied Science, Liberal Arts, Law, Pharmacy and Medicine	68,350.00
College of Dentistry	23,725.00
College of Education	20,000.00
Graduate College	9,000.00
College of Fine Arts	3,000.00
University Extension	17,000.00
Summer School	16,000.00
Equipment and supplies	12,500.00
Repair and contingent	35,000.00
Department of Buildings and Grounds.....	12,000.00
Administration	6,225.00
Library	17,500.00
Epidemiology laboratory	5,000.00

The permanent annual appropriations provided for in this section shall take the place and be in lieu of all other annual appropriations made to the State University of Iowa prior to the convening of the 36th General Assembly; and shall be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education, in monthly installments beginning July 1, 1915, with the exception of the Summer School Fund (\$16,000.00), which shall be available July 1, 1915, and on July 1st of each year thereafter.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated to the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Nine Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$940,000.00) annually hereafter for the following purposes:

Permanent Collegiate Support Fund.....	\$505,000.00
Summer Session	20,000.00
Two year and four year courses in Home Economics for homemakers and teachers	20,000.00
Subcollegiate courses in agriculture, home economics, and engineering	54,000.00
Contingent Fund, repairs, and minor improvements.....	46,000.00
Library, Books and Periodicals.....	5,000.00
Maintenance and improvement of public grounds.....	10,000.00
	\$660,000.00

and for,

Winter Short courses in agriculture, home economics and engineer and trade school work.....	\$9,500.00
Veterinary Practioners' Courses	2,500.00
Engineering Experiment Station	15,000.00
Good Roads Experimentation	10,000.00
Agricultural Experiment Station	115,500.00
Agricultural and Home Economics Extension.....	90,000.00
Engineering Extension and Trade Schools.....	25,000.00
Veterinary investigations	12,500.00
	\$280,000.00

The permanent annual appropriations provided for in Section 2 of this Act, shall take the place and be in lieu of all other annual appropriations made to the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts prior to the convening of the 36th General Assembly; and the balance of the annual appropriations under the Two Year Millage Tax levied as provided in Chapter 228 of the Laws of the 35th General Assembly, 1913, in excess of \$188,750.00 collected and payable to the College for the year 1915, shall be transferrèd to the general revenues of the State. The appropriations in Section 2 of this Act, shall be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education, in monthly installments beginning July 1, 1915, with the exception of the Summer Sessions Fund of \$20,000.00, which shall be available July 1, 1915, and on July 1st of each year thereafter, and the Winter Short Course Fund of \$9,500.00, which shall be available January 1, 1916, and on January 1st each year thereafter.

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Iowa State Teachers College, the sum of Two Hundred Eighty-five Thousand Dollars (\$285,000.00) annually hereafter for the following purposes:

Teachers Fund	\$139,500.00
Summer Term Fund	40,000.00
Contingent and Repair	70,000.00
Library	5,000.00

Librarian's Salary Fund	8,500.00
Hospital Fund	2,250.00
Extension Service Fund	19,750.00

The permanent annual appropriations provided for in this section shall take the place and be in lieu of all other annual appropriations made to the Iowa State Teachers College prior to the convening of the 36th General Assembly; and shall be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education, in monthly installments beginning July 1, 1915, with the exception of the Summer Term Fund, \$40,000.00, which shall be available July 1, 1915, and on July 1st each year thereafter.

SECTION 4. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the College for the Blind, the sum of Forty-one Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$41,600.00) annually hereafter for the following purposes:

Support Fund	\$ 40,000.00
Repair and Contingent Fund.....	1,500.00
Oculist Fund	100.00

The permanent annual appropriations provided for in this Section shall take the place and be in lieu of all other annual appropriations made to the College for the Blind prior to the convening of the 36th General Assembly; and shall be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education, in monthly installments beginning July 1, 1915.

Adopted.

Senator Doran offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by adding the following section:

That where the same course is taught in both the State University of Iowa at Iowa City, and the State Agricultural College at Ames, Iowa, not more than fifty per cent (50%) of the support fund appropriated by this act shall be applied to either course.

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded:

The ayes were:

Doran, Kimball—2.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hillsinger, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley—5.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding after the figures "\$5000" preceded by the words "Epidemiology laboratory" the words "Child Welfare Research \$25000.00"

On the adoption of this amendment a roll call was demanded:

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Francis, Helmer, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—14.

The nays were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton—29.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Frailey, Henigbaum, Laffer, Quigley, Thompson, White of Iowa—7.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—48.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Henigbaum, Laffer—2.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title of Senate File No. 288 as follows:

Strike from line two of the title the word "and" and substitute therefor the word "the".

Also, add to said title the words "and College for the Blind".

Change the period after the words "Teachers College" to a comma.

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House insists upon House amendments to Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury.

And Speaker names on the part of the House, Rogers, Ring, Steel-smith and Bruce.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessarily expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 264, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight-s, supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine by the commission of animal health, and prescribing the method of quarantine.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 438, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand two hundred twenty-seven (4227), chapter four-a (4-a) of title twenty-one (21), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a paragraph providing for payment of costs and expenses of restoring missing public records.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 429, a bill for an act relating to the accepting and giving of tips or gratuities, and providing a penalty therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 483, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House failed to pass the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 278, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s11 (1527-s11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to culvert and bridge construction and other highway construction.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 242, a bill for an act making appropriations for the State University of Iowa, The Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, The Iowa State Teachers College, and The College for the Blind, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment, filed by him on April 12th and found on page 1620 of the journal, and moved its adoption:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the State University of Iowa, the sum of one hundred thirty-three thousand dollars (\$133,000.00) for the following purposes:—

Equipment of buildings and buildings partially equipped.....	\$45,000.00
Electrical equipment	10,000.00
Paving and sidewalks	6,000.00
Purchase of lands (to be available first year).....	48,000.00
Enlarging heating plant (to be available first years).....	18,000.00
Tunnel to new buildings (to be available first year).....	6,000.00

The sums mentioned in this section shall be paid on order of the Iowa State Board of Education, but not more than one-half of the entire amount shall be paid before July 1, 1916, with the exception of the appropriation for the purchase of land, \$48,000.00; enlarging heating plant, \$18,000.00; and tunnel to new buildings, \$6,000.00; which are to be available July 1, 1915.

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the sum of one hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$180,000.00) for the following purposes:—

Additional equipment and furnishings for buildings and departments	\$105,000.00
Extension of heating system and equipment of heating plant..	32,000.00
Repairs and improvements for dairy building, old agricultural hall and barns, temporary provisions for fruit storage, and small buildings and additions to buildings.....	26,000.00
Temporary provisions for home economics laboratory.....	1,500.00
Settling and storage water tank and connections.....	15,000.00

The sums mentioned in this section shall be paid on order of the Iowa State Board of Education, but not more than one-half of the entire amount shall be paid before July 1, 1916, with the exception of the appropriation for extension of the heating system and equipment of heating plant (\$32,000.00), and settling and storage tank and connections (\$15,000.00) which shall be available July, 1915.

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the Iowa State Teachers

College, the sum of sixteen thousand six hundred dollars (\$16,600.00) for the following purposes:—

Furniture fund for new Dormitory.....	\$ 15,000.00
Paving	1,600.00

The sums mentioned in this section shall be available July 1, 1915, and to be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education.

SECTION 4. There is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the College for the Blind, twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars (\$23,500.00), for the following purposes:—

Electric lighting plant.....	\$ 3,000.00
Pianos and furniture.....	5,000.00
Barns and silo	4,500.00
Paving, side-walks, improvements of grounds and land.....	10,000.00
Printing plant for making books for the blind.....	1,000.00

The sums mentioned in this section shall be available July, 1915, and be paid on the order of the Iowa State Board of Education.

Adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—46.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Henigbaum, Jackson, Laffer—4.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title to Senate File No. 242 by inserting the word "special" after the word "making" in line one.

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, House File No. 248, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation, of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the State University of Iowa, The State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, and The State Teachers College, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File 248 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:—

“SECTION 1. That section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:—

There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of providing for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of such necessary buildings as shall be determined upon by the State Board of Education \$375,000.00 per annum for two consecutive years commencing July 1st, 1915, for the following purposes:—

For the State University.....	\$150,000.00
For the State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.....	150,000.00
For the Iowa State Teachers' College.....	75,000.00

All amounts collected under the provisions of Section Fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) Supplement to the Code, 1913, during the year 1915, in excess of:

\$92,500.00 for the State University,

92,500.00 for the State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, and

46,250.00 for the State Teachers College

shall be transferred to the general revenue funds of the state.

SECTION 2. That section fourteen hundred-q1 (1400-q1), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be amended by striking out from line two (2) the word “levies” and inserting in lieu thereof the word “appropriation”.

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey,

Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—46.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Henigbaum, Laffer—4.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend title House File No. 248 as follows:—strike out the word “amend” in the first line and insert the word “repeal”, and strike from said title the words “providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state” and insert the following: “and make an appropriation”.

Adopted.

So the bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 616, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand one hundred twenty (4120) of the code and relating to the dismissal of actions in the supreme court where the transcript of the reporter’s notes have not been filed, was taken up and considered.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, “Shall the bill pass?”

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Clarkson—1.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 619, a bill for an act to provide for the holding, management and loaning of moneys left by gift or devise, for charitable or educational purposes where no trustee is named, and making the county auditor the trustee and manager of said funds, was taken up and considered.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

Gillette, Helmer—2.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

The sifting committee returned to the Senate House File No. 633.

On motion of Senator Arney, Senate File No. 633, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the Mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, in fixing the salary of the mayor and council of said city, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 615, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to interference with the veterinary surgeon and his assistants in quarantine matters, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred thirty-one (2531) of the code, was taken up and considered.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Chase, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Taylor, Thompson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Darrah, Senate File No. 599, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 104, acts of the 35th General Assembly of the state of Iowa, relating to the non-partisan nomination and election of the judges of the supreme, district and superior courts of Iowa, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Helmer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend the bill by striking out section 2.

Amendment lost.

Further consideration deferred.

Senator Darrah, from the committee on elections, returned to the Senate, Senate File No. 103, and same was referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The time having arrived for consideration of Special Order No. 8, on motion of Senator White of Iowa, Senate File No. 67, a bill for an act to impose a tax on dogs for the protection of horses, cattle, swine, other live stock and domestic fowls, defining the duty of owners of dogs with reference thereto, providing penalties for the violation of this act, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator White of Iowa moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out Section 23, and by renumbering the following sections.

Adopted.

President Pro Tem Crist was called to the chair at 1:35.

Senator Eversmeyer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by inserting at the beginning of line five (5) of section two (2) of the printed bill, the word "altered".

Amend section two (2) by inserting after the word "for" in line twelve (12) of the printed bill, "an altered male dog or".

Amend by inserting as section twenty-five (25), the following:

"This act shall apply to all cities and towns, cities under special charter, or under city manager or commission form of government, where any such city or town does not collect, by ordinance, dog tax fees or license for dogs within the limits of any such city or town."

Amend by renumbering the remaining section.

Adopted.

Senator Hagemann offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by substituting the word "cat" for the word "dog" wherever the same appears.

Amendment lost.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking Sections 7 and 8 of the bill and to renumber the sections accordingly.

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out sections 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 of original bill.

Amendment lost.

Senator Hilsinger offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out sections 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the printed bill.

Adopted.

Senator Parker moved the previous question.

Carried.

By unanimous consent, Senator White of Iowa withdrew Senate File No. 67 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 599, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter one hundred four (104), acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly of the state of Iowa, relating to the non-partisan nomination and election of the judges of the supreme, district and superior courts of Iowa.

Senator Darrah moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend Section 1 by striking out the words and figures "Chapter 104 of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly" and inserting the words and figures "Section 1087-b-2, Supplement to the Code, 1913."

Amend Section 2 by striking out the words and figures "Chapter 104 of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly" and inserting the words and figures "Section 1087-B-3, Supplement to the Code, 1913."

Amend the Title by striking out the words and figures "Chapter 104, Acts of the 35th General Assembly" and inserting the words and figures "1087-b-2 and 1087-b-3, Supplement to the Code, 1913."

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that further consideration be deferred until 10 o'clock a. m. Friday.

Carried.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2 p. m.

On motion of Senator Caswell, House Joint Resolution No. 8, a joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section 7 of article 2 of said constitution, and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections, with report of committee, was taken up and considered.

Senator Gillette was called to the chair at 2:05 p. m.

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House Joint Resolution No. 8 by striking out section 2 down to and including the word "law".

Adopted.

Senator Caswell moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—28.

The nays were:

Boe, Clarkson, Doran, Fleck, Gillette, Hilsinger, Parker, Quigley, Schrup, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—12.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Foster, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Sheean—10.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, House File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend sections 1087-a5, 1076 and 1093, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judges and clerks of election, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Thomas—5.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Foster, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House File No. 366, a bill for an act to establish an industrial reformatory for women, to make appropriations therefor, to provide for the commitment of females to said reformatory, to provide for the removal of female convicts at Anamosa to said reformatory, to provide for the transfer of inmates to and from the industrial school for girls and repealing the law as it appears in chapter 8-A of title XIII, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to an industrial reformatory for females, with report of committee on appropriations recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:30 p. m.

Senator Taylor moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—38.

The nays were:

Doran, Sheean, Wilson—3.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Crist, Foster, Henigbaum, Laffer, Savage, Schrup, Thompson, Voorhees—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Chase, House File No. 371, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirteen (2713), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the support for the Industrial School for Boys at Eldora, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Chase moved the adoption of the following amendment:

By inserting the word "two" between the words "sixty" and "hundred" in line three of section two, and further amend by striking out Section 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa."

Adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—42.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Crist, Eversmeyer, Foster, Laffer, Savage, Taylor, Wilson—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION TO REFER.

Senator Larrabee moved that Senate File No. 286 be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 312, a bill for an act providing the evidence and clue to the detection and arrest of chicken or fowl thieves, with report of committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Clarkson, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Grout, Heald, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Whitmore—16.

The nays were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Nye, Robinson, Taylor, Thompson, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Eversmeyer, Foster, Gillette, Henigbaum, Laffer, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—15.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 137, a bill for an act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a board of examiners for the licensing of persons to carry on such practice, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of barber shops, schools and colleges in which the occupation of barbering

is taught and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases through such occupations, with report of committee on appropriations recommending indefinite postponement, was taken up and considered.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Fosskett, Francis, Gillette, Helmer, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, White of Benton—19.

The nays were:

Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—20.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Henigbaum, Laffer, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, White of Iowa—11.

The report of the committee was rejected.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Parker invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—21.

The nays were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Fosskett, Francis, Gillette, Helmer, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor—22.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Foster, Henigbaum, Laffer, Savage, Thomas, White of Iowa—7.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relating to the control of the Mississippi river floods.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the Senate amendments to House File No. 429, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the Senate amendments to House File No. 315, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 317, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 403, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred ninety-five (495), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of county recorders.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 272, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Library Commission.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend sections three thousand nine-a to three thousand nine-r (3009-a to 3009-r), supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand twenty-nine-a (3029-a), three thousand twenty-nine-b (3029-b), three thousand twenty-nine-c (3029-c), three thousand twenty-nine-d (3029-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended the following bill by striking out the enacting clause in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 332, a bill for an act to provide funds for assisting in eliminating dangers at railroad crossings.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House insists upon their amendments to Senate File No. 555, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Speaker names as conference committee on part of House: Klinker, Helming, Barry and Kane.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Grout, Senate File No. 620, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred fourteen-p, twenty-five hundred fourteen-s and twenty-five hundred fourteen-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the inspection of hotels, was taken up and considered.

Senator Grout offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 2 by inserting between the words "less" and "than" as they first occur in the seventh line of the printed bill the following: "four dollars; more than fifteen and less".

Adopted.

Senator Grout moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Hagemann, Kimball, Perkins, Robinson, White of Iowa—8.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Foster, Henigbaum, Laffer, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Wilson—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 601, a bill for an act to legalize certain acts and proceedings of the board of supervisors of the county of Fremont in the matter of establishing the Waubonsie Drainage District, locating a drainage ditch therein, apportioning costs and benefits thereunder and issuing bonds against said district for funds to construct said ditch.

Also:

Senate File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-forty-two (2215-f42), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 393, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473) of the code relating to the duties of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, and relating to the meaning or definitions of the terms "factory", "mill", and other like terms.

Also:

Senate File No. 336, a bill for an act making appropriation for the purchase of twenty thousand (20,000) copies of the railroad commissioners' official maps to be distributed by the railroad commission.

Also:

Senate File No. 392, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-five (4999-a-5), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to removal of safety appliances on machinery.

Also:

Senate File No. 455, a bill for an act to legalize the construction of a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system in and by the town of Lu Verne, Iowa, and bonds issued for that purpose and the resolution, acts and proceedings relating to the authorization of the construction of such plant and the issuing of such bonds.

Also:

Senate File No. 436, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145) and one hundred fifty-four (154) of the code, one hundred forty-six, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147) of the code and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-16 (2215-f-16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Perkins, Senate File No. 268, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in title VII, chapter four (4), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment and collection of a tax on collateral inheritance of estates, annuities, legacies, bequests, gifts and transfers; repealing certain parts thereof and providing substitutes therefor; and making provisions for better and more uniform enforcement thereof, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Perkins moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By striking out the word and figure "section 6" and insert in lieu thereof the word and figure "section 8."

Also to amend by inserting new sections as follows:

"SECTION 6. That section 1481-a1 Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "descendent" and before the comma "," in line 6 thereof the word "step child."

"SECTION 7. Upon the payment in full of the inheritance tax upon any estate, the Treasurer of State shall execute a release releasing such estate from such tax and forward it to the Clerk of the District Court of the County wherein such estate is being administered, and the Clerk of such Court shall place the same of record in said estate."

Also amend Section 4 of said Bill, by striking out the words "hereby imposed" in the 11th line thereof.

Also by striking out section 3 and renumbering the sections.

Adopted.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—29.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Lindly, Robinson, Thompson, Wilson—11.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Fleck, Frailey, Laffer, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Voorhees, White of Iowa—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate File No. 397, a bill for an act to repeal sections 1338 of the code, and 1330-c and 1346-g, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levy and collection of taxes on railroad, telegraph and telephone and express companies, and to enact substitutes therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that further consideration of Senate File No. 397 and House File No. 441 be deferred to 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, Senate File No. 8, a bill for an act amending section 725 of the code of 1897 relating to the regulation of rates and service of gas companies, electric light companies, water companies, etc., and making said section applicable to telephone companies and service and empowering cities by ordinance to provide regulations thereof, and providing punishment for the violation thereof, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 8 by striking from section 2 that part of same reading: "and to the connection and service between two or more public telephone lines operating in the same city."

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 8 by striking out section 1 and substituting therefor the following:

"SECTION 1. That section seven hundred twenty-five (725), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:"

Adopted.

Senator Boe was called to the chair at 4:00 P. M.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Whitmore invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Doran, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore—15.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, White of Iowa, Wilson—25.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Crist, Foskett, Gillette, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Taylor, White of Benton—10.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Fellows, Senate File No. 622, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the protection of game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File Number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, was taken up and considered.

Senator Fellows moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Gillette, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 361, a bill for an act providing for the construction by the board of control of extension of street paving of the city of Council Bluffs through the grounds of the Iowa School for the Deaf, with report of committee on appropriations recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend the title by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting a comma and adding the following:—"and making an appropriation therefor." Amend Section Two by striking out the words "and directed" in line two. Amend Section Three by striking out the words and figures "Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00)". Further by striking out the period at the end of said Section three and inserting the following:—"when a new cement bridge is erected over Mosquito Creek at the end of the paving constructed by the city of Council Bluffs as mentioned in paragraph one of the preamble hereof."

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Crist, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Taylor, Voorhees—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 66, a bill for an act to reimburse and indemnify by way of compensation to Alfred Hansen for a personal injury sustained while working at the "spotting of cars" in the State Reformatory at Anamosa, Iowa, with report of committee on appropriations recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend Section 1 by striking out of line three the words and figures "Two Thousand (\$2000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twelve Hundred Fifty (\$1250.00)", and further amend by striking out of line six of said section the words and figures "Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twelve Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$1250.00)". Further amend Section two by striking out of line three thereof the words and figures "Two Thousand (\$2000.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Twelve Hundred Fifty (\$1250.00)"

Amendment lost.

President Harding resumed the chair at 4:30 p. m.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File No. 66 by striking out the words and figures, "Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000.00)" in line three (3) of Section one (1), in line six (6) of section one (1) and in line three (3) of section two (2), all of the original bill and inserting in lieu thereof in each of the above places the words and figures, "Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1500.00)."

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foscett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Gillette, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 150, 547, and 586, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 19.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Eversmeyer called up for consideration the motion filed by him on April 12th and found on page 1620 of the Journal to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 479 passed the Senate, and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

Senator Wilson moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

On the motion to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 479 passed the Senate, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Kimball, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, White of Benton—19.

The nays were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

Absent or not voting:

Laffer, Parker—2.

The motion to reconsider was lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in the concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relating to the reduction of weight of parcels post package.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked

Senate File No. 187, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1500) Dollars to the widow and children of Robert Jopling, deceased.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 385, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-eight (728) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number thereof from nine (9) to six (6).

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 559, a bill for an act granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license and regulate so-called "jitney" busses, and all busses, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns, doing a business similar to that transacted by street railway companies.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 114, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred seventy-five-twelve A (4775-12a), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the sale of dangerous weapons.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined, and find correctly enrolled, substitute for Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate Journal and the House Journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, and providing for the printing thereof and fixing the compensation to be paid to the state printer and binder therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 109, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of six hundred seventy-five dollars (\$675) to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sustained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the capitol ground.

Also:

Senate File No. 240, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred and six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the admission of soldiers' wives and widows to the soldiers' home.

Also:

Senate File No. 302, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 429, a bill for an act relating to the accepting and giving of tips or gratuities and providing a penalty therefor.

Also: .

Senate File No. 438, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand two hundred twenty-seven (4227), chapter four-a (4-a) of title twenty-one (21), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a paragraph for payment of costs and expenses of restoring missing public records.

Also:

Senate File No. 483, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled substitute for Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate Journal and the House Journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, and providing for the printing thereof and fixing the compensation to be paid to the state printer and binder therefor.

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Also :

Senate File No. 483, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on retrenchment and reform, Senate File No. 634, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred seventy-three (2573), twenty-five hundred seventy-four (2574), and twenty-five hundred seventy-five (2575) of the code, twenty-five hundred sixty-four (2564), twenty-five hundred sixty-four-a (2564-a), twenty-five hundred seventy-two (2572) and

twenty-five hundred seventy-four (2574), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting substitutes therefor and creating a state board of health, fixing its powers and duties.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Clarkson called up for consideration the motion filed by him on April 13th, page 1670 of the journal, to reconsider the vote by which Senate File 335 failed to pass the Senate, and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

Motion lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, was taken up and considered.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by striking out of line eight (8) and line nine (9) of Section 1 the words and figures one hundred twenty-five thousand (\$125,000) and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Fleck, Gillette, Kimball, Larabee, Parker, Ream, Thompson—11.

So the House amendments, having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM.

Senator Allen, from the committee on retrenchment and reform, filed the following report:

TO THE 36TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The Committee on Retrenchment and Reform beg to submit the following report:

Chapter 19 of the acts of the 35th General Assembly being additional to Chapter 9, title 2 of the Code granted to the Joint Committee on Retrenchment & Reform authority and power to employ Expert Accountants and Efficiency Engineers to assist said Committee in performing its duty as prescribed by law. They were further authorized to institute such changes in the administration of public affairs as would promote efficiency and economy in administering the affairs of State in its various departments. There was appropriated by this act the sum of \$10,000.00 or so much thereof as was necessary out of the general funds of the State not otherwise appropriated to meet the expenses contemplated by the Act.

Chapter 20 of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly amending section 181 of the Code provided for the enlargement of the Committee on Retrenchment & Reform by adding to said Committee two members from the House and two from the Senate from the minority party or parties as by the Act provided. The said Act further provided that said Committee should continue after the adjournment of the Legislature until the succeeding Legislature re-convened with the same powers as the Committee would have during the Session of the Legislature. It provided for the organization of the Committee, and for the payment of the actual expenses of the Members in attending meetings other than those held during the Legislative Session. It further provided that the expense account of the Members of the Committee should be audited by the Executive Council.

In Chapter 321 section 51, \$600.00 was appropriated to the Committee on Retrenchment & Reform for clerical hire and assistance that might be necessary for the period ending Jan. 1, 1915, and in section 54 there was appropriated the sum of \$10,000.00 per annum for extra clerical assistance in any of the departments of State that should be authorized by said Committee on Retrenchment & Reform to have additional assistance as provided in Joint Resolution Number 15.

By Joint Resolution number 9 of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly the said Committee was authorized and empowered to employ Expert Accountants and Efficiency Engineers to assist the Committee in the inquiry required by the Statute. The said Committee was further authorized and empowered to institute such changes in the administration of public affairs as would promote the efficient and economical administration of the affairs of the State in its various departments. Said resolution further appropriated sufficient funds with

which to meet the expenses contemplated by the Resolution out of the general funds of the State not otherwise appropriated.

In pursuance with the authority granted by Chapter 19 and Joint Resolution number 9 the Committee employed the firm of Quail Parker & Co. of St. Paul, Certified Accountants, as per contract on file.

Said Engineers proceeded upon their work and submitted preliminary reports with reference to the organization of the Department of Agriculture, State Fair management, and the matter of issuing passes in connection with the State Fair Board.

The Committee on Retrenchment & Reform submitted their report which will be found on page 1646 and 1647 of the Senate Journal which was based on the report of the Efficiency Engineers dated March 25, 1913, and addressed to the Committee on Retrenchment & Reform. Said report to be found on pages 1649 to 1667 inclusive of the Senate Journal, 1913.

The report of the Efficiency Engineers with reference to the heating plant at the State House was filed under date of May 21, 1913, addressed to the Joint Committee on Retrenchment & Reform, which report will be found on file in the Secretary of State's office. On June 3, 1913, the said report was approved and referred to the Executive Council. The Committee met with the Executive Council and presented report on said date.

On June 4, 1913, a sub-committee composed of Klay and Miller was appointed to confer with the Executive Council, and to recommend the use of an addressograph in the Secretary of State's office. On the same date new form of application of registration of automobiles was prepared and recommended for use in the automobile department. The firm of Quail Parker & Co. were employed in this department for some time assisting in establishing more efficient methods. On August 27, 1913, the Committee recommended to the Executive Council the purchase of a photographic machine for use in the Secretary of State's office, which machine has been installed in the office of the Secretary of the Executive Council, for the use of the various departments of the State.

In addition to the specified reports and matters referred to herein the Committee had under consideration various requests for help, some of which were approved and a large number denied. Personal investigations by Members of the Committee with reference to the methods of bookkeeping etc. in the various departments, was also conducted.

On March 24, 1914, Quail Parker & Co. filed with the Committee their consolidated report which is on file in the office of the Secretary of State. The Committee is frank to say that this report was disappointing in that too much of the report was taken up with the plan for re-organization of the State's business. The Committee, however, wish to say that the firm of Quail Parker & Co. made many very valuable suggestions with reference to changes in the various offices and departments, and on the whole the State has profited very much by the investigations carried on as will be shown by the financial report and the schedule of savings as hereinafter set out.

The Committee on Retrenchment & Reform filed their preliminary report under date of Nov. 12, 1914, and filed the subsequent report under date of Feb. 20, 1915, which report will be found on page 443 to page 459 inclusive of the Senate Journal.

As a part of this report we, herewith, submit a financial statement setting forth the various funds under the control of the Committee, the disbursement of the same, and the balances on hand at this date. The said statement further sets out the total amount paid to the Members of the Committee for expenses, the sum so expended representing the total cost to the State for the services rendered by the said Committee.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

There was appropriated for the employment of Expert Accountants and Efficiency Engineers by Chapter 19 Acts of the 35th General Assembly \$10,000.00

Mar. 19, 1913, Quail Parker & Co.....	\$ 662.50	
April 3, 1913, Quail Parker & Co.....	1,236.67	
May 6, 1913, Quail Parker & Co.....	800.00	
June 4, 1913, Quail Parker & Co.....	901.67	
July 1, 1913, Quail Parker & Co.....	639.17	
Aug. 26, 1913, Quail Parker & Co.....	540.20	
Sept. 18, 1913, Quail Parker & Co.....	1,063.13	
Mar. 24, 1914, Quail Parker & Co.....	1,500.00	
Nov. 15, 1914, Quail Parker & Co.....	921.66	
J. P. Blaise	519.70	
Kathlyn Davis	12.00	
Western Union Telegraph Co... ..	1.13	
Balance	1,202.17	
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	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00

This leaves a balance of \$1,202.17 from which there is still to be paid the sum of \$500.00 to Quail Parker & Co. as amount retained by the Committee to guarantee that the said Company would furnish blanks and forms needed to put into effect the changes authorized by this Legislature. In other words when the investigating work of the Committee is fully completed and all accounts are paid there will remain a balance of \$702.17.

There was appropriated for clerk hire and assistance by Chapter 321, section 51 of the 35th General Assembly \$ 600.00

Disbursements:

Mrs. S. Francis	\$ 7.50	
C. L. Dahlbergh	6.80	
Elizabeth Rogers	6.00	
Joe Byrnes	330.30	
Balance on hand	250.40	
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	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00

There was appropriated for extra clerical assistance in any of the Departments of State authorized by said Committee to have additional assistance by Chapter 321 section 54 of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly..... \$20,000.00

Disbursements:

Secretary of State's Office—

Carrie Dack	\$ 990.89
Grace Powelson	787.50
Chea Johnson	487.50
Lloyd Refsell	397.50
C. L. Price	308.40
Lola B. Elliott	280.00
Elizabeth Harman	219.63
Frank Cavender	225.00
Kate Bellew	150.01
Mrs. Ora Ryan	168.90
Harry Byram	145.46
Mary Alber	136.98
Roy S. Hayward	131.25
Florence Bowman	129.48
Willard Grothe	68.66
Merle Crawford	19.83
Mrs. Wm. Bronson	52.42
Edw. Lawrence	17.42
J. A. Pearson	42.19
Mayme Sterritt	26.77
S. B. DeHart	31.25
Carrie Walton	72.50
L. Snyder	35.00
Clara Neidig	78.00
Addie Billington	78.00
Roy Allen	50.00
Lloyd Smith	50.00
Dorothy Cohen	37.50
Christine Knudson	37.50
Susie Meyer	75.00
Francis Elliott	37.50
Roy Alber	32.50
Geo. Jay	25.50
Margaret Seeley	87.50
Rilla Durand	62.00
Harold Perkins	39.91
Dora Ridenour	63.22
D. E. Sherman	96.60
Mrs. C. W. Patterson	60.24
Mabel Hudgell	75.00
F. L. Murphy	32.50
Nellie Smith	83.90
Joe W. Hawks	126.69
H. H. Waller	65.00
Anna White	7.81
C. Boatwright	18.90
Ted Nut	18.91

Total 6,264.22

Archive Department—

C. C. Stiles	\$ 1,000.00
Helen Wharton	600.00
Cherry Roberts	600.00
Mrs. L. E. Jones	600.00
Nelson DeFord	600.00
W. H. McBride	600.00

Total \$4,000.00

Total of Secretary of State Extra Help and		
Archive Department	\$10,264.22	
E. Hall, Asst. Postmaster	897.50	
W. C. Jensen, Supply Department.....	27.50	
Balance on hand	8,810.78	
	<u>\$20,000.00</u>	<u>\$20,000.00</u>

The total amount of expense to the State for the expenses of Members of the Committee is the sum of \$848.84, detailed statement of which can be found in the office of the Auditor of State.

With reference to the savings to the State we beg to submit, herewith, the following:

Amount saved by reason of changes made in steam, water and gas pipes at the Power Plant and Historical Building according to statement of W. R. Spry on file.....	\$ 3,536.70
Saving in the Secretary of State's office by use of the addressograph according to W. S. Allen, Secretary.....	900.00
In addition to the direct saving above referred to we desire to call attention to the fact that from Jan. 1, 1913, to April 1, 1913, the automobile department registered 28,665 cars and collected \$309,637.00, and that the office expense was \$4,137.04, and that the work in the office was over 60 days behind: that from Jan. 1, 1914, to April 1, 1914, the automobile department registered 43,812 cars and collected \$433,059.29 for first registrations, and collected the sum of \$9,908.70 from cars that had failed to properly register during the year 1913, making a total amount collected or handled in the office \$442,967.99 or \$133,330.99 more than was handled the year before and the office expense was \$3,175.12 or \$961.92 less than the preceding period, and the work of the office was up to date. Using the three months in 1913 as a basis in comparison with the three months in 1914 this would represent a net saving to the State in the administration of this office in addition to the \$900.00 referred to by Secretary Allen approximately	\$ 4,888.46
That from Jan. 1, 1915, to April 1, 1915, the automobile department registered 73,051 cars and collected for first registrations \$520,131.91, and from cars that had failed to properly register during the year 1914 the sum of \$6,260.16, making a total amount collected or handled in the office \$526,392.07 or \$216,755.07 more than was handled in the year 1913, and the office expense was \$3,109.28 or \$1,027.76 less than the same period in 1913, and the work of the office was practically up to date. Using the three months in 1913 as a basis in comparison with the three months in 1915 this would represent a net saving to the State in the administration of this office in addition to the \$900.00 referred to by Secretary Allen of approximately..	\$13,228.38
The Committee does not claim full credit for this saving, but wishes to say that it was brought about by the cooperation and assistance from Mr. Williams who is the head of this Department. The Committee has recommended a change in the automobile law. If their recommendations are adopted there will follow a further saving to the State of more than \$20,000.00 annually.....	20,000.00
On the three year basis in saving in expense of number plates, and the office expense will be reduced at least 50% resulting in a net saving of at least \$5,000.00 annually	5,000.00

Amount saved the State in purchasing coal for Institutions under Board of Control under the B. T. U. system as returned by the Board of Control from July 1, 1914 to March 1, 1915 \$15,570.97

Applying the same ratio to the coal purchased by the Educational Institutions where this system has been adopted in part the saving for the Educational Institutions would be approximately 6,000.00

This represents the saving from July 1, 1914 to April 1, 1915, over the year from July 1, 1913 to July 1, 1914. The institution at Ames also heated 3½ acres more space than before at no additional cost.

PRINTING AND BINDING.

Due from State Printer Henderson for leaded or price and a half matter for the year 1913 as per statement of F. H. Paul, State Accountant 932.31

Due from State Printer Henderson for leaded or price and a half matter overcharge for year 1914 as per statement of F. H. Paul, State Accountant 727.67

Estimated saving to the State by reason of changes in handling of printing and binding as recommended by the Committee, and also by reduction in the amount of help required in the office of the Secretary of State, annually... 32,000.00

Estimated saving to the State by reason of reduction in the number of employees to be employed by succeeding General Assemblies 12,500.00

Estimated saving by reason of cutting off passes to State Fair By abolishing the office of the Custodian \$ 2,557.00
2,800.00

Estimated saving by deposit of funds from different Departments 1,505.21

Had the report of the Committee abolishing the Board of Parole been adopted there would have resulted a saving in per diem and travelling expenses annually 9,758.84

The remaining office expense and salaries amounting to \$6,532.62 annually would be materially reduced.

Should the report of the Committee with reference to the Board of Health be adopted by this Legislature it will result in a saving to the State of approximately 5,000.00

There could be over \$1,000.00 to \$2,000.00 saved to the State in connection with the heating plant at the State House by installing cisterns so as to have soft water, and thus save the purchase of boiler compounds. Similar plans could be adopted in connection with the heating plants at other State Institutions which would result in a very material reduction in the expenses to the State.

The Committee desires to say that if the bill introduced by this Committee, Senate File No. 519 and House File No. 602, providing for the reorganization of the State's business had passed and become a law, a very much greater saving would have resulted to the State by the co-ordination and consolidation of Departments.

In conclusion the Committee desires to say that one of the best results of its work, and especially of the work of the Efficiency Engineers working under directions, is the promotion of a better spirit in the heads, as well as the Employees, of all Departments. Those directing the State's various activities are now demanding a day's work for a day's pay, and there have been various incidental savings which, though small in themselves, amount to considerable in the aggregate. Referring to the general spirit of the employees since their work has been under review, one of the veteran State Officers declares, that never within his recollection has so effective and efficient service been given as during the past two years.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. ALLEN,

Chairman Retrenchment and Reform Committee.

SENATE FILES WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator White of Iowa withdrew Senate Files Nos. 131 and 280 from further consideration by the Senate.

JOURNAL CORRECTED.

Journal of April 13th was taken up, corrected and approved.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 109, 240, 302, 429, 438, 483 and Substitute for Senate File No. 112.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 611 passed the Senate.

JOHN W. FOSTER.

Senator Savage submitted the following communication which was ordered printed in the Journal:

For the information of the Senate the retrenchment and reform committee submitted the following statement furnished by the state accountant relative to the results to be attained under the bill introduced by the committee, as to changes proposed in prices paid for state printing and binding, and asked that the same be printed in the Journal.

PRINTING.

1913.

TO THE RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM COMMITTEE:

GENTLEMEN—Complying with your request that I make an examination of the amount paid for printing during the year 1913 wherein 48 cents was paid for 1000 ems and the amount that the same bills would amount to at 46 cents per M ems, I desire to submit the following report:

The amount paid for printing at 48 cents per M ems for the year 1913 amount to \$16,301.75.

Taking 4.16% of this amount gives us.....\$ 706.71

Leaving a saving of 2c per M ems, during the year 1913.

The bills of 1913 on 80 cent matter amount to the sum of \$13,547.82;

Taking 6¼% of this amount gives us a saving for 1913 of.....\$ 846.73

This being a deduction of 5 cents per M ems;

In the bills presented during the present session of the Legislature, there has been presented in the Senate and House, 569 bills that can be printed on one page under the new schedule of rates. The present price for each page is \$2.25. The price under the new schedule, \$1.25, making a net gain of \$1.00

on each page or a total of \$569.00.....\$ 569.00

On price and one half matter for the year 1913, which was leaded six-to-pica the saving by deducting the leads from the amount paid for such matter was..... 932.31

Estimated saving on supreme court briefs per new schedule... 50.00

Estimated saving on letter heads, etc..... 300.00

Total\$3,404.75

BINDING FOR TWO-YEAR PERIOD.

Part 1.	The price remains the same under both schedules.		
2.	no covers, the estimated additional cost...	\$	900.00
3.	saddle stitched covered books under new rate, saving of	\$	780.00
4.	side stitched covered books under new rate, saving of		1,560.00
5.	paper bound journals, 2500 pages, under new rate, additional cost	380.00	
6.	cloth bound books, under new schedule of rates		1,060.00
7.	on documents bound in half sheep, under new schedule, saving of		700.00
	journals bound in half sheep, saving of...		360.00
8.	session laws bound in board covers, under new schedule, increase	340.00	
9.	full law sheep bindings, under new schedule, increase	150.00	
10.	official register, bound in cloth, under new schedule, increase	600.00	
		\$2,370.00	\$4,460.00
	Net reduction on two-year period on binding	\$2,090.00	

The above figures are computed on close estimates on number of volumes bound for each department during the period.

Respectfully submitted,

F. H. PAUL,
State Accountant.

AMENDMENTS FILED.

Senator Balkema filed the following amendments:

I move to amend House Amendment to Senate File No. 567 as follows:

Amend Section 2 by inserting after the word "and" in line 3 the words "each of the three commissioners shall receive"

Amend Section 6 by inserting after the word "and" and before the word "culverts" in line 15 the word "permanent"; also by striking out the word and figure "twelve (12)" in line 17 and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "thirteen (13)"

Amend Section 8 by inserting after the word "construction" in line 11 the word "grading"; also by striking from lines 19 and 20 the words and figures "thirty-five hundred (3500)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five hundred (2500)".

Also by adding after the period following the word "engineer" in line 24 the following: "Bridges erected over drainage ditches shall, where necessary be so constructed as to allow the superstructure to be removed for cleaning said ditches with as little damage to the removal and permanent parts of said bridge as practicable.

Amend section 10 by striking from line 27 the word "including" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "except"

Amend Section 13 by striking from lines 37 and 38 the words "July 1st, 1915, pursuant to the provisions of this act" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the taking effect of this act and pursuant to its

provisions." Also by inserting after the word "period" in line 45 the words "ending January first".

Amend Section 15 by striking from line 7 the word "original" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "existing".

Amend the House amendment to Senate File No. 567 by inserting the following as Section 16.

"SECTION 16. If, at the February meeting, a balance remains in the drag fund for the preceding year or years, the said balance may be transferred to the general township road fund provided the draggable roads of such township have been regularly dragged in compliance with the law during the preceding year and said transfer approved by the board of supervisors."

Amend the House Amendment to Senate File No. 567 by renumbering Section 16 as Section 17.

Senator Perkins filed the following amendment:

I move to amend section 5 of Senate File No. 567 by striking out of line 10 of the printed bill the words "by the Highway Commission for".

Senator Francis filed the following amendments:

I move to amend Senate File No. 606 by inserting following the word "collected" in line 18 of section three (3) the words "by him."

I also move to amend said section three (3) by inserting after the period at the end of line 28 the following: "Immediately upon collecting any license fee, the said county attorney shall execute to the party paying same a receipt therefor showing name of person paying the amount thereof and a general description of the car upon which paid, giving make of car and factory number and the person so paying same may forward said receipt to the Secretary of State with his application for registration and the Secretary of State shall thereupon register said car, charging the county attorney so issuing said receipt with the amount thereof, proper credit to be made when remittance is made by said county attorney."

I also move to amend line 34 of section three (3) by striking out "On March 1st" and substituting therefor the following: "On or before March 31st."

Senator Thomas filed the following amendment:

I move to amend Senate File No. 537 by striking out section two and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"SEC. 2. Amend section fourteen hundred-t (1400-t), supplement to the code, 1913, by striking out of line nine (9) the word 'fifty'."

Senator Helmer filed the following amendment:

Amend Senate File No. 537 by adding thereto the following:

SECTION 2. That the law as it appears in section 1400-t, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out of the third (3rd) and fourth (4th) lines thereof of the words "until and including the year 1916"; and by striking out of line seven (7) thereof of the word "eight" and by striking out of line thirteen (13) thereof of the words "of ten".

Senator Savage moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 15, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 A. M., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. John Carl Orth, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Guthrie Center, Iowa.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 114, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred seventy-five-twelve-a (4775-12-a) supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the sale of dangerous weapons.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

Senate File No. 559, a bill for an act granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license, tax and regulate so-called "jitney" busses, and all busses, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns, doing a business similar to that transacted by street railway companies.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend the title to Senate File No. 559 by striking out the word "Busses" at the end of line two of the title of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Motor Vehicles."

Senator Frailey moved that the Senate concur in House amendment to title to Senate File No. 559.

Carried.

House insists on amendments to Senate File 555, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r1 (1400-r1), and section fourteen hundred-r2 (1400-r2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the

purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and State Colony for Epileptics.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend by striking out of lines 6 and 7 of section 1 the words and figures "eight hundred twenty-five thousand (\$825,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "six hundred twenty-five thousand (\$625,000)" and by striking out of line 18 of section 1 the words and figures "four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000)" and by striking out all of section four (4) and five (5).

Amend by striking out the words and figures "four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$425,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "three hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$325,000.00)."

Amend by striking out the words "Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females" and the words "District Custodial Farm" wherever same appears in the title and in the bill. Also the words "when located at new location" in the next to the last line of the bill.

The Senate appoints as such conference committee Senators Robinson, Boe, Sheean and Caswell.

House insists on amendments to Senate File 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman of her estate for personal injury.

HOUSE AMENDMENT TO TITLE.

Amend the title by striking out the words "of the" before the word "supplement" in the second line of the bill and inserting a comma (,) in lieu thereof.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Section 1. Thirty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) supplement to the code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the word "provided" in the thirteenth (13) line thereof, also by striking out the comma following the word "provided" in the thirteenth (13) line and substitute therefore a period.

The Speaker names on the part of the House Rogers, Ring, Steel-smith and Bruce.

The President appoints as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Helmer, Kimball, Parker and Clarkson.

House File No. 403, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred ninety-five (495), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of county recorders.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Savage, from the committee on Appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Appropriations to whom was referred House File No. 213, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of a sewer system and for the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa State Fair and Exposition grounds, and to make appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 13, title twelve, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the dairy and food commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 1. That all that part of Section two thousand five hundred fifteen (2515), Supplement to the Code, 1913, following the colon in the tenth line thereof, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

On or before the first day of April, 1916, and every four years thereafter, the governor shall appoint a dairy and food commissioner, who shall have practical knowledge of and experience in the manufacture of dairy products, who shall hold his office for four years from the first day of May following his appointment, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, subject to removal by the governor for inefficiency, neglect or violation of duty. He shall give bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties, with sureties to be approved by and filed with the secretary of state. He shall keep on hand a supply of standard 18 gram 10% milk bottles, 9 gram 50% cream bottles, 17.6 cc pipettes and nine gram test weights adapted for use by each milk testing machine. He shall furnish to any firm or corporation desiring the same one such weight, bottle, and pipette for each factory,

of the kind adapted for the machine operated therein, upon request therefor, placing thereon the letters "D. C." as a permanent mark; the weights, bottles and pipettes to be furnished at the actual cost thereof. He shall have and keep an office at the capitol and preserve therein all correspondence, documents, records, and all property of the state pertaining thereto, and shall have authority to take all proper educational measures to foster and promote the manufacture and sale of pure food and dairy products. The commissioner shall be allowed necessary postage, stationery, and office supplies, and shall receive an annual salary of twenty-seven hundred dollars and necessary expenses, which shall not exceed four thousand five hundred dollars per year, including expenses, such expenses to be itemized, verified by him, and when examined and approved by the executive council, to be paid by warrant of the state auditor drawn upon the state treasurer. The commissioner may appoint a deputy commissioner at a salary of \$1,800 per year, and a state dairy inspector at a salary of \$1,600 per year. He may also appoint, with the approval of the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the director of the Iowa Experiment Station and the professor of dairying, six assistants at a salary of sixteen hundred dollars per year, who shall perform such duties as may be assigned to them by the commissioner. Such deputy, dairy inspector and assistants shall be allowed in addition to their salaries, actual and necessary traveling expenses, when in the performance of their official duties, said expenses to be itemized, verified under oath, and when audited and approved by the executive council to be paid upon warrant of the state auditor upon the state treasurer provided that such expenditure shall not exceed the appropriation made for this purpose. The commissioner shall with the approval of the executive council appoint a state chemist, who shall be an expert analytical, food and pharmaceutical chemist, who shall be the chief chemist of the dairy and food department. He shall devote his whole time to the duties of such office and he shall receive a salary of twenty-four hundred dollars per year. The commissioner may also appoint an assistant chemist at a salary not exceeding \$1,800 per year. The chief chemist and his assistant shall make all the examinations necessary in enforcing the provisions of the various laws enforced by the dairy and food department, shall be allowed actual and necessary traveling expenses, and shall be furnished necessary laboratory, apparatus, supplies and chemicals, to be paid for in the same manner as the accounts of assistants. All salaries of officials provided in this section shall be paid in the same manner as the salaries of other state officers. The commissioner shall during his term of office hold no other official position or any professorship in any state educational institution, and on or before the first day of November he shall make annual report to the governor, which shall contain a detailed account of all his doings as commissioner and the receipts and disbursements of his office since the preceding report, with such facts and statistics in regard to the production, manufacture and sale of dairy and food products, with such suggestions, as he may regard of public importance in connection therewith. In the conduct of his office, he shall have power to issue subpoenas for witnesses, enforce their attendance and examine them under

oath by him to be administered, such witnesses to be allowed fees as in justice courts, to be paid by the commissioner as part of the expenses of his office and do such other acts and things as are necessary and proper in the enforcement of the various laws enforced by the Dairy and Food Commissioner."

Further amend by striking out all of section two (2).

Amend section three (3) by numbering section three (3) as section two (2). Amend section four (4) by numbering section four (4) as section three (3). Amend section five by numbering section five (5) as section four (4). Amend section six (6) by numbering section six (6) as section five (5) and by striking from line nineteen (19) of said section the following: "\$10" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five dollars". Also amend section seven (7) by numbering section seven (7) as section six (6); also amend section eight (8) by numbering section eight (8) as section seven (7); also amend section nine (9) by numbering section nine (9) as section eight (8) and by striking from line six (6) of said section the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four". Also amend section ten (10) by numbering section ten (10) as section nine (9) and by striking from line three (3) the words "Daily Capital" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "News".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 110, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the Supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend by striking out all of Section 6 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Section 6. The Supreme Court may order the publication of a new edition of any volume of its reports of which the copyright is owned by the reporter, when the public interest requires it, and may require compliance therewith within six months by an order entered of record; and if the reporter neglects or refuses to comply with said order, then such copyright shall be forfeited to the state."

Further amend Section 5 by inserting the word "court" after the word "district" in line 9.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 243, a bill for an act making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being

injured by the falling of a building on the fair grounds, at Des Moines, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend Section 1 by striking out all after the word "manner" in line 7 and insert the following: "the Executive Council of the State of Iowa shall have charge of and disburse the appropriation herein provided, as follows: the said Executive Council shall at once pay and discharge the mortgage encumbrance existing upon the homestead of the said deceased, Louis D. Bruner, and shall pay to the widow of said deceased the remainder of this appropriation except \$1,000.00. On July 1st, 1916, the Executive Council shall pay to the said Viola Bruner, if alive, the sum of \$500.00, and if she is not living, said payments towards the support of the said minor children of the deceased. On July 1st, 1917, there shall be paid to said Viola Bruner or to said children or for their use and benefit the remainder of the appropriation made herein together with any interest accumulated thereon."

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 603, a bill for an act to make appropriation to reimburse certain persons for stock killed or to be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the foot and mouth disease; and to defray the expense of quarantine, care, destruction or burial of stock within any quarantine district, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be amended as follows; and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend Section 5 by striking out the words and figures "one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00)" in lines three and four and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00)".

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 158, a bill for an act to make appropriation for Harry B. Moore on account of injury received by him at the Iowa Soldiers' Home at Marshalltown, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

On the adoption of the report of the committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore—32.

The nays were:

Clarkson, Kimball, Perkins, Ream, White of Benton, Wilson—6.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Grout, Heald, Jackson, Laffer, Larrabee—12.

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 261, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of an Iowa State league of county poultry associations and to provide aid to the poultry industry by making an appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Savage, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 328, a bill for an act conferring upon the board of railroad commissioners the power to regulate the location, construction and maintenance of electric wires, poles and other fixtures, along and across the public lands, highways and streams of this state, except within the corporate limits of any city or town; and to confer upon the Board of Railroad Commissioners, the power to review, by appeal ordinances, resolutions, rules and regulations of any city or town regulating the construction and operation of electric wires, poles and other apparatus within such cities or towns, including cities acting under special charters and cities organized under the commission form of government; and to repeal section 1527-c and 1527-b, supplement to the code, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be referred to the sifting committee without recommendation.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Savage, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was referred to the sifting committee.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 128, a bill for an act to provide for the establishment of a department of bee keeping in the division of agriculture in the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts (additional to chapter 4 of title 13 of the code, relating to the Iowa College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts), beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Savage, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 635, a bill for an act to require the auditor of state to furnish to the auditors of the different counties the amount of money appropriated for different state purposes and the approximate millage levy required to raise said amounts to be printed upon the back of the tax receipt for the information of the tax payers.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

By committee on retrenchment and reform, Senate File No. 636, a bill for an act to repeal sections one hundred thirty-eight (138) and one hundred forty-one (141), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor, relating to compensation for state printing and state binding.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

REPORT OF SIFTING COMMITTEE.

The Sifting committee reported the following bills to the Senate recommending passage:

House File 403—By Garton.

House File 565—By Gray.

House File 354—By Rees.

House File 424—By Griffin.

House File 576—By Bingham.

House File 478—By Slaught.

Senate File 103—By Kimball, substitute recommended for passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Amending Chapter Two-a (2-a) of Title Six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, and Relating to Primary Elections; Nominations of Candidates for Office, Including Electors of President and Vice President of the United States and Filing of Nomination Papers and Form of Ballot.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by amending Section ten hundred eighty-seven-a one (1087-a 1) as follows:

By striking out of said section, beginning with the words "except candidates" in the third line down to and including "vice president of the United States" in the sixth line and substituting therefor the following: "except such offices, if any, which are filled by direct vote at a non-partisan election or as is otherwise provided by law, and candidates for the office of senator of the United States."

SECTION 2. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the supplement to the Code, 1913, be and is hereby amended by striking out of section ten hundred eightyseven-a 4 (1087-a 4) all after and including the words "in the year 1913" beginning in the third line of said section and substituting therefor the following: "of each even numbered year for the nomination of candidates for such offices as are to be filled at the general election in November next ensuing, except such candidates for office as are under the law to be elected by non-partisan election or as are by special provision to be nominated by convention.

SECTION 3. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by substituting for section ten hundred eighty-seven-a ten (1087-a 10) the following:

No candidate for an elective office or party committeeman shall have his name printed upon the official primary ballot of his party unless a nomination paper shall have been filed in his behalf or by him within the time and in the manner and having the requirements as hereinafter provided. All nomination papers shall consist of an affidavit signed by the candidate in form and substance as follows: I,, being duly sworn, say that I reside atstreet, city (or town) of..... county of, in the state of Iowa; that I am eligible to the place for which I am a candidate; that I affiliate with the party; that I am a candidate for, nomination or selection to be made at the next primary election and hereby request that my name be printed upon the official primary ballot as provided by law as a candidate of my said party. I furthermore declare that if I am nominated and elected I will qualify for said position.

Signed.....

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this..... day of....., 19....

(Official designation)

All candidates for office except candidates for a subdivision of a county and party committeemen shall file with or attach to the said affidavit and as a part of the nomination paper a petition in form and substance as follows:

I, the undersigned, a qualified elector of.....county, and state of Iowa and affiliated with the..... party, hereby petition for the nomination of.....of.....county, state of Iowa, who has affiliated with my said party, as a candidate for the office of..... to be voted for at the next primary election, said petition shall consist of sheets of uniform size about eight and one-half by thirteen inches. No signature shall be counted unless they are on sheets each having such petition written or printed at the top thereof. Each signer of a nomination petition shall sign but one such petition for the same office except where more than one officer is to be elected to the same office in which case he may sign as many nomination petitions as there are officers to be elected and only one candidate shall be petitioned for in the same nomination paper. Each signer of a nomination paper shall add his street and number and city or town or township and the date of signing. All signers of such sheet of a nomination petition shall reside in the same county and all sheets shall be laid one upon the other; those signed by persons of the same county being grouped together and all neatly, evenly and securely fastened together before filing and the whole shall be considered as one nomination petition only.

A nomination paper when filed shall not be withdrawn or added to nor any signature thereon revoked. The affidavit of a qualified elector other than a candidate shall be appended to each sheet of such nomination petition, stating that he is personally acquainted with all the persons who have signed the same; that he knows them to be electors of the county and believes them to be affiliated with the party named therein; and that he knows they signed the same with full knowledge of the contents thereof; that their respective residences are truly stated and that each signed on the date set opposite his name.

(1). The nomination paper of a candidate for a state office or United States senator shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state at least forty days prior to such primary election and shall be signed by at least one per centum of the voters of the party of such candidate in each of at least ten counties of the state, and in the aggregate not less than one-half of one per centum of the total vote of his party in the state, all as shown by the last general election.

(2). The nomination paper of a candidate for a representative in congress, senator in the general assembly or other officer in districts composed of more than one county shall be filed in the office of the

secretary of state at least forty days prior to such primary election and shall be signed by at least two per centum of the voters of his party of such candidate in at least one-half of the counties of the district, and in the aggregate not less than one per centum of the total vote of his party in such district, all as shown by the last general election.

(3) The nomination paper of a candidate for a member of the general assembly in districts composed of a single county shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state at least forty days prior to such primary election and shall be signed by at least two per centum of the voters of the party of such candidates in the county, as shown by the last general election.

(4) The nomination paper of a candidate for an office to be filled by the voters of the county or a subdivision of a county, and of committeemen shall be filed in the office of the county auditor at least thirty days prior to such primary election and the petition of officers elected by the voters of the whole county shall be signed by at least two per centum of the voters of the party of such candidates in the county, as shown by the last general election. In each of the above cases the vote to be taken for the purpose of computing the percentage shall be the party vote cast for governor. All nomination papers shall be destroyed at the same time and in the manner in which the primary election ballots are destroyed.

SECTION 7. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by amending Section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-five (1087-a 25) as follows:

By striking out the words "and shall nominate candidates for the office of judge of the district court in counties comprising one judicial district of the state" where the same appears in said section.

SECTION 8. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by substituting for sections ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-five-a (1087-a 25-a) and ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-five-b (1087-a 25-b) the following:

Nothing in Chapter two -a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the supplement to the Code, 1913, as amended shall apply to the nomination of candidates for judge of the district, superior and supreme courts while special provision of statute exists for non-partisan judicial nominations and election of such officers; provided, however, unless such non-partisan nomination and election is otherwise provided by statute such officers shall be nominated as follows: Where the judicial district is composed of a single county, judges of the district court shall be nominated at the primary election as county officers are nominated; judges of the superior court shall be nominated at the regular primary by the voters of the city, similarly as township officers are nominated. Where the judicial district is composed of more than one county the district judges shall be nominated by a district convention and judges of the supreme court shall be nominated by the same state convention nominating other state officers.

SECTION 9. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by amending Section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-seven (1087-a 27) as follows:

By inserting after the words "shall make nominations of the candidates for the party for" first appearing in said section the words "electors for president and vice president of the United States, and for"

Substitute read first and second time.

MOTION TO RECALL.

Senator Voorhees moved that the secretary request the House to return to the Senate, Senate File 516.

Carried.

MOTION TO REFER.

Senator Allen moved that Senate File No. 635 be referred to the committee on ways and means.

Carried.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Savage withdrew Senate File No. 257 from further consideration by the Senate.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Substitute for Senate File No. 112, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate Journal and the House Journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, and providing for the printing thereof and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, and providing for the printing thereof and fixing the compensation to be paid to the state printer and binder therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 109, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of six hundred seventy-five dollars (\$675) to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sustained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the capitol grounds.

Also:

Senate File No. 240, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred and six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the admission of soldiers' wives and widows to the soldiers' home.

Also:

Senate File No. 322, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 429, a bill for an act relating to the accepting and giving of tips or gratuities and providing a penalty therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 438, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand two hundred twenty-seven (4227), chapter four-a (4-a) of title twenty-one (21), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a paragraph providing for payment of costs and expenses of restoring missing public records.

Also:

Senate File No. 483, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 283, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-six hundred ninety-two (2692), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home.

Also:

House File No. 307. A bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred four (1304), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the exemption of certain property from taxation.

Also:

House File No. 315. A bill for an act to repeal section three thousand five hundred thirty-nine (3539) of the code, relative to the bringing of actions against unknown defendants.

Also:

House File No. 342. A bill for an act to amend section seven hundred ninety-two-g (792-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of property not abutting, for street improvements.

Also:

House File No. 429. A bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 345. A bill for an act to amend section three hundred eight (308), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county attorneys.

Also:

House File No. 504. A bill for an act creating the State Board of Audit and defining its powers and duties.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

On request of Senator Perkins, leave of absence was granted Senator Foster for the day.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 291, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads, was taken up and considered.

Senator Farr moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments:

Amend by striking out of line seven (7) the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fourteen", and by striking out of line eight (8) the word "seventeen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen".

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Lindly, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, White of Benton—20.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

MOTION FOR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Farr offered the following resolution:

Be It Resolved, That the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three to draft proper resolutions commemorating the life and services to the state of the Honorable John S. Lothrop, now deceased, formerly a member of the Senate of the State of Iowa.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Farr, Perkins and Balkema.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Balkema, Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s 12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16) and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m 32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred

twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s 2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s 3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 7 (1527-s 7), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s 8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s 11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s 13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 17 (1527-s 17), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 19 (1527-s 19), supplement to the code, 1913, defining the duties of township trustees and boards of supervisors relative to marking dangerous points on highways, defining the jurisdiction of state, county, township and corporation line roads, and providing for the transfer of the unexpended balance from the drag fund to the general township road fund, was taken up for further consideration.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendments to the House amendments to Senate File No. 567 and moved their adoption.

Amend House Amendment to Senate File No. 567 as follows:

Amend Section 2. by inserting after the word "and" in line 3 the words "each of the three commissioners shall receive".

Amend Section 6. by inserting after the word "and" and before the word "culverts" in line 15 the word "permanent"; also by striking out the word and figure "twelve (12)" in line 17 and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "thirteen (13)".

Amend Section 8. by inserting after the word "construction" in line 11 the words "grading"; also by striking from lines 19 and 20 the words and figures "thirty-five hundred (3500)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two thousand (2000)".

Also by adding after the period following the word "engineer" in line 24 the following: "Bridges erected over drainage ditches shall, where necessary, be so constructed as to allow the super-structure to be removed for cleaning said ditches with as little damage to the removal and permanent parts of said bridge as practicable."

Amend Section 10. by striking from line 27 the word "including" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "except".

Amend Section 13. by striking from lines 37 and 38 the words "July 1st, 1915, pursuant to the provisions of this act" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the taking effect of this act and pursuant to its provisions." Also by inserting after the word "period" in line 45 the words "ending January 1st, 1917."

Amend Section 15. by striking from line 7 the word "original" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "existing".

Amend House amendment to Senate File No. 567 by inserting the following as Section 16.

"SECTION 16. If, at the February meeting, a balance remains in the drag fund for the preceding year or years, the said balance may be trans-

ferred to the general township road fund provided the draggable roads of such township have been regularly dragged in compliance with the law during the preceding year and said transfer approved by the board of supervisors."

Amend the House amendment to Senate File No. 567 by renumbering Section 16 as Section 17.

SENATE AMENDMENTS.

Amend the title by inserting in line 10 after the figures "1527-s-14" the words and figures "Supplement to the Code, 1913,".

Also by inserting after the figures "1527-s-12" in line 11 the words and figures "supplement to the code, 1913,".

Adopted.

Senator Balkema moved that the Senate concur in the following House amendments to Senate File 567 as amended by the Senate:

Amend the amendment to Senate File No. 567 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by striking from lines nine and ten of said section the following: "Such commission when appointed shall fill the interim between the taking effect of this act and July first, nineteen hundred thirteen," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Each commissioner shall give bond in the penal sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the faithful performance of his duties as hereinafter provided, which bond shall be approved by the executive council and filed with the secretary of state."

SEC. 2. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-one (1527-s1), supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by inserting after the word "commission" and preceding the period in line three thereof the following: "and all necessary traveling and other expenses incurred while in the performance of his duties as such commissioner, but the said commission shall not incur any expense to the state by sending out road lecturers".

SEC. 3. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-two (1527-s2), supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by striking out all of paragraph three (3) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"3. To keep a record of all important operations of the highway commission, and to annually report the same to the governor by the first day of January, which report shall be printed as a public document; but the summary report of the county highway engineers shall be reported not later than February first."

Also that section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-two (1527-s2), supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by striking out all of paragraph seven (7) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"7. To make surveys, plans and estimates of cost for the elimination of danger at railroad crossings on highways and streets, and to

confer with local officials, railroad officials and the Iowa railroad commission in the elimination of such dangers at railroad crossings."

Also that section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-two (1527-s2), supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by adding thereto the following as paragraph eight (8):

"8. The state highway commission shall assist the county board of supervisors and the attorney general in the defense of patent suits relative to road or bridge construction, make surveys for the state board of control when so requested, and perform all other duties required by law."

SEC. 4. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-three (1527-s3), supplement to the code, 1913, be repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The board of supervisors of each county shall employ a competent engineer or engineers for such length of time, not exceeding one year, and at such compensation, to be paid out of the county funds, as may be fixed by the board of supervisors. Said engineer or engineers shall work under the direction and instructions of the board of supervisors in the performance of the duties hereinafter provided, and each shall give bond for the faithful performance of his duties in a sum not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), nor more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00). The tenure of office of any engineer may be terminated by the board of supervisors for cause or by the state highway commission for incompetency. The highways now designated as county roads by the plans and records now on file in the county auditor's office of each county and all county highways from time to time added thereto, shall be known as the county road system. All other highways in the county shall be known as the township road system. The system of road construction herein provided shall apply only to highways outside of the limits of cities and towns; provided, however, that whenever any public highway, located along the corporate line of any city or town, is partly within said city or town and partly without the same, the said highway or any part thereof, may be included in and made a part of the county road system, and when so included it may be improved by the board of supervisors as are other parts of the county road system. The system of bridge and culvert work herein provided for shall apply to all highways throughout the county outside of the limits of cities of the first class; provided, however, that when any part of any public highway located along the corporate line of a city of the first class is included in the county road system, as herein provided, the board of supervisors and the city council shall meet jointly and adopt plans and specifications with the approval of the highway commission for the construction of bridges and culverts, one-half of the cost of the same to be paid by the city and one-half by the county, and in case the city council and the board of supervisors are unable to agree upon any question or questions involved in the construction of the same it shall be referred to the state highway commission, whose decision therein shall be final and binding upon each party.

In matters involving highway improvements upon or across state

highway commission shall be authorized to confer with authorities of bordering states and to agree upon proper connections or plans and the apportionment of cost of such improvements.

SEC. 5. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-five (1527-s5), supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by adding thereto the following:

"Provided that the board of supervisors of any county may at any time make application to the said commission for a change or modification of the established county road system when such change is proposed for the purpose of eliminating from such road dangerous crossings or curves, or when such change would materially decrease the cost of improving or maintaining the road, and in such case the commission may reopen such matter and authorize such change as may seem advisable."

SEC. 6. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-eight (1527-s8), supplement to the code, 1913, be stricken out and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"The survey and report of each section, as soon as completed and approved by the board of supervisors, shall be submitted to the state highway commission, and the board of supervisors may designate to the said commission what sections, in their estimation, should be first passed upon by said state highway commission. The said commission is hereby charged with the duty of passing upon such reports and plans, and in so doing, shall take into consideration the thoroughness, feasibility and practicability of such plans, and may approve or modify the same. After such survey and plan for each section is passed upon by the state highway commission, they shall be returned to the county auditor with full and explicit directions as to modifications, if there be any. The county auditor shall, upon receipt of the approved and modified survey and plans, record the same at length in a county road book, and the board of supervisors shall thereupon proceed to the construction of the road, bridge, tile and culvert work in accordance therewith, and as herein provided. The duty to construct and maintain all bridges and culverts throughout the county is imposed upon the board of supervisors. All culverts and bridges shall be paid for out of the county bridge fund, except as provided in section twelve (12) of this act. Where conditions are such as to warrant or necessitate the same, the board of supervisors shall furnish township trustees metal or other temporary culverts authorized by the state highway commission to be placed by them on their township road system. Said culverts to be purchased by the board of supervisors and paid for out of the county bridge fund and shall not exceed in size thirty-six (36) inches in diameter, or its equivalent. The county, however, shall be at no expense for placing, filling or transportation of said temporary culverts other than their delivery at a railroad station to be designated by the board of supervisors. Immediately upon the completion by the board of supervisors of any bridge or culvert situated upon the township road system, or the installation of a temporary culvert furnished to the township by the board of supervisors, it shall be the duty of the township trustees to properly fill over with dirt all such culverts and fill in and uniformly grade the approaches to all such bridges. Should the trustees fail for a period of

two weeks after notification to make such fill, or fail to fill in and grade over such culvert, as herein provided, the board of supervisors shall proceed to do so, and the engineer shall report the actual cost of so doing and such amount, not exceeding one hundred fifty dollars (\$150.00), for any such bridge or culvert, shall be certified by the board of supervisors to the county treasurer who shall transfer said amount to the county road cash fund from the first collection of road funds belonging to said township.

The county road fund, the county road building fund, the county drainage fund, and all other moneys received by the board of supervisors for road purposes, except as otherwise provided, shall be placed in the county road cash fund, and shall be paid out only on order of the said board of supervisors for the purchase of tools, machinery and equipment, or for tile and tiling, or for filling on culverts and bridge approaches as herein provided, or for work done on the county road system, or for the elimination of dangers at railroad crossings on both county and township roads, at the discretion of the board of supervisors on an adjustment of such dangerous conditions by negotiations between the railroad and the board of supervisors, or upon an order and finding of the railroad commission. All money received by the township trustees for road purposes shall be expended for and upon the township road system, or for the elimination of dangers at railroad crossings on the township roads, at the discretion of the township trustees, on an adjustment of such dangerous conditions by negotiations between the railroad company and the township trustees, or upon an order and finding of the railroad commission."

SEC. 7. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-nine (1527-s9), supplement to the code, 1913, be stricken out and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"Whenever all the roads of the county road system have been improved according to the plans herein provided, the board of supervisors shall add such roads from the township road system as have been improved by the township in accordance with the general plans and specifications furnished by the engineer and in accordance with the requirements of this act, and if the township roads so improved be not sufficient to use all county funds available for that purpose, the board of supervisors may select additional county roads, but no increase shall be made in the mileage of the county road system until that system is completed, except that the board of supervisors may at any time add such roads from the township road system as will materially shorten the direct lines of travel between market towns. In all cases of additions the same proceedings shall be followed in all regards as herein provided for the original selection and improvement of county roads."

SEC. 8. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-eleven (1527-s11), supplement to the code, 1913, be repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"Standard specifications for all bridges and culverts, railroad overhead crossings or subways shall be furnished without cost to the counties and railroad companies by the state highway commission, and work shall be done in accordance therewith, and when said bridge and culvert work is completed and approved a duplicate statement of the cost thereof

shall be filed at once with the state highway commission by the county auditor. All culverts and bridge construction, tile and tiling and repair work or materials therefor, of which the engineer's estimated cost shall be one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or less, may be advertised and let at a public letting, or may be let privately at a cost not to exceed the engineer's estimate, or may be built by day labor. All culvert and bridge construction, tile and tiling and repair work, or materials therefor of which the engineer's estimated cost shall exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) shall be advertised and let at a public letting, provided, that the board shall have the power to reject all bids, in which event they may readvertise, or let privately by submitting contract to the state highway commission for approval, or build by day labor, at a cost not to exceed the lowest bid received. All bids received shall be publicly opened, at the time and place specified in the advertisement, and shall be recorded in detail, in a book kept for that purpose, by the county auditor; said book shall at all times be open to the public for inspection. Any proposed contract which shall exceed the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) for any one bridge or culvert, or repairs thereon, shall be first approved by the state highway commission before the same shall be effective as a contract. Before beginning the construction of any permanent bridge or culvert by day labor or by contract, the plans, specifications, estimate of drainage area, estimate of cost and their specific location shall be filed in the county auditor's office by the engineer. On completion, a detailed statement of cost, and of any additions or alterations to the plans shall be added to the above records by the engineer, all of which shall be retained in the county auditor's office as permanent records, and when said work is completed and approved, a duplicate statement of the cost thereof shall be filed at once with the state highway commission by the county auditor. The board of supervisors may authorize the county auditor to draw warrants for the amount of pay rolls for labor furnished under the day labor system, when said pay rolls are certified to by the engineer in charge of the work. Said bills shall be passed upon by the board at the first meeting following said payment."

SEC. 9. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-twelve (1527-s12), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 10. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-thirteen (1527-s13), supplement to the code, 1913, be repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"At every February meeting, or as soon thereafter as possible, the township trustees of each township shall select from its township road system the roads to be dragged for the year, to be known as draggable roads, which shall include all roads in consolidated school districts and all mail routes, and shall employ a superintendent or superintendents, not exceeding four in number, for the township road system, who shall give bond for the faithful performance of their duties in such sum as the township trustees may direct. Said superintendent or superintendents shall have general supervision of all dragging and repair work on the township road system, including the placing of temporary cul-

verts, and the term of office and compensation of such superintendent or superintendents shall be at the discretion of the township trustees. The superintendent shall see that the approaches to all bridges on the said roads are maintained in such manner as to present smooth and uniform surfaces, and keep the openings to all culverts and ditches free from weeds, brush and other material that will in any manner prevent the free discharge of surface water. He shall have charge of all draggable roads of the township road system and make contracts for dragging, and shall see that all draggable roads of the township road system are properly dragged at such times as are necessary to maintain such roads in smooth condition, at such price as is reasonable and necessary to secure such contracts, to be fixed by the township trustees. For this purpose there shall be expended, under the direction of the township trustees, through the road superintendent, upon the township road system not less than the one (1) mill drag tax now authorized by law. The township trustees shall not allow any bills for dragging, maintenance, or repair work, nor shall warrants in payment therefor be drawn by the township clerk upon funds of the township road system until itemized bills therefor have been certified to by the township road superintendent. A violation of this section shall render the township clerk liable on his bond for the amount of said warrant. The compensation of such superintendent for all duties including any dragging actually performed by him, and the cost of all equipment for dragging, shall be paid for out of the township road funds. He shall at least once a year, or on demand, furnish the township trustees a report of all work done under and by him."

SEC. 11. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-fourteen (1527-s14), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"Providing the trustees may contract with the board of supervisors for the construction of any work on the township road system, provided the county shall not make any charge for the use of the county's road equipment except the actual cost of operating the same."

SEC. 12. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-sixteen (1527-s16), supplement to the code, 1913, be repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"Not later than the first day of January, or at any time upon the demand of the township trustees, the township clerk shall report the work accomplished on the township road system in his township, including number of culverts installed, location thereof and the number and size of culverts on hand and not installed. Said township trustees shall, as nearly as practicable, recommend what is to be done upon the township road system for the succeeding year, and shall also prepare a list of the culverts and bridges which in their judgment should be constructed by the board of supervisors in their township during the succeeding year, giving the proposed location of such culverts, the material of which such culverts should be constructed, and the approximate size of same, together with any and all recommendations concerning such culverts as the board of township trustees see fit to give, which list, report and recommendation shall be filed on or before the first day of

January of each year, or oftener if the emergency requires, in the office of the county auditor, and a copy of the same shall be forthwith mailed by the township clerk to each member of the board of supervisors."

SEC. 13. That section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-thirty-two (1571-m32), supplement to the code, 1913, be stricken out and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

"Ninety (90) per cent. of all moneys paid into the state treasury pursuant to the provisions of this act shall be apportioned among the several counties in the same ratio as the number of townships in the several counties bear to the total number of townships in the state, said apportionment to be made by the state treasurer on the first day of April and the first day of August of each year. When such apportionment has been made the state treasurer shall forthwith remit to the county treasurers of the several counties of the state the amount of money so apportioned to the respective counties, and the county treasurer of each county immediately upon receipt of such money shall charge himself therewith and forthwith give notice to the county auditor of the amount of money so received. The county treasurer shall pay into the treasury of the cities and incorporated towns in such county a portion of said motor vehicle fund to be determined as follows: Each city or incorporated town shall receive a share to be determined by the ratio of miles of unpaved streets within the limits of said city or incorporated town to the total number of miles of public roads and unpaved streets within the county; provided, however, that in no case shall the aggregate amount apportioned to the various cities and towns exceed ten (10) per cent. of the total amount apportioned to the county. And such apportionment to cities and towns shall be expended by them only for the purpose of improving the unpaved streets and roads connecting directly with the county or township road systems, or by order of the city or town council or commission the apportionment may be transferred to the county road cash fund and be expended on the county road system. For the purpose of making such apportionment the city or town clerk shall file in the office of the county treasurer ten days before the date of the apportionment from the state treasurer a certified statement of the number of miles of unpaved streets within such city or town, and the county auditor shall make a like statement of the number of miles of highway in such county outside the limits of cities and incorporated towns. The treasurer of each city or town shall charge himself with the sum received from said apportionment and shall forthwith give notice to the city or town auditor or clerk of the amount of money so received. The total amount of funds so received by the county treasurer, less the amount apportioned to the various cities and towns, as herein provided, shall constitute the county motor vehicle road fund and shall be expended for the following purposes only: the crowning, drainage, dragging or gravelling of public highways outside the limits of cities and towns, and for the building of permanent culverts on such highways. Such fund shall be paid out on warrants drawn by the county auditor, duly authorized by the board of supervisors and entered of record. The same procedure shall apply to the expenditure of this fund as to the expenditure of other road and bridge funds. Five (5) per cent. of all moneys paid into the state treasury on and after

July first, nineteen hundred fifteen, pursuant to the provisions of this act, shall be set aside and shall constitute a maintenance fund for the state highway commission. Said five (5) per cent. shall be used for no other purpose than as a maintenance fund for said state highway commission, and shall be drawn out only on warrants drawn by the auditor of state on itemized vouchers approved by the state highway commission, the expenditures of which commission shall be audited by the executive council, and a full and complete report of all said expenditures shall be published in the annual report under the act creating the state highway commission. At the end of each biennial period the funds remaining in the highway maintenance fund shall be placed to the credit of the general fund."

SEC. 14. That section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-ten (1527-s10), supplement to the code, 1913, be amended by striking out all following the period in line nineteen thereof, and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

"Repair work shall be known as work not designated by the highway engineer, all road construction work costing not in excess of sixty dollars per mile, work of a temporary character or of immediate necessity, and work necessary to maintain finished roads completed under this act. A violation of this section shall render the county auditor liable on his bond for the amount of said work."

SEC. 15. In all cases wherein plans, specifications and profiles are submitted to the state highway commission, proposing and setting forth the plans and specifications for improving any portion of a road system, if, except as to cuts, fills, and decreases in inclines, such plans and specifications meet with the approval of the state highway commission, the said commission shall not refuse to approve such plans and specifications in full if the proposed cuts, fills, or decreases in inclines set forth in such plans propose to decrease the hills or inclines at least twenty per cent. of the original incline.

SEC. 15. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in effect from and after its publication in The Register and Leader and The Des Moines News, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments as amended?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boc, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—42.

The nays were:

Doran—1.

Absent or not voting:

Foster, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Thomas, Voorhees—7.

So the House amendments as amended were declared concurred in.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the title by inserting in line 10 after the figures "1527-s-14" the words and figures "Supplement to the Code, 1913,". Also by inserting after the figures "1527-s-12" in line 11 the words and figures "Supplement to the Code, 1913,".

Adopted.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor, stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 395, 436, 393, 455, 602, 379 and 336.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Chase called up for consideration the motion filed by him on April 2nd, page 1228 of the Journal, to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 5 was indefinitely postponed, and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

On the motion to reconsider, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Fellows, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—28.

The nays were:

Balkema, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Heald, Kimball, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Wilson—13.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Foster, Grout, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Quigley, Voorhees—9.

Motion prevailed.

The report of the committee was rejected.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 5, a bill for an act to repeal section 2151 of the code relative to the transportation of railroad commissioners and enact a substitute therefor, was taken up and considered.

Senator Chase moved the adoption of the following amendment by the committee on railroads:

"Amend section 1 by inserting after the word 'railroads,' in the fourth line thereof, a comma ','"

Adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Chase invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Larrabee, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—23.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Darrah, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, White of Iowa, Wilson—20.

Absent or not voting:

Eversmeyer, Enger, Foster, Frailey, Laffer, Parker, Quigley—7.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 107, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred and twenty-three (1323) of the code, 1897, relating to the

assessment for taxation of shares of corporation stock and to prevent duplicate assessment of corporation property.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has failed to pass the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 315, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred eighty-ten a (2480-10 a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone systems in mines.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the Commissioner of Insurance.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 592, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the Board of Supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of the said Board of Supervisors in making payments in accordance with the said resolution.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended by striking out the enacting clause, the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 327, a bill for an act authorizing counties containing not less than 20 square miles of lake surface to issue bonds for not more than sixty thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing and maintain-

ing a public highway around such lakes; authorizing levy of tax to meet interest on said bonds and for payment of said bonds; authorizing construction of said highway under supervision of the State Highway Commission; providing for use of a portion of the funds placed at the disposition of said Commission in construction of said highway, and directing payment to such county for use in construction of said highway, of proceeds in state treasury arising from sale of lake beds situated within such county.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 552, a bill for an act to declare personal property taxes a lien upon such property and to further provide for the collection of such taxes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 588, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a 16 (254-a 16), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the method of procedure in juvenile court proceedings.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 614, a bill for an act to amend sections eighteen hundred forty-five (1845) and eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851) of the code, and eighteen hundred fifty (1850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to savings banks, and to provide that the provisions of sections eighteen hundred forty-seven (1847), eighteen hundred forty-nine (1849), eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851), eighteen hundred fifty-three (1853), eighteen hundred fifty-four (1854), and eighteen hundred fifty-six (1856) of the code, and sections eighteen hundred forty-eight (1848) and eighteen hundred fifty-two (1852), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to savings banks, shall be applicable to state banks and be additional to title nine (9), chapter eleven (XI), of the code and the amendments thereto.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 635, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts and the number of judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial district.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

MOTION FOR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Wilson offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, on the 2d day of March, 1915, General Cyrus Bussey, former member of the State Senate of Iowa, died at his home in Washington, D. C.,

AND WHEREAS, during the years of his active life, he was a wise legislator, a gallant soldier and a splendid citizen.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the President appoint a committee of three Senators to draft resolution of respect to the memory of General Bussey.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Wilson, Taylor and Thompson.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO JOINT SESSION.

Senator Allen offered the following concurrent resolution:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that a joint convention of the General Assembly be held on Friday, April 16th, at 12 o'clock, noon, in the Chamber of the House of Representatives, for the purpose of electing a state printer and a state binder in compliance with the provisions of Section 117 of the Code.

By unanimous consent the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator White of Iowa, House File No. 630, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Iowa City, Iowa, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator White of Iowa moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Clarkson, Crist, Enger, Foster, Frailey, Laffer, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 243, a bill for an act regulating the sale of live stock remedies and stock foods; defining the same; providing for the labeling, registration and inspection of the same; providing for affixing of labels and a means of identification of registration license and inspection; providing for an inspection fee and its collection; prohibiting the sale of fraudulent, injurious, deleterious and adulterated remedies and stock foods; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and repealing laws in conflict therewith, was taken up and considered.

By unanimous consent Senator Kimball withdrew Senate File No. 243 from further consideration by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House File No. 280, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty-one (881), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, including cities under special charter and cities acting under commission form of government, necessary to control streams and surface waters flowing into sewers, for sewer outlets, garbage, disposal plant, sewage disposal plant and dump grounds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thompson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Föster, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley, White of Iowa—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent Senator Allen withdrew Senate File No. 309 from further consideration by the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO POLYGAMY.

Senator Taylor called up for consideration House Concurrent Resolution recommending an amendment to the constitution of the United States concerning polygamy, with report of the committee on federal relations recommending passage.

Senator Caswell raised the point of order that the Senate had already considered a like measure and that the consideration of this resolution was out of order.

Point of order held not well taken.

On the adoption of the resolution a roll call was demanded.

Senator Taylor invoked rule 8.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—16.

Absent or not voting:

Fleck, Foster, Kimball, Laffer—4.

This resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Taylor moved that the vote by which the resolution was adopted be reconsidered and that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 408, a bill for an act providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, this act being additional to title V, of the Code, and all amendments thereto.

Also:

House File No. 329, a bill for an act to amend section sixteen hundred sixty (1660), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the purchase of real estate by the Board of Supervisors for county fair purposes.

Also:

House File No. 127, a bill for an act giving legislative assent to the purposes of the congressional act of May 8, 1914, providing for co-operative extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the act of Congress approved July 2, 1862, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States department of agriculture.

Also:

House File No. 462, a bill for an act relating to the equipment of street cars and maintenance of toilet facilities for street car employes, amendatory of section seven hundred sixty-eight (768); supplement to the Code, 1913, and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions.

Also:

House File No. 485, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the limitation of the number of saloons in cities and towns acting under special charter.

Also:

House File No. 610, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the Code, 1913, in relation to the amount of insurance to be required on improvements included in loans made by insurance companies.

Also:

House File No. 495, a bill for an act relating to insurance, providing for the supervision and examination of insurance rating bureaus by the commissioner of insurance; providing for an inspection and survey by such bureaus of all insurance risks specifically rated; requiring insurance concerns to adopt insurance bureau ratings; or to maintain or co-operate in maintaining and operating insurance rate making bureaus; authorizing a hearing upon and review of the rates fixed by any such bureau for insurance upon property within the state of Iowa; prohibiting discrimination in fixing and collecting insurance rates, and also rebates of premiums paid under such rates, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act.

Also:

House File No. 395, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-h (2341-h), supplement to the Code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend section twenty three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g), twenty-three hundred forty-one-i (2341-i), twenty three hundred forty-one-k (2341-k), twenty three hundred forty-one-m (2341-m), twenty three hundred forty-one-o (2341-o), and twenty three hundred forty-one-q (2341-q), all relating to the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept for public service.

Also:

House File No. 484, a bill for an act to amend sections one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a-52-f (1989-a-52-f) and one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a-52-d (1989-a-52-d) supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the powers, duties, etc., of trustees in the matter of expenditure of funds for levees, ditches, drains, etc., and further relating to the filling of vacancies in office of trustees.

Also:

House File No. 517, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section seven hundred fifty-eight (758), of the Code, sections seven hundred fifty-eight-a (758-a), seven hundred fifty-eight-d (758-d), and seven hundred fifty-eight-e (758-e), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

House File No. 564, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirty-six (836) supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 606, a bill for an act to amend sections fifteen hundred seventy-one-m two (1571-m2), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m five (1571-m5), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m six (1571-m6), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m fifteen (1571-m15), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m seven (1571-m7), and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m twelve (1571-m12), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles, was taken up and considered.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 11:55 a. m.

Further consideration deferred.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 462, 307, 429, 283, 315, 342, 345, 504, 408, 484, 495, 395, 610, 329, 485, 564, 517 and 127.

SENATE AND HOUSE FILES RETURNED.

Senator Parker, from the committee on corporations, returned to the Senate, House File No. 358 and same was referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Balkema, from the committee on highways, returned to the Senate, Senate File No. 604 and same was referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Allen, from the committee on ways and means, returned to the Senate, Senate File No. 603 and House Files Nos. 397, 444 and same were referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Perkins, from the committee on telegraphs and telephones, returned to the Senate, House File No. 438 and same was referred to the sifting committee.

Senator Robinson, from the committee on board of control, returned to the Senate, House File No. 461 and same was referred to the sifting committee.

Senator White of Benton moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 1:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 606, a bill for an act to amend sections fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-two (1571-m-2), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-six (1571-m-6), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-fifteen (1571-m-15), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-seven (1571-m-7), and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-twelve (1571-m-12), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles,

Senator Eversmeyer offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill as follows: Strike out section 6 and renumber the remaining sections.

Adopted.

Senator Chase submitted the following letter and asked that same be printed in the journal:

HON. D. C. CHASE,

SENATE CHAMBER.

DEAR SIR—I have understood that I have been quoted as favoring the passage of Senate File No. 606, for an act to amend the present automobile laws of this state. This is a mistake, as in my opinion this bill, if enacted into law, would result in loss of revenue to the state besides making it necessary to employ much more additional help to carry out its provisions.

This Senate File, as I am informed, is the same as a House bill which lately passed the House.

R. M. WILLIAMS,

Chief Clerk Automobile Department.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. 3 of the printed bill as follows: Strike out of line 11 the words "and is so reported".

Adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out of line 11 the words and figures "March 1st" and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures "April 1st".

Adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out of line 12 the words and figures "April 1st" and substituting the words and figures "May 1st".

Adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out of line 12 the words and figures "April 1st" and substituting the words and figures "May 1st".

Adopted.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out lines 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42.

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by inserting the following section between sections 6 and 7, numbering same as section 7 and renumbering sections of the bill.

Amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 14 (1571-m 14) of the supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto the following:

"The Secretary of State shall furnish to each dealer registering, blanks to be by him used in notifying the Secretary of State of each car by him sold and it shall be the duty of the dealer so selling to forthwith fill out said blank showing the name and address of the purchaser, date when sold, make of car sold, and the factory number thereof and forward same by mail to said Secretary of State."

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 5 in line 3 by inserting after the word "who" a period and inserting the following after said period "any person".

Amend the bill by striking out section 6 thereof.

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 606 by inserting following the word "collected" in line 18 of section three (3) the words "by him".

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I also move to amend said section three (3) by inserting after the period at the end of line 28 the following: "Immediately upon collecting any license fee, the said county attorney shall execute to the party paying same a receipt therefor showing name of person paying the amount thereof and a general description of the car upon which paid, giving make of car and factory number and the person so paying same may forward said receipt to the Secretary of State with his application for registration and the Secretary of State shall thereupon register said car, charging the county attorney so issuing said receipt with the amount thereof, proper credit to be made when remittance is made by said county attorney."

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend line 34 of section three (3) by striking out the words "On March 1st" and substituting therefor the following: "On or before March 31st."

Amendment withdrawn.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Sec. 7 by inserting after the figures "1571-m 15" in line one the words and figures "supplement to the code, 1913."

Adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

President Harding resumed the chair at 2:00 p. m.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—31.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Doran, Enger, Foster, Frailey, Hilsinger, Lindly, Nye, Taylor, Thompson, Wilson—12.

Absent or not voting:

Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley, White of Iowa—7.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment to the title to Senate File No. 606 and moved its adoption:

Amend the title by adding thereto after the figures 1571-m 6, the following: "and section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m fourteen (1571-m 14)"

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 98, a bill for an act to authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, delinquents or defectives.

Also:

House File No. 422, a bill for an act to provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval.

Also :

House File No. 446, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred seventy-eight (578) of the Code, relative to the posting of the statement of receipts and expenditures by the township clerk.

Also :

House File No. 317, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings and the special election held in the incorporated town of Hinton, Iowa, on the 7th day of July, 1914.

Also :

House File No. 365, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in Chapter nineteen-b (19-b) of title twelve (12) supplement to the Code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor to prevent the procreation of the insane, idiots, imbeciles and feeble-minded.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator White of Benton, Senate File No. 218, a bill for an act to encourage the dairy industry and beef cattle growing industries of the state of Iowa and to aid in providing instruction in practical and scientific methods and making an appropriation therefor, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator White of Benton moved the adoption of the following amendments :

By inserting after the word "president" in line three of section three the words "and secretary" and striking from lines four and five in said section three the words "the President of the Iowa State Buttermakers' Association,"

Adopted.

Senator White of Benton moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Hen-

igbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Jones, Parker, Quigley, Thompson—7.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Gillette, Helmer, Hilsinger, Laffer, Perkins, Schrup, Voorhrees, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foskett, House File No. 464, a bill for an act to create a department in the office of commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics for the purpose of providing free public employment, with report of committee on appropriations recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage moved the adoption of the following amendments:

By striking out the word "department" in the first line of the title and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "Free Employment Bureau" and by striking out all of the title following the word "statistics" in the title.

Also amend Section One of the bill by striking out all of line four following the word "department" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "to be called The State Free Employment Bureau".

Also by striking out of line 6 and 7 in Section 2 the words "such of the newspapers of the state as in his judgment is desirable, and also to".

Also by striking out of line 24 of Section 2 the words "charged or".

Adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Enger, Frailey, Gillette, Hilsinger, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Thomas, White of Benton—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator White of Benton, House File No. 213, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of a sewer system and for the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa State Fair and Exposition grounds, and to make appropriation therefor, with report of committee on appropriations recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator White of Benton moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Farr, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Voorhees, White of Iowa—10.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Laffer, Thomas, Thompson—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, House File No. 353, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the inspection of petroleum as the same appears in chapter 11, title XII, supplement to the code, 1913, and making an annual appropriation for the Oil

Inspection Department, with report of committee on appropriations recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator [redacted] moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered [redacted] engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed. The bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimba, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Laffer, Parker, Ream, Thomas—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Heald, Senate File No. 276, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in sections 4999-a31, 4999-a 31c, 4999-a 31e and 4999-a 31f, supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee on appropriations recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 2:50 p. m.

Senator Heald moved the adoption of the substitute for the original bill.

Adopted.

President Harding resumed the chair at 3:00 p. m.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrarh, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimabee, Nye, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Lindly, Quigley—2.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Hageman, Jaer, Henigbaum, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Thompson, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foskett, Senate File No. 234, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section 2575-a 52, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, making annual appropriations for carrying on the work of the State Entomologist, with report of committee on appropriations recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett moved the adoption of the report of the committee on horticulture and forestry.

Adopted.

Senator Foskett moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out the words and figures "Eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8500.00)" in lines six (6) and seven (7) of section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00)", and that the same be referred to the committee on appropriations.

Adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Enger, Foster, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Laffer, Ream—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 632, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, in fixing the salary of the mayor and council of said city, was taken up and considered.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Taylor—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 631, a bill for an act making appropriation of funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the interstate commerce commission and intrastate cases and service, was taken up and considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 631 by adding thereto the following:

SECTION 2. The board of railroad commissioners shall, as hereinafter provided, ascertain as soon as possible upon taking effect of this act the fair value of each railroad in this state. And the commission is hereby authorized at all times to keep up the valuation of the properties herein provided for, and all companies included in this act are required to furnish to the commission on the 30th day of June of each year, and at such other times as the commission may require, a detailed statement showing changes in the condition of its properties in this state and the elements of cost entering into such changes for both debits and credits of such property, and the distribution of the debits and credits whether charged to operating or capital account.

SECTION 3. In connection with the aforesaid work the commission is hereby required to make a separate report, so far as practicable, on each of the following subjects:

(a) The original cost of all of the physical property of each railroad and, if the commission deems it necessary in the ascertainment of such original cost, it may investigate and report upon the history and organization of the present and of any previous corporation or company operating or owning such property.

(b) The value of any aid, gift, grant of right of way or donation made to any such railroad company or to any previous corporation operating or owning such property; the value of all grants of land to any such company or any previous corporation operating or owning such property, and the amount of money derived from the sale of any portion of such grants and the value of the unsold portion of any concession or allowance made by any such common carrier to the government of the United States or to any state, county or municipal government in consideration of such aid, gift, grant or donation; .

(c) The value of all property owned or used by any company for its purposes as a common carrier separate from the value of any physical properties not necessary nor used by the company as a common carrier;

(d) The cost of reproduction new of all property owned or used by any company for its purpose as a common carrier;

(e) The cost of reproduction new, less depreciation, of all property owned or used by any company for its purpose as a common carrier;

- (f) The original cost of construction;
- (g) The present as compared with the original cost of construction;
- (h) The amount expended in permanent improvements;
- (i) The amount and market value of its bonds and stocks;
- (j) The fair value of the property of each company used by it as a common carrier;
- (k) And the commission may ascertain separately other values and elements of value, if any, of the property of such common carrier;
- (l) The original cost and present value of the property held for purposes other than of a common carrier.

SEC. 4. The commission is authorized and empowered to require any railroad company in this state to furnish any information necessary in making a valuation of their property, and it shall be the duty of all such companies to furnish to the commission such information, sworn to by its proper officers, as the railroad commission shall require; and the information so required shall be furnished in the manner and within the time prescribed by said commission.

SEC. 5. If any railroad company shall refuse or fail to make any report or furnish any information, sworn to by its proper officers, as required and in the time required by the commission, it shall for every such failure, violation or refusal forfeit to the state of Iowa a sum not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), such forfeiture to be collected as provided by law.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of the railroad commission to include in its annual report for the year in which the valuation herein provided for shall be begun, a statement of the plan and the procedure adopted by the commission and a statement of the progress in the work provided for in this act, and the annual report for each succeeding year shall contain a report of work done under this act together with any recommendations.

SEC. 7. When the commission shall have found the valuation of any property as provided in this act it shall notify the company or the owners of such property of their finding and shall set a time not less than thirty nor more than ninety days from date of notice that they may appear and show cause why such valuation as found by the commission should be raised or lowered or amended or changed in any particular; and the commission, after such showing, shall have power to make such amendment or change if the evidence is sufficient to warrant so doing.

SEC. 8. The railroad commission is hereby authorized to employ such agents, experts and other help as it shall need in ascertaining the physical valuation and in verifying the reports, documents and data provided for in this act, and all expense incurred by the commission in carrying out the purposes of this act shall be audited and paid for out of the money appropriated therefor.

SEC. 9. The agents and experts employed by the commission shall have power to administer oaths, examine witnesses and to take testimony.

SEC. 10. Every common carrier subject to the provisions of this act shall furnish to the commission or its agents from time to time as may be required, maps, profiles, contracts, reports of engineers and any other documents, records and papers or copies of any or all of the same in aid of such investigation and determination of the value of the property of said common carrier, and shall grant to all agents of the commission free access to its right of way, its property and its accounts, records and memoranda whenever and wherever requested by the commission or any of its duly authorized agents, and every common carrier is hereby directed and required to co-operate with and aid the commission in the work of the valuation of its property in such further particulars and to such extent as the commission may require and direct, and all rules and regulations made by the commission for the purpose of administering the provisions of this act shall have the force and effect of law.

SEC. 11. The commission shall have power to prescribe rules and methods of procedure to be followed in the investigation and valuation provided for herein; and it shall prescribe the form in which the results of the valuation shall be submitted and the classification of the elements that constitute the ascertained value and such investigation shall show the value of the property of every common carrier in the state of Iowa.

SEC. 12. The commission is further authorized and directed to carefully check all figures submitted by the railway companies to the interstate commerce commission affecting the citizens of this state in connection with the national appraisal, and attend, or be represented, at all hearings and conferences before the said interstate commerce commission, or any department thereof, where basic issues involved in said national appraisal are presented for discussion and decision, and to offer such evidence or argument, either oral or written, as the Iowa commission may deem necessary affecting said issues; and the commission is hereby empowered to employ special counsel or experts, as it may deem necessary, for the purpose of performing duties herein specified.

SEC. 13. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, the same to be expended by the state railroad commission in making and reporting a valuation of all railroad properties in the state of Iowa in accordance with this act.

Senator Thomas offered the following amendment to the amendment and moved its adoption:

An itemized accounting in detail shall be rendered to the executive council of all sums of money expended under this act and said expenditures audited by the executive council.

Adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that further consideration be deferred until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 258, a bill for an act to provide means for perfecting, registering and transferring titles to real estate, to be known as the "Torrens Land Title System".

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following Joint Resolution, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House Joint Resolution No. 11, joint resolution approving plans and specifications for buildings and improvements at the state hospital and colony for epileptics at Woodward, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the state institution for inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 583, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 585, a bill for an act making an appropriation for extra clerical assistance and help in the office of the secretary of state.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 273, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Hospital for Inebriates, Penitentiary and Reformatory.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House is returning Senate File 516 as requested by the Senate.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 249, a bill for an act granting to cities and towns power to regulate the installation and inspection of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparatus: to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted under this act.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 386, a bill for an act to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiaries.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 570, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty (880) of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 533, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, and their indigent wives, widows, and their minor children, and the erection or maintenance of monuments or memorial halls for soldiers and sailors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended by striking out the enacting clause of the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 419, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419) of the code, and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 491, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 584, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eighth (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contests.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 235, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 605, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-four (2584) of the code; and to repeal sections twenty-five hundred eighty-seven (2587) and twenty-five hundred eighty-nine-a (2589-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to provide an appropriation for reciprocal arrangements, all relating to the practice of pharmacy.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Amend Section Twenty-eight Hundred Thirty-one (2831, Supplement to the Code, 1913, and to Provide Certain Penalties.

Amend Senate File No. 190 by striking out everything following the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Amend section 2831, supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto the following: 'Provided, however, that in every county not having adopted a uniform series of text books there shall be submitted to the voters at the regular school election in March, 1916, and every five (5) years thereafter the question whether the county shall adopt a uniform system of school text books. It shall be unlawful for any school book house, firm or corporation or their representatives in any way to interfere or attempt to interfere or to exert influence in any manner upon the voters in any county either in favor of or against the adoption of county uniformity. Any person or persons found guilty of such an act shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00)'."

1. By striking out the capital letter "T" in the word "The" at the beginning of Paragraph A of section 1 of the bill and inserting a small letter "t" in lieu thereof, and by inserting immediately preceding the said word "the" the following:

"In all counties in which county uniformity has been adopted or approved under the provisions of this Act."

2. By striking out the capital letter "T" in the word "the" in the beginning of Paragraph B, section 1, and inserting a small letter "t" in lieu thereof and by inserting immediately preceding said word "the" the following:

"In all counties in which county uniformity has been adopted or approved under the provisions of this act."

3. By striking out the word "January" wherever the same appears in section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "April".

4. By striking from sub-division C of section 1 all the words following the word "counties" and preceding the words "said county board of Education" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"In which county uniformity is adopted or approved under the provisions of this act."

5. By inserting between the word "adopted" and the word "yes" in the second sentence of section 3 the words "or approved".

6. By striking out the word "his" before the word "duty" in section 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "its".

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Farr, Grout, Parker, Quigley—5.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball,

Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whittmore, Wilson—38.

Absent or not voting:

Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Jackson, Laffer, Savage, Taylor—7.

So the Senate refused to concur in House amendments.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Crist, House File No. 243, a bill for an act making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being injured by the falling of a building on the fair grounds, at Des Moines, Iowa, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend Section 1 by striking out all after the word "manner" in line 7 and inserting the following: "the Executive Council of the State of Iowa shall have charge of and disburse the appropriation herein provided, as follows: the said Executive Council shall at once pay and discharge the mortgage encumbrance existing upon the homestead of the said deceased, Louis D. Bruner, and shall pay to the widow of said deceased the remainder of this appropriation except \$1,000.00. On July 1st, 1916, the Executive Council shall pay to the said Viola Bruner, if alive, the sum of \$500.00, and if she is not living, said payments towards the support of the said minor children of the deceased. On July 1st, 1917, there shall be paid to said Viola Bruner or to said children or for their use and benefit the remainder of the appropriation made herein together with any interest accumulated thereon."

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Francis, Gillette, Jackson, Laffer, Taylor, Voorhees, Wilson—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessarily expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Read first and second time.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend Senate File No. 98 by striking out the word "it" following the comma in the second line of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"the county auditor shall appoint three disinterested appraisers who shall appraise the damages sustained by the land owners through whose land said proposed right of way extends and who shall within ten days make return of their appraisal to the county auditor, and the board"; and by adding to said bill the following section:

"SECTION 9. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines News, and The Denison Review, newspapers published in the state of Iowa."

Senator Balkema moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees—15.

So the House amendments were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 249, a bill for an act granting to cities and towns power to license and regulate electricians and electrical contractors and power to regulate the installation of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparati, and appliances on and in all buildings, tents, and other structures in the state of Iowa excepting such central stations, sub-stations, and power houses belonging to and operated by public utility companies operating under state or city charters and franchises for the prevention of damage to life and property caused by fire due to defective wiring, to determine the qualifications and provide for the examination thereof; to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted under this act, and to provide for a state electric inspector to be under the jurisdiction of the office of the state fire marshal, and prescribe his duties and jurisdiction under the authority granted in this act.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend the title to Senate File 249 by striking out the words "Power to license and regulate electricians and electrical contractors and" in the first and second lines of said title.

Amend by striking out all following the enacting clause and insert the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. Cities and towns, including cities acting under commission form of government and cities acting under special charter, shall

have power to prescribe rules and regulations for the installation of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances, and electrical work and materials; to provide for the inspection of such work, materials, and the manner of installation; to compel the removal of dangerous electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances and electrical work hereafter installed in violation of the manner prescribed, and to impose penalties within the limits of section 680 of the code for a violation of the ordinances enacted hereunder. Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to substations, central power stations and power houses, and the installations in such substations, central power stations, and power houses belong to and operated by public utility companies operating under state charters and franchises.

Amend by adding thereto the following: "Provided that the provisions of this act shall not apply to sub-stations, central power stations and power houses, and the installations in such sub-stations, central power stations and power houses, belong to and operated by public utility companies operating under state or city charters and franchises".

Senator Kimball moved the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Crist, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Helmer, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Robinson, Taylor, Voorhees—15.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 185, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities of the second class and towns, a levy for road purposes.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend by striking out of title the words "cities of the second class and towns" and insert in lieu thereof the words "cities and towns of less than 8,000".

Amend Senate File 185 by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. City and town councils, in cities having a population of less than eight thousand, (8,000), and towns, may, at the time of levying taxes for other purposes, levy a tax of not more than one mill on the dollar of the taxable value of such city or town, which shall be used for dragging the roads or streets of such city or town, and for no other purpose.

Senator Balkema moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

Lindly, Quigley—2.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Laffer, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees—11.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Whitmore, House File No. 478, a bill for an act to amend title twenty-four (XXIV), chapter eleven (11), of the code, 1897, relating to offences against public policy, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Whitmore moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Foster, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Laffer, Lindly, Savage, Schrup, Voorhees, Wilson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 13, title twelve, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the Dairy and Food Commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter, with report of committee on appropriations recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. That all that part of section two thousand five hundred fifteen (2515), supplement to the code, 1913, following the colon in the tenth line thereof, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

On or before the first day of April, 1916, and every four years thereafter, the governor shall appoint a dairy and food commissioner, who shall have practical knowledge of and experience in the manufacture of dairy products, who shall hold his office for four years from the first day of May following his appointment, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, subject to removal by the governor for inefficiency, neglect or violation of duty. He shall give bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties, with sureties to be approved by and filed with

the secretary of state. He shall keep on hand a supply of standard 18 gram 10% milk bottles, 9 gram 50% cream bottles, 17.6 cc pipettes and nine gram test weights adapted for use by each milk testing machine. He shall furnish to any firm or corporation desiring the same one such weight, bottle, and pipette for each factory, of the kind adapted for the machine operated therein, upon request therefor, placing thereon the letters "D. C." as a permanent mark; the weights, bottles and pipettes to be furnished at the actual cost thereof. He shall have and keep an office at the capitol and preserve therein all correspondence, documents, records, and all property of the state pertaining thereto, and shall have authority to take all proper educational measures to foster and promote the manufacture and sale of pure food and dairy products. The commissioner shall be allowed necessary postage, stationery, and office supplies, and shall receive an annual salary of twenty-seven hundred dollars and necessary expenses, which shall not exceed four thousand five hundred dollars per year including expenses, such expenses to be itemized, verified by him, and when examined and approved by the executive council, to be paid by warrant of the state auditor drawn upon the state treasurer. The commissioner may appoint a deputy commissioner at a salary of \$1,800 per year, and a state dairy inspector at a salary of \$1,600 per year. He may also appoint, with the approval of the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the director of the Iowa Experiment Station and the professor of dairying, six assistants at a salary of sixteen hundred dollars per year, who shall perform such duties as may be assigned to them by the commissioner. Such deputy, dairy inspector and assistants shall be allowed in addition to their salaries, actual and necessary traveling expenses, when in the performance of their official duties, said expenses to be itemized, verified under oath, and when audited and approved by the executive council to be paid upon warrant of the state auditor upon the state treasurer provided that such expenditure shall not exceed the appropriation made for this purpose. The commissioner shall with the approval of the executive council appoint a state chemist, who shall be an expert analytical, food and pharmaceutical chemist, who shall be the chief chemist of the dairy and food department. He shall devote his whole time to the duties of such office and he shall receive a salary of twenty-four hundred dollars per year. The commissioner may also appoint an assistant chemist at a salary not exceeding \$1,800 per year. The chief chemist and his assistant shall make all the examinations necessary in enforcing the provisions of the various laws enforced by the dairy and food department, shall be allowed actual and necessary traveling expenses, and shall be furnished necessary laboratory, apparatus, supplies and chemicals, to be paid for in the same manner as the accounts of assistants. All salaries of officials provided in this section shall be paid in the same manner as the salaries of other state officers. The commissioner shall during his term of office hold no other official position or any professorship in any state educational institution, and on or before the first day of November he shall make

annual report to the governor, which shall contain a detailed account of all his doings as commissioner and the receipts and disbursements of his office since the preceding report, with such facts and statistics in regard to the production, manufacture and sale of dairy and food products, with such suggestions, as he may regard of public importance in connection therewith. In the conduct of his office, he shall have power to issue subpoenas for witnesses, enforce their attendance and examine them under oath by him to be administered, such witnesses to be allowed fees as in justice courts, to be paid by the commissioner as part of the expenses of his office and do such other acts and things as are necessary and proper in the enforcement of the various laws enforced by the Dairy and Food Commissioner."

Further amend by striking out all of section two (2).

Amend section three (3) by numbering section three (3) as section two (2). Amend section four (4) by numbering section four (4) as section three (3). Amend section five by numbering section five (5) as section four four (4). Amend section six (6) by numbering section six (6) as section five (5) and by striking from line nineteen (19) of said section the following: "\$10" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five dollars". Also amend section seven (7) by numbering section seven (7) as section six (6); also amend section eight (8) by numbering section eight (8) as section seven (7); also amend section nine (9) by numbering section nine (9) as section eight (8) and by striking from line six (6) of said section the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four". Also amend section ten (10) by number section ten (10) as section nine (9) and by striking from line three (3) the words "Daily Capital" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "News".

Adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Francis, Henigbaum, Quigley, Schrup, Thompson—7.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Boe, Clarkson, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Voorhees—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Committee on Retrenchment and Reform, Senate File No. 637, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-seven (2575-a7) and twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-nine (2575-a9), chapter sixteen-a (16-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the bacteriological laboratory.

Read first and second time and placed on Calendar.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 103, a bill for an act amending chapter 2-A of title six of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to primary elections and nominations of candidates for office and the election of the delegates to various party conventions and the regulation of such party conventions, the selection of committeemen, the filing of nomination papers, the preparation and form of the primary ballot and the count and canvass of the vote at such election and the certification thereof; provision for deciding a tie vote and for vacancy in nomination and for repeal of sections in conflict therewith, with report of sifting committee recommending the adoption of a substitute and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following substitute for the original bill.

A BILL FOR AN ACT Amending Chapter Two-a (2-a) of Title Six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, and Relating to Primary Elections; Nominations of Candidates for Office, Including Electors of President and Vice President of the United States and Filing of Nomination Papers and Form of Ballot.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by amending Section ten hundred eighty-seven-a one (1087-a 1) as follows:

By striking out of said section, beginning with the words "except candidates" in the third line down to and including "vice president of the

United States" in the sixth line and substituting therefor the following: "except such offices, if any, which are filled by direct vote at a non-partisan election or as is otherwise provided by law, and candidates for the office of senator of the United States."

SECTION 2. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the supplement to the Code, 1913, be and is hereby amended by striking out of section ten hundred eighty-seven-a4 (1087-a 4) all after and including the words "in the year 1912" beginning in the third line of said section and substituting therefor the following: "of each even numbered year for the nomination of candidates for such offices as are to be filled at the general election in November next ensuing, except such candidates for office as are under the law to be elected by non-partisan election or as are by special provision to be nominated by convention.

SECTION 3. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by substituting for section ten hundred eighty-seven-a ten (1087-a10) the following:

No candidate for an elective office or party committeeman shall have his name printed upon the official primary ballot of his party unless a nomination paper shall have been filed in his behalf or by him within the time and in the manner and having the requirements as hereinafter provided. All nomination papers shall consist of an affidavit signed by the candidate in form and substance as follows: I, being duly sworn, say that I reside at street, city (or town) of, county of, in the state of Iowa; that I am eligible to the place for which I am a candidate; that I affiliate with the party; that I am a candidate for, nomination or selection to be made at the next primary election and hereby request that my name be printed upon the official primary ballot as provided by law as a candidate of my said party. I furthermore declare that if I am nominated and elected I will qualify for said position.

Signed.....

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this..... day of....., 19....

(Official designation)

All candidates for office except candidates for a sub-division of a county and party committeemen shall file with or attach to the said affidavit and as a part of the nomination paper a petition in form and substance as follows:

I, the undersigned, a qualified elector of.....county, and state of Iowa and affiliated with the..... party, hereby petition for the nomination of..... ofcounty, state of Iowa, who has affiliated with my said party, as a candidate for the office of..... to be voted for at the next primary election, said petition shall consist of sheets of uniform size about eight and one-half by thirteen inches. No signature shall be counted unless they are on sheets each having such petition written or printed at the top thereof. Each

signer of a nomination petition shall sign but one such petition for the same office except where more than one officer is to be elected to the same office in which case he may sign as many nomination petitions as there are officers to be elected and only one candidate shall be petitioned for in the same nomination paper. Each signer of a nomination paper shall add his street and number and city or town or township and the date of signing. All signers of each sheet of a nomination petition shall reside in the same county and all sheets shall be laid one upon the other; those signed by persons of the same county being grouped together and all neatly, evenly and securely fastened together before filing and the whole shall be considered as one nomination petition only.

A nomination paper when filed shall not be withdrawn or added to nor any signature thereon revoked. The affidavit of a qualified elector other than a candidate shall be appended to each sheet of such nomination petition, stating that he is personally acquainted with all the persons who have signed the same; that he knows them to be electors of the county and believes them to be affiliated with the party named therein; and that he knows they signed the same with full knowledge of the contents thereof; that their respective residences are truly stated and that each signed on the date set opposite his name.

(1) The nomination paper of a candidate for a state office or United States senator shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state at least forty days prior to such primary election and shall be signed by at least one per centum of the voters of the party of such candidate in each of at least ten counties of the state, and in the aggregate not less than one-half of one per centum of the total vote of his party in the state, all as shown by the last general election.

(2) The nomination paper of a candidate for a representative in congress, senator in the general assembly or other officer in districts composed of more than one county shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state at least forty days prior to such primary election and shall be signed by at least two per centum of the voters of his party of such candidate in at least one-half of the counties of the district, and in the aggregate not less than one per centum of the total vote of his party in such districts, all as shown by the last general election.

(3) The nomination paper of a candidate for a number of the general assembly in districts composed of a single county shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state at least forty days prior to such primary election and shall be signed by at least two per centum of the voters of the party of such candidates in the county, as shown by the last general election.

(4) The nomination paper of a candidate for an office to be filled by the voters of the county or a subdivision of a county, and of committee-men shall be filed in the office of the county auditor at least thirty days prior to such primary election and the petition of officers elected by the voters of the whole county shall be signed by at least two per centum of the voters of the party of such candidates in the county, as shown by the last general election. In each of the above cases the vote to be taken for

the purpose of computing the percentage shall be the party vote cast for governor. All nomination papers shall be destroyed at the same time and in the manner in which the primary election ballots are destroyed.

SECTION 7. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by amending section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-five (1087-a 25) as follows:

By striking out the words "and shall nominate candidates for the office of judge of the district court in counties comprising one judicial district of the state" where the same appears in said section.

SECTION 8. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by substituting for sections ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-five-d (1087-a 25d) and ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-five-b (1087-a 25-b) the following:

Nothing in Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the supplement to the Code, 1913, as amended shall apply to the nomination of candidates for judge of the district, superior and supreme courts while special provision of statute exists for non-partisan judicial nominations and elections of such officers; provided, however, unless such non-partisan nomination and election is otherwise provided by statute such officers shall be nominated as follows: Where the judicial district is composed of a single county, judges of the district court shall be nominated at the primary election as county officers are nominated; judges of the superior court shall be nominated at the regular primary by the voters of the city, similarly as township officers are nominated. Where the judicial district is composed of more than one county the district judges shall be nominated by a district convention and judges of the supreme court shall be nominated by the same state convention nominating other state officers.

SECTION 9. That Chapter two-a (2-a) of Title six (6) of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, is hereby amended by amending Section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-seven (1087-a 27) as follows:

By inserting after the words "shall make nominations of the candidates for the party for" first appearing in said section the words "electors for president and vice president of the United States, and for"

Substitute adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read a second and third time on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Schrup, Tay-

lor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

Enger, Perkins—2.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Frailey, Gillette, Helmer, Hilsinger, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Voorhees—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Kimball, Senate File No. 113, a bill for an act to amend section 1099 of the code and sections 1106, 1150, 1151, 1157 and 1173 of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the election of presidential electors and of vote therefor and removal of the names from the official ballot, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendments:

That Section 2 of the bill be amended by adding thereto the following:— And by striking out in said Section 1106 "the form of ballot" after the words "said ballot shall be substantially in the following form" and substituting therefor the following:—

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<input type="checkbox"/> {	For Vice President Wm. Mitchell	<input type="checkbox"/> {	For Vice President A. L. Anderson
<input type="checkbox"/>	For U. S. Senator Arthur Jones	<input type="checkbox"/>	For U. S. Senator Samuel Morris
<input type="checkbox"/>	For Governor Allen Bowen of _____ county	<input type="checkbox"/>	For Governor George Hammill of _____ county
<input type="checkbox"/>	For Lieutenant Governor Charles Dallas of _____ county	<input type="checkbox"/>	For Lieutenant Governor Isaac Jones of _____ county
<input type="checkbox"/>	For Judge of Supreme Court Edward Farr of _____ county	<input type="checkbox"/>	For Judge of Supreme Court James Lane of _____ county

{ UNION LABOR
 For President
 Mitchell Cooley
 { For Vice President
 Chas. E. Chase
 For U. S. Senator
 Jacob Evans
 For Governor
 Martin Newlan
 of _____ county
 For Lieutenant Governor
 Oscar Prouty
 of _____ county
 For Judge of
 Supreme Court
 Robert Mills
 of _____ county

{ PROHIBITION
 For President
 A. L. Holt
 { For Vice President
 Silas Wigg
 For U. S. Senator
 Wm. Start
 For Governor
 Samuel Tilden
 of _____ county
 For Lieutenant Governor
 Eugene Vance
 of _____ county
 For Judge of
 Supreme Court
 Willard Marr
 of _____ county

That the bill be amended by adding thereto Section 7 as follows: That Section 1119 of the Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting after the word "vote" and before the words "the voter" in line three (3) of the said section the following:—But in voting for the candidates for electors of president and vice president he shall vote for the same by placing a cross in the square opposite the names of candidates for president and vice president of the party or group of petitioners of which the electors for whom he desires to vote are candidates.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

Enger, Perkins Quigley—3.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Helmer, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Savage, Sheean—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined, and find correctly enrolled, Senate File No. 272, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Library commission.

Also :

Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend sections three thousand nine-a to three thousand nine-r (3009-a 3009-r), supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand twenty-nine-a (3029-a), three thousand twenty-nine-b (3029-b), three thousand twenty-nine-c (3029-c), three thousand twenty-nine-d (3029-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Also :

Senate File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also :

Senate File No. 559, a bill for an act granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license and regulate so-called "jitney" busses, and all motor vehicles, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns, doing a business similar to that transacted by street railway companies.

Also :

Senate File No. 291, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined, and find correctly enrolled, Senate File No. 272, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa Library commission.

Also:

Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend sections three thousand nine-a to three thousand nine-r (3009-a 3009-r), supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand twenty-nine-a (3029-a), three thousand twenty-nine-b (3029-b), three thousand twenty-nine-c (3029-c), three thousand twenty-nine-d (3029-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith.

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H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Robinson, House File No. 626, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a twenty-six (1056-a26), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the appointment of police judges in cities of the first and second class, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Foster, Gillette, Hagemann, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 552, a bill for an act to declare personal property taxes a lien upon such property and to further provide for the collection of such taxes.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 588, a bill to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a 16 (254-a16) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the method of procedure in juvenile court proceedings.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 614, a bill for an act to amend sections eighteen hundred forty-five (1845) and eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851) of the code, and eighteen hundred fifty (1850), supplement to the code, 1915, relating to savings banks, and to provide that the provisions of sections eighteen hundred forty-seven (1847), eighteen hundred forty-nine (1849), eighteen hundred fifty-one (1851), eighteen hundred fifty-three (1853), eighteen hundred fifty-four (1854), and eighteen hundred fifty-six (1856), of the code, and sections eighteen hundred forty-eight (1848) and eighteen hundred

fifty-two (1852), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to savings banks, shall be applicable to state banks and be additional to title nine (9), chapter eleven (XI), of the code, and the amendments thereto.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 635, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to judicial districts and the number of judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial districts.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House File No. 258, a bill for an act to provide means for perfecting, registering and transferring titles to real estate to be known as the "Torrens Land Title System."

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 11, a joint resolution approving plans and specifications for buildings and improvements at the state hospital and colony for epileptics at Woodward, Iowa.

Read first and second time and referred to committee on appropriations.

Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the state institution for inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by adding to the fifth line of section one, after changing the period following the word "stated" to a comma, the following: "said money to be paid to R. K. Davis, Cashier of the Farmers National Bank, Oskaloosa, Iowa, for the use of W. D. Atchison.

Senator Ream moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey,

Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Foster, Gillette, Helmer, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean—11.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 264, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight-s, supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine by the commission of animal health, and prescribing the method of quarantine.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File No. 264 by adding after the comma (,) following the word "removed" in the tenth line of the printed bill, the words "for immediate slaughter only".

Senator Hilsinger moved that the Senate concur in House amendments:

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Helmer, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Voorhees—16.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 583, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry purposes for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by striking from section two (2) the attorneys' fees in lines twenty-one and twenty-two, also by striking out the words and figures \$337.45 wherever they appear in said bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words and \$137.45.

Senator Savage moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Enger, Foster, Gillette, Helmer, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean—13.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 584, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eighth (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said contests.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by striking from section two (2) lines 10 and 11 relating to attorney's fees, also the item of \$3.75 for meals, also striking out the words and figures (\$254.12) and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures (\$50.31).

Senator Savage moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Foster, Gillette, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean—14.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 491, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File No. 491 by striking from the first line of section 1 the words "injunction against or" and by striking out all of section 4.

Senator Hagemann moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee,

Nye, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Crist, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Shecan, Thomas, Thompson—17.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Perkins offered the following concurrent resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of Iowa, the House Concurring:

WHEREAS, the Supplement to the Code, 1913, of Senator Kimball has been taken from his desk and on a thorough examination by the sergeant at arms and the secretary of the Senate the same can not be found;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that Senator Kimball be furnished another copy of the Supplement to the Code, 1913.

By unanimous consent taken up, considered and adopted.

Report of the committee on retrenchment and reform:

TO THE THIRTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

After long, careful and painstaking investigation of the problems of state printing and binding, the committee reaches the conclusion that the chief source of loss and extravagance to the state is not in the price paid for printing and binding, but in the excessive quantity, in the lack of system in compiling and editing the reports and in the unnecessary duplication, particularly in the reports and documents issued by the various departments, bureaus, boards, commissions, etc. A remedy for this loss has been supplied in the passage of the committee's bill providing for a document editor whose duty it shall be to edit and condense and supervise the publication of all reports, documents, etc. This innovation is certain to very materially reduce the volume of many reports and lessen the aggregate quantity. It is anticipated that this one change will result in a saving to the state of \$28,000.00 annually.

In the matter of rates paid for printing and binding, the committee made thorough and careful investigation, consulting various authorities, including Mr. J. Frank Higgins, the state expert printer of Illinois, the heads of some of the largest printing and binding plants in Iowa, and others, and also at various times heard Mr. J. M. Pierce, publisher of The

Iowa Homestead, and Mr. Robert Henderson and J. W. Jameson, state printer and state binder, respectively.

Mr. Higgins testified before the committee that the contract system for state printing and binding had proven unsatisfactory in Illinois and that, including extras and special allowance granted under the contract system, the rates in Illinois are considerably above those paid by Iowa.

Mr. Pierce gave the committee some helpful suggestions and at the final hearing submitted a revision of the prices on the basis of which he stated that he was willing to enter into a contract to do all of the state printing and binding, if given a six-year contract on the expiration of the term of the present state printer and binder January 1, 1917, and which he estimated would effect a saving of \$10,000.00 per year, or \$20,000.00 for the period ending January 1, 1919, based on the present volume of business.

The committee, after having compiled information from various sources, also had prepared a proposed revision of the rates for printing and binding which it has now submitted in the form of a bill and which it referred to Mr. Paul, state expert accountant, with a request that he compile figures based on the business of the latest year available and showing the saving that would result from the adoption of the new schedule. Mr. Paul investigated and reported that the proposed rates would effect a saving of \$17,799.00 for the period ending January 1, 1919. This as compared with Mr. Pierce's estimated saving of \$20,000.00 for the same period, should the state be successful in awarding a contract on the basis of his figures at the expiration of the term of the present printer and binder, shows a difference of but \$2,200.00 for the four-year period ending January 1, 1919, or an average of \$550.00 per year. In view of the small difference that might result during that period and of the uncertain and unsatisfactory experience that other states have had with the contract system, and in view of the further fact that the present state printer and binder have agreed to accept the revised rates to become effective at once, conditional on their re-election, the committee deems it inadvisable at this time to make a change of system, but would recommend that the present state printer and binder be re-elected, that the new rate schedule be adopted, and that the matter be given still further consideration during the next biennial period with a view of working out a safe and fixed plan for state printing and binding. The adoption of the recommendations of the committee as to the revision of rates will, as set forth, effect a saving of \$17,799.00 for the period ending January 1, 1919, and the anticipated saving to result from the decreased volume in consequence of the work of the document editor of \$28,000.00 per year will make a probable saving of \$129,799.00 for the period ending January 1, 1919, if the committee's recommendations are adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. ALLEN,

Chairman,

Retrenchment and Reform Committee.

MINORITY REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM.

MR. PRESIDENT: The undersigned Senate members of the Retrenchment and Reform Committee dissenting from the action of the majority in reporting out a bill relating to the state binding and printing hereby submit the following minority report asking that the following bill be substituted therefor:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Repeal Section One Hundred Seventeen (117) of the Code and Sections One Hundred Thirty-eight (138) and One Hundred Forty-one (141), Supplement to the Code, 1913, and Providing in Lieu Thereof for the Abolishment of the Offices of State Printer and Binder and Empowering and Directing the Executive Council to Provide for the State Printing and Binding by Contract.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section one hundred seventeen (117) of the code and sections one hundred thirty-eight (138) and one hundred forty-one (141), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same are hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. That the office of state printer and state binder be and the same are hereby abolished.

SECTION 2. Prior to January 1, 1917, the Executive Council shall arrange to have the state printing and binding done by contract for an ensuing period of six years. Ten days notice of the letting of such contract shall be given by publication in two newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa, said publication to be made during the month of September, 1916. It shall ask for sealed bids for said printing and binding, and specify the time when said bid shall be received and opened. The award for said printing and binding contract shall be made to the lowest responsible bidder.

SECTION 3. This act shall not become effective as to the abolishment of the office of state printer and state binder until January 1, 1917.

JOHN C. VOORHEES.

N. J. SCHEUP.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files 289, 272, 282, 291, and 559.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 98, 422, 446, 317 and 365.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent Senator Crist withdrew Senate File No. 352 from further consideration by the Senate.

CORRECTION OF JOURNAL.

Journal of April 14th was taken up, corrected and approved.

RESOLUTION FOR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Parker offered the following resolution:

Be It Resolved, That the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three (3) to draft proper resolutions commemorating the life and services to the state of the Hon. Benj. F. Allen, now deceased, formerly a member of the Senate of the state of Iowa.

By unanimous consent taken up, considered and adopted.

President appointed as such committee Senators Parker, Henigbaum and Quigley.

Senator Foskett moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 7:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 16, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9:30 a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Frank H. Gamel, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Spirit Lake, Iowa.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Senator Taylor presented a petition of citizens of Van Buren and Jefferson counties, urging passage of the resolution memorializing Congress to adjust parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

Senator Henigbaum presented a petition of citizens of Scott county, urging passage of the resolution memorializing Congress to adjust parcel post rates.

Referred to sifting committee.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House insists upon amendments to Senate File 190 and names as conference committee: Anderson of Montgomery, Tucker of Clinton, Miller of Bremer and Crozier of Marion.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 551, a bill for an act to amend section 254-a20, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to financial aid given to the widowed mother of dependent or neglected children.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 409, a bill for an act amending paragraph two (2), section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of cities to levy taxes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Secretary.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 149, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws becoming effective by publication.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 37, a bill for an act enabling Mrs. C. C. Platner, and Mrs. George Wilson to share in the policeman's pension fund of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 488, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 608, a bill for an act confirming the title of Margaret Murphy to certain meandered lands in section number twenty (20), township number ninety-seven (97), north of range number thirty-five (35), west of the fifth (5th) Principal Meridian, in Clay county, Iowa, and authorizing and directing the issuance of a patent therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 254, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409), of the code relating to the certification of taxes to another county, and enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 563, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred and thirty-four-c (2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has failed to pass the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 325, a bill for an act providing for the protection and safety of persons employed in or being about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts, and other structures, providing means for the enforcement of said act, and providing penalties for violations of its provisions.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 341, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 413, a bill for an act relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 295, a bill for an act providing punishment for making false charges concerning the honesty of employes.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 139, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 262, a bill for an act to safeguard water supplies to prevent the discharge of sewage or the deposit of garbage into lakes, ponds, natural or artificial depressions or reservoirs, rivers or other water courses or upon land subject to overflow; to provide a plan for enabling cities and towns to provide sewage treatment for existing sewer systems, and to provide for the supervision, direction and care of sanitary installations.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 532, a bill for an act to amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject, as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 304, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa Soldiers' Home.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 527, a bill for an act to punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate than two per cent per month, and to provide a penalty therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendment to House amendment to Senate File No. 567, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Savage offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House is required to remain at the Capitol and perform their respective duties as such for a period of six days after the close of the session of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly; that they be permitted to select four each of their respective assistants who shall remain for a period of four days; the postmistress and mail carrier shall each remain two days; for the purpose of reading, correcting, arranging, preserving and certifying the records of the session and closing up the business of their respective offices and that they receive the same compensation per day for such extra time as they now receive.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Senator Savage offered the following concurrent resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that all books and supplies upon the members' desks at the close of the session be turned over to the Adjutant General, and that he is hereby directed to place the same in a suitable condition for shipping and forward same to the home addresses of the respective members.

Resolved, Further, that two men appointed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, as assistants in the document room, under the Secretary of State, be authorized to assist the Adjutant General in doing such work.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 272, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation of the Iowa Library commission.

Also:

Senate File No. 289, a bill for an act to amend sections three thousand nine-a to three thousand nine-r (3009-a to 3009-r), supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand twenty-nine-a (3029-a), three thousand twenty-nine-d (3029-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Also:

Senate File No. 282, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 559, a bill for an act granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license and regulate so-called "jitney" busses, and all motor vehicles, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns, doing a business similar to that transacted by street railway companies.

Also:

Senate File No. 291, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

Senator Clarkson offered the following motion:

I move that the resolutions presented and other proceedings had at the memorial services held by the Senate on the evening of April 15, 1915, be presented in a special edition of the Senate Journal of that date and that 1,000 copies thereof be printed, with suitable and appropriate cover and bindings for the use of the Senate.

The Secretary of State is hereby authorized to mail to each Senator twenty copies when completed.

JOHN T. CLARKSON.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 363, a bill for an act to provide juvenile playgrounds in cities of this state, providing for submitting the proposition to the voters providing for the purchase or condemnation of real estate for such playground providing for the issue of city bonds with which to purchase same, creating a fund by the levy of a millage tax for the establishment and maintenance of such playgrounds and providing for rules and regulations to govern the operation of such playgrounds, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore—31.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Enger, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa, Wilson—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Fellows, Senate File No. 623, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a 4 (2563-a4), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to license fees for the issuance of licenses to hunt, was taken up and considered.

Senator Fellows moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Whitmore—28.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Fellows, Senate File No. 624, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the care, protection and propagation of fish, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code, section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly, section twenty-five hundred thirty-nine (2539), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly, was taken up and considered.

Senator Fellows offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File No. 624 by striking out of the last line of section 1 of the bill the word "commission" and substituting in lieu thereof the word "warden".

Adopted.

Senator Fellows offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend Senate File No. 624 by striking out the first word "and" in line five of section 4 of the printed bill and the word "and" at the end of said bill, and substituting in lieu of each of such stricken words the word "or".

Adopted.

Senator Fellows offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File 624 by striking from line 7, section 2, of the printed bill the words "game and fish commission" and substituting therefor the words "fish and game warden".

Also amend section 1, line 6, by inserting before the word "by" the words "and furnished".

Adopted.

Senator Fellows moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Sehrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Foster, Gillette, Grout, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Wilson—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Fellows, Senate File No. 621, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the trapping and hunting of animals, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred fifty-three (2553) of the code, and section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a one (2563-a), supplement to the code, 1913, was taken up and considered.

Senator Fellows offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate File No. 621, by striking out all of Section 2 thereof, following the word "amended" in the next to the last line thereof, and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "by inserting between

the words "gun" and "without" in the second line of said section, the words: "or trap fur-bearing animals or game."

Adopted.

Senator Fellows moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Shean, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Crist, Senate File No. 27, a bill for an act legalizing assignments of mortgages and other recorded liens upon the margin of the records and making such assignments admissible in evidence, was taken up and considered.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Schrup, Shean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

Quigley—1.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Crist, Senate File No. 628, a bill for an act relating to the assignment of mortgages, was taken up and considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Crist moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, House File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend chapter 8-a, title V, of the 1913 supplement to the code, relating to protection of city property from floods, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Francis, Grout, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Foskett, House File No. 354, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to school corporations as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foskett moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Clarkson, Francis, Grout, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Robinson, Taylor, Voorhees—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Balkema, House File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section eleven hundred seven (1107) of the code, relating to the printing of the official ballot, by limiting the cost of same per thousand, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Balkema, moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Crist, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Voorhees—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 630, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the duration of school bonds, as the same appears in section twenty-eight hundred twelve-e (2812-e), supplement to the code, 1913, was taken up and considered.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend Senate File No. 630 by inserting the following:

SECTION 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in the Des Moines Register and Leader, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Mystic Telegram, a newspaper published in Mystic, Iowa.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Farr, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Henigbaum, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 628, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory as the same appears in section 5718-a11, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and return the same without recommendation.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

On motion of Senator Jones, House File No. 628, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory as the same appears in section 5718-a11, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section one (1) of the said bill by inserting after the word "account" in line five (5) of said bill the word "and".

Also amend section one (1) of the said bill by inserting after the word "works" in line five (5) of said bill the following: "provided, however, that none of said employment for state account or state use shall be exercised or performed within the corporate limits of the city of Fort Madison or the city of Anamosa, excepting such employment as pertains to existing contracts or exclusively for the benefit of the state."

Also amend section one (1) of said bill by striking out of line six (6) of said bill the word "which" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "said".

Also amend section one (1) by striking out of line eleven (11) of said bill the following words: "provided, further, that the" and by inserting therein in lieu thereof the word "The".

Also amend section one (1) of said bill by inserting after the word "service" in line fifteen (15) of said bill the following words: "as herein limited and defined."

Also amend by striking out all after the word "and" in the third line of section five (5) and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "the Denison Bulletin, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa, and Denison, Iowa".

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that further consideration be deferred to 2:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

The time having arrived for consideration of Special Order No. 2, on motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 631, a bill for an act making appropriation of funds to enable the state Railroad Commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the Interstate Commerce Commission and intrastate cases and service, was taken up and considered.

The amendment offered by Senator Allen, as amended, found on page 1769 of the Senate Journal, was pending.

Senator Frailey raised the point of order as to Senate File No. 631 that the Senator from Pocahontas had offered an amendment consisting of thirteen sections, changing the entire purpose of the bill, and that, therefore, there was no bill before the Senate to act upon.

President Harding, in ruling on the point of order, stated that, as the Chair understood the record, the Senate had under consideration Senate File No. 631, by the committee on appropriations, a bill for an act making an appropriation of funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the interstate commerce commission and intrastate cases and service, and making an appropriation for that purpose. While the bill was under consideration, the Senator from Pocahontas offered an amendment, adding to the bill and beginning with section 2 and continuing up to and including section 13. The amendments cover matter that is very different from the purpose of the original bill. The rule of the Senate is that amendments must be germane to the subject matter of the bill. The chair is not familiar enough with the measure to say whether the amendments offered are germane to the bill, and for that reason, the chair does not feel justified in sustaining the point of order.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by inserting after the word "thereof" in the third line of section 13 the words "or as much more".

CALL OF THE SENATE.

The following call of the Senate was filed:

We, the undersigned, hereby join in a call of the Senate on Senate File No. 631, now under consideration.

N. BALKEMA.
CLEM F. KIMBALL.
JOHN H. DARRAH.
W. H. ARNEY.
L. M. ENGER.
C. W. WHITMORE.
J. A. WHITE.
J. H. ALLEN.
JOHN T. CLARKSON.
D. C. CHASE.
H. C. WHITE.
A. M. PARKER.
J. R. DORAN.
JOHN C. VOORHEES.
J. H. TAYLOR.

The Secretary was instructed to call the roll to ascertain the number of senators present.

Those present were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—44.

Those absent were:

Boe, Grout, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, White of Benton—6.

Senator White moved that Senator Laffer be excused.

Motion lost.

The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring the absent senators into the Senate Chamber.

The Secretary was instructed to call the roll on the amendment offered by Senator Wilson.

The ayes were:

Farr, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Wilson—15.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Helmer, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Robinson, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore—29.

Absent or not voting:

Boe, Grout, Henigbaum, Laffer, Ream, White of Benton—6.

The amendment was lost.

On the adoption of the amendments offered by Senator Allen, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Heald, Helmer, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—26.

The nays were:

Boe, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Wilson—21.

Absent or not voting:

Grout, Laffer, Ream—3.

The amendments were adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Heald, Helmer, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—26.

The nays were:

Boe, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Wilson—21.

Absent or not voting:

Grout, Laffer, Ream—3.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Clarkson moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 631 passed the Senate and that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

The President appointed as members of the conference committee on Senate File No. 190, on the part of the Senate, Senators Thomas, Boe, Clarkson and Savage.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 112, 109, 483, 429, 438, 302 and 240.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relative to holding joint session at 12 o'clock noon, April 16, 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

A committee from the House appeared and notified the Senate that the House was ready to receive the Senate in joint session.

Senate proceeded to the House Chamber under the direction of the Sergeant at Arms.

JOINT CONVENTION.

In accordance with law and concurrent resolutions duly adopted, the joint convention was called to order at 12 o'clock noon, the Honorable W. L. Harding, President of the Senate, presiding.

The roll being called, the following members were present:

Allen, Anderson of Davis, Anderson of Greene, Anderson of Montgomery, Anderson of Winnebago, Arney, Atkinson, Bailey, Balkema, Hall, Barry, Bauman, Becker, Bingham, Boe, Brady, Brammer, Bronson, Bruce, Buxton, Caswell, Clarkson, Coakley, Coast, Cochrane, Craven, Crist, Crozier, Darrah of Franklin, Darrah of Lucas, Doran, Durant, Eggleston, Elwood, Enger, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Freeman, Garton, Gilbert, Gilmore, Grason, Gray, Greene of Clinton, Greene of Grundy, Griffin, Hadley, Hagemann, Hale, Hall, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Herman, Hilsinger, Holbert, Horchem, Ingwersen, Jackson, Jamison, Johnston of Lucas, Jones of Cerro Gordo, Jones of Dickinson, Jones of Montgomery, Kane, Kelso, Kepple, Kimball, Kimberly, Klinker, Kopp, Larrabee, Lee, Len-

ocker, Lindly, Lueders, McFarlane, McFerren, Mackie, Michael, Miller, Moore, Munro, Murray, Neff, Nicholson, Nordyke, Nye, Oldenburg, Parker, Perkins, Petersen, Pitt, Rayburn, Rees, Reese, Richards, Ring, Roberts, Robinson, Rogers, Rone, Rowles, Savage, Sawyer, Schmedika, Schrup, Shaeffer, Sheean, Shortess, Slaughter, Smith, Spotts, Steelsmith, Stokes, Stone, Sullivan, Swain, Swenson, Taylor of Buchanan, Taylor of Van Buren, Thomas, Thompson of Decatur, Thompson of Des Moines, Tucker, Turner, Voorhees, Wayman, Wenstrand, Whitmore, Wigdahl, Wilson of Appanoose, Wilson of Cherokee, Wilson of Louisa, Wilson of Mahaska, Wilson of Mitchell, Witthauer, White of Benton, White of Iowa—144.

Those absent were:

Chase, Clark, Doze, Farr, Gillette, Grout, Helming, Jessen, Johnston of Humboldt, Laffer, McDermid, Purdy, Quigley, Ream—14.

President Harding announced the joint convention duly organized, with a quorum of members present.

Helmer of Carroll offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

RESOLUTION.

Resolved, That this Joint Convention of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of Iowa proceed to the election of a State Printer for the term of two years, beginning January 1, 1917, and of a State Binder for the term of two years, beginning January 1, 1917; that the names of the members of said convention shall be arranged in alphabetical order by the Secretaries, and each member shall vote in the order in which his name stands when thus arranged. The name of the person voted for, and of the members voting, shall be entered in writing by the tellers, who after the Secretary shall have called the names of the members a second time, and the name of the person for whom each member has voted, shall report to the President of the convention the number of the votes given for each candidate; and that the President of the joint convention shall appoint two members of the Senate as tellers on the part of the Senate, and two members of the House as tellers on the part of the House.

Motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

President Harding appointed as tellers on the part of the Senate, Senators Helmer of Carroll and Hagemann of Bremer.

Speaker Atkinson appointed as tellers on the part of the House, Representatives Gray of Calhoun and Michael of Woodbury.

Kimball of Pottawattamie placed in nomination the name of Robert Henderson of Council Bluffs for state printer.

No other nominations being made, the clerk was ordered to call the roll.

Those voting for Henderson were:

Allen, Anderson of Greene, Anderson of Montgomery, Anderson of Winnebago, Arney, Atkinson, Balkema, Ball, Barry, Becker, Bingham, Boe, Brady, Brammer, Bruce, Buxton, Chase, Coast, Crist, Darrah of Franklin, Darrah of Lucas, Doran, Durant, Elwood, Enger, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Freeman, Garton, Gilbert, Gilmore, Grason, Gray, Greene of Grundy, Griffin, Hadley, Hale, Hall, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Holbert, Jackson, Jessen, Jones of Dickinson, Jones of Montgomery, Kepple, Kimball, Kimberly, Klinker, Larrabee, Lueders, McFarlane, Mackie, Moore, Munro, Murray, Neff, Nicholson, Nordyke, Parker, Perkins, Rees, Reese, Ring, Roberts, Robinson, Rone, Savage, Sawyer, Slaughter, Smith, Stone, Swain, Taylor of Buchanan, Taylor of Van Buren, Thomas, Thompson of Des Moines, Tucker, Turner, Wayman, Wenstrand, Whitmore, Wiggdahl, Wilson of Appanoose, Wilson of Cherokee, Wilson of Louisa, Wilson of Mahaska, Wilson of Mitchell—94.

Absent or not voting:

Anderson of Davis, Bailey, Bauman, Bronson, Caswell, Clark, Clarkson, Coakley, Cochrane, Craven, Crozier, Doze, Eggleston, Farr, Fleck, Gillette, Greene of Clinton, Grout, Hagemann, Helming, Herman, Horchem, Ingwersen, Jamison, Johnston of Humboldt, Johnston of Lucas, Jones of Cerro Gordo, Kane, Kelso, Kopp, Laffer, Lee, Lenoeker, Lindly, McDermid, McFerren, Michael, Miller, Nye, Oldenburg, Petersen, Pitt, Purdy, Quigley, Rayburn, Ream, Richards, Rogers, Rowles, Schmedika, Schrup, Shaeffer, Sheean, Shortess, Spotts, Steelsmith, Stokes, Sullivan, Swenson, Thompson of Decatur, Voorhees, Witthauer, White of Benton, White of Iowa—64.

President Harding announced that Robert Henderson, having received all of the votes cast, was duly elected state printer for the term of two years, beginning January 1, 1917.

The following certificate of election was then signed in the presence of the joint convention:

STATE OF IOWA,
HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
IN JOINT CONVENTION.

DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 16, 1915.

This is to certify that at a joint convention of the two houses of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Iowa, held in the hall of the House of Representatives on the 16th day of April, 1915, for the purpose of electing a State Printer, Robert Henderson, of Pottawattamie County, having received a majority of all of the votes cast for said office, was declared duly elected for the ensuing term of two years, beginning January 1, 1917.

Signed in the presence of the joint convention this 16th day of April, A. D. 1915.

W. L. HARDING,

President of the Senate and Joint Convention.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Clerk of the House and Joint Convention.

C. C. HELMER,

F. P. HAGEMANN,

Tellers on the part of the Senate.

R. C. GRAY,

J. S. MICHAEL,

Tellers on the part of the House.

Moore of Guthrie placed in nomination the name of John Jamieson of Casey, Iowa, for state binder.

No other nominations being made, the clerk was ordered to call the roll.

Those voting for Jamieson were:

Allen, Anderson of Greene, Anderson of Montgomery, Anderson of Winnbago, Arney, Atkinson, Balkema, Ball, Barry, Becker, Bingham, Boe, Brady, Brammer, Bruce, Buxton, Chase, Coast, Crist, Darrah of Franklin, Darrah of Lucas, Doran, Durant, Elwood, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Freeman, Garton, Gilbert, Gilmore, Grason, Gray, Greene of Grundy, Griffin, Hadley, Hale, Hall, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Holbert, Jackson, Jessen, Jones of Dickinson, Jones of Montgomery, Kepple, Kimball, Kimberly, Klinker, Larrabee, Lueders, McFarlane, Mackie, Moore, Munro, Murray, Neff, Nicholson, Nordyke, Parker, Perkins, Pitt, Rees, Reese, Ring, Roberts, Robinson, Rone, Savage, Sawyer, Slaughter, Smith, Stone, Swain, Swenson, Taylor of Buchanan, Taylor of Van Buren, Thomas, Thompson of Des Moines, Tucker, Turner, Wayman, Wenstrand, Whitmore, Wigdahl, Wilson of Appanoose, Wilson of Cherokee, Wilson of Louisa, Wilson of Mitchell—93.

Absent or not voting:

Anderson of Davis, Bailey, Bauman, Bronson, Caswell, Clark, Clarkson, Coakley, Cochrane, Craven, Crozier, Doze, Eggleston, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Greene of Clinton, Grout, Hagemann, Helming, Herman, Horchem, Ingwersen, Jamieson, Johnston of Humboldt, Johnston of Lucas, Jones of Cerro Gordo, Kane, Kelso, Kopp, Laffer, Lee, Lenoeker, Lindly, McDermid, McFerren, Michael, Miller, Nye, Oldenburg, Petersen, Purdy, Quigley, Rayburn, Ream, Richards, Rogers, Rowles, Schmedika, Schrup, Shaeffer, Sheean, Shortess, Spotts, Steel-smith, Stokes, Sullivan, Thompson of Decatur, Voorhees, Wilson of Mahaska, Witthauer, White of Benton, White of Iowa—65.

President Harding announced that John Jamieson, having received all of the votes cast, was duly elected state binder for the term of two years, beginning January 1, 1917.

The following certificate of election was then signed in the presence of the joint convention:

STATE OF IOWA,
HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
IN JOINT CONVENTION.

DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 16, 1915.

This is to certify that at a joint convention of the two houses of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Iowa, held in the hall of the House of Representatives on the 16th day of April, 1915, for the purpose of electing a State Binder, J. M. Jamieson, of Guthrie County, having received a majority of all of the votes cast for said office, was declared duly elected for the ensuing term of two years, beginning January 1, 1917.

Signed in the presence of the joint convention this 16th day of April, A. D. 1915.

W. L. HARDING,

President of the Senate and Joint Convention.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Clerk of the House and Joint Convention.

C. C. HELMER,

F. P. HAGEMANN,

Tellers on the part of the Senate.

R. C. GRAY,

J. S. MICHAEL,

Tellers on the part of the House.

Minutes of the joint convention read and approved.

Perkins of Delaware moved that the joint convention be now dissolved.

Senate returned to the Senate Chamber and resumed its sitting.

Senator Chase moved the Senate do now adjourn until 1:45 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 1:45 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Senator Allen moved that the Senate reconsider the action whereby consent was given in approving the title to Senate File No. 631.

Senator Wilson raised the point of order that the motion was not in order at this time.

Point of order not sustained.

On the question to reconsider the action whereby consent was given in approving the title to Senate File No. 631, the yeas were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Heald, Helmer, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Ream, Voorhees, Wilson—19.

The nays were:

Fellows, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Nye, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean—10.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Eversmeyer, Crist, Enger, Farr, Foster, Francis, Grout, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—21.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title of Senate File No. 631 by striking out all of the title as the same appears in the original bill and substituting therefor the following:

A BILL FOR AN ACT Empowering the Board of Railroad Commissioners to Investigate and Ascertain the Valuation of All Property Owned or Used by Every Railroad Company in the State of Iowa; Also Investigate and Prosecute Interstate Cases and Service and Making an Appropriation Therefor.

Adopted.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

MOTIONS TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate voted to reconsider the action of the Senate in approving the title of Senate File No. 631.

J. M. WILSON.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled, Senate File No. 235, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk.

Also:

Senate File No. 533, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, and their indigent wives, widows, and their minor children, and the erection or maintenance of monuments or memorial halls for soldiers and sailors.

Also:

Senate File No. 570, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty (880) of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 585, a bill for an act making an appropriation for extra clerical assistance and help in the office of the secretary of state.

Also:

Senate File No. 386, a bill for an act to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiaries.

Also:

Senate File No. 273, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa soldiers' home, Iowa soldiers' orphans' home, school for the deaf, institution for feeble-minded children, state sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, industrial schools, state hospitals, state hospital for inebriates, penitentiary and reformatory.

Also:

Senate File No. 605, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-four (2584) of the code; and to repeal sections twenty-five hundred eighty-seven (2587) and twenty-five hundred eighty-nine-a (2589-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to provide an appropriation for reciprocal arrangements, all relating to the practice of pharmacy.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled, Senate File No. 235, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk.

Also:

Senate File No. 533, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, and their indigent wives, widows, and their minor children, and the erection or maintenance of monuments or memorial halls for soldiers and sailors.

Also:

Senate File No. 570, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty (880) of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor.

Also :

Senate File No. 585, a bill for an act making an appropriation for extra clerical assistance and help in the office of the secretary of state.

Also :

Senate File No. 386, a bill for an act to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiaries.

Also :

Senate File No. 273, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-minded Children, State Sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, industrial schools, state hospitals, state hospital for inebriates, penitentiary and reformatory.

Also :

Senate File No. 605, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-four (2584) of the code; and to repeal sections twenty-five hundred eighty-seven (2587) and twenty-five hundred eighty-nine-a (2589-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to provide an appropriation for reciprocal arrangements, all relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Also :

House File No. 371, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirteen (2713), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the support for the industrial school for boys at Eldora.

Also :

House File No. 213. A bill for an act to provide for the construction of a sewer system and the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa state fair and exposition grounds, and to make appropriations therefor.

Also :

House File No. 367. A bill for an act to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and condition on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state.

Also :

House File No. 353. A bill for an act to amend the law relating to the inspection of petroleum as the same appears in Chapter eleven (11), title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, and making an annual appropriation for the oil inspection department.

Also:

House File No. 366. A bill for an act to establish an industrial reformatory for women, to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the commitment of females to said reformatory, to provide for the removal of female convicts at Anamosa to said reformatory, to provide for the transfer of inmates to and from the industrial school for girls and repealing the law as it appears in chapter eight-A (8-A) of title thirteen (XIII), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to an industrial reformatory for females.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SIFTING COMMITTEE REPORT.

The sifting committee reported the following bills to the Senate, recommending passage:

Senate File No. 133, by Greene.

House File No. 372, by Kane.

Also recommend that House Joint Resolution No. 11, by committee on appropriations, be referred to the committee on appropriations.

FREDERIC LARRABEE,

Chairman.

Report adopted, and House Joint Resolution No. 11 was referred to committee on appropriations.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 594, a bill for an act to prevent increases of salary from taking effect during the term for which incumbent of office is elected, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, White of Benton, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, House File No. 403, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred ninety-five (495), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of county recorders, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

The nays were:

Farr, Fleck, Lindly—3.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Benton, White of Iowa—20.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House File No. 270, a bill for an act to repeal sections five hundred ten-a (510-a) and five hundred ten-b (510-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend paragraph twelve (12) of sec-

tion five hundred eleven (511), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation and mileage charged by sheriffs, was taken up and considered.

Senator Thompson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Darrah, Fleck, Foskett, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

The nays were:

Doran, Farr, Hilsinger, Quigley—4.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, White of Iowa—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Quigley, Senate File No. 590, a bill for an act allowing mutual fire insurance companies, or associations, to form an underwriter's syndicate and issue policies, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Schrup offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the word "mutual" wherever it appears in this bill or the title thereof.

Adopted.

Senator Quigley moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Quigley invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Gillette, Jones, Lindly, Parker, White of Benton—9.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Eversmeyer, Foskett, Francis, Grout, Laffer, Robinson, White of Iowa—8.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

RULING ON MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

- Senator Allen called the attention of the President of the Senate to the filing of a motion by Senator Wilson to reconsider the vote by which the Senate voted to reconsider the action of the Senate in approving the title of Senate File 631, and raised the point of order that the motion to so reconsider was not in order as the motion to reconsider was on a motion that had already been reconsidered.

Senator Wilson raised the point of order that there is nothing before the Chair to decide as the motion had not yet been called up.

Point of order sustained.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, House File No. 566, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-1 (2963-1), supplement to the code, 1913, legalizing certain conveyances made by an executor, administrator, trustee, guardian, referee or commissioner, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Clarkson, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Helmer, Laffer, Nye, Robinson, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Larrabee, House File No. 565, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-twelve (1989-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of costs and damages for the construction of levees, ditches, drains and drainage districts, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Larrabee moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Clarkson, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Helmer, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 2:50 p. m.

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO PURCHASE OF CHAIRS.

Senator Wilson offered the following resolution, and moved its consideration at this time.

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the President pro tempore of the Senate and the Speaker pro tempore of the House appoint a committee of five members, two from the Senate and three from the House for the purpose of providing the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House each with one chair and one gavel.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

President pro tem appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate, Senators Wilson and Larrabee.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate resumed consideration of House File No. 628, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory as the same appears in section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a-eleven (5718-a11), supplement to the code, 1913.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a eleven (5718-a 11), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

The inmates of the penitentiary and of the reformatory shall be employed only on state account and for state use and on any public works; provided, however, that none of said employment for state account or state use shall be exercised or performed within the corporate limits of the city of Fort Madison or the city of Anamosa, unless performed on state premises, and excepting such employment as pertains to existing contracts or exclusively for the benefit of the state. Said employment shall be conducive to the teaching of useful trades and callings so far as practicable, and the intellectual and moral development of such inmates; provided, however, such inmates may be employed to complete any contracts now existing for prison labor to be performed in such penitentiary or reformatory. The board of control is hereby authorized and empowered to establish such industries as it may deem advisable at said penitentiary, and at said reformatory, and at or in connection with any of the penal, reformatory or other institutions under its jurisdiction, and the inmates may render service as herein limited and defined, at or away

from any of said institutions with the consent of said board of control, but no service shall be rendered by any such inmate for any person, firm or corporation at a less wage than is paid free labor for a like service or its equivalent, and when so rendering service they shall be held to be under the jurisdiction of the warden or superintendent of the institution to which they are committed, and any escape shall be punished as provided in section forty-eight hundred ninety-seven-a (4897-a), supplement to the code, 1913, even though said inmate is at the time working under the honor system.

SEC. 2. Whenever services are rendered by any inmate at any institution under the supervision and jurisdiction of the board of control, the board of control may whenever practicable allow such inmate compensation which shall not exceed the amount paid to free labor for a like service or its equivalent, less such amount that the state is put to for maintenance as the board of control may deem equitable, and in addition to deducting an amount to defray the cost of maintenance, the board of control may also deduct an amount sufficient to pay all or a part of the costs taxed to any inmate by reason of his commitment, said board shall forward the amount to the clerk of the district court, or proper official, and receive his receipt therefor; provided further, that whenever money is earned by an inmate under the provisions of this act, the board of control may, whenever deemed advisable, pay all or any part of the same direct to the husband or wife or any other member of the family of such inmate dependent upon him or her for support, or deposit the same to the account of such inmate until released, or allow said inmate a certain per cent thereof for his personal benefit, and make all rules and regulations in relation thereto, including the right to deposit funds in any bank to the credit of such inmate and require such bank to pay interest on any money so deposited by or for such inmate at rates not to exceed the current rate of interest paid for similar deposits.

SEC. 3. Any inmate of the penitentiary, and any inmate of the reformatory, who may hereafter be engaged or employed in any service or labor outside the walls of the institution to which he or she is sentenced, or who may be listed as a "trusty," or "honor" inmate of such institution, may, at the discretion of the said board of control, or at the discretion of the warden of such institution acting under authority of the said board of control, be given and allowed a special reduction in term of sentence at the rate of ten (10) days for each and every month so employed or listed; and every month of such employment shall be counted one month and ten days in point of service on the sentence to be served in addition to the "good time" allowed by law for good behavior; and the said board of control is hereby authorized and empowered to grant and allow such extra good time or special commutation of sentence, and to make all rules and regulations in relation thereto.

SEC. 4. All acts and parts of acts in so far as they are in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register

and Leader and the Denison Bulletin, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa, and Denison, Iowa.

Adcpted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending substitute bill by adding after the word "reformatory" and before the period, as the same appears in line 16 of Sec. 1, the following:

"But such contracts shall not be extended nor renewals thereof entered into nor like contracts made unless by this act otherwise provided."

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Wilson—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

I move to reconsider the motion by which Senate File No. 631 passed to its third reading and the motion by which said bill passed the Senate.

FRANK E. THOMPSON.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House requests the return of Senate File No. 325.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has failed to pass the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 23, a bill for an act conferring upon the Board of Railroad Commissioners certain regulatory and supervisory powers over telephone companies and authorizing and empowering said Board of Railroad Commissioners to prescribe and establish joint service between telephone companies and to fix the terms and conditions under which the same shall be rendered and the rates to be charged therefor, and to prevent discrimination by such telephone companies, and providing penalties for violation of the orders of such board.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-b (2477-b), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-c (2477-c) and twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and to regulate the street trades all relating to child labor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 354, a bill for an act amending sections 1683-a, 1683-c, and repealing 1683-e, supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Savage, House File No. 603, a bill for an act to make appropriation to reimburse certain persons for stock killed or to be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the foot and mouth disease; and to defray the expense of quarantine, care, destruction or burial of stock within any quarantine district, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend section 5 by striking out the words and figures "one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00)" in lines three and four and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00)".

Adopted.

Senator Whitmore offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by adding the following as section 4:

SECTION 4. No portion of the money hereby appropriated shall be expended in payment for veterinary service.

Amend by renumbering the remaining sections accordingly.

Adopted.

President Harding resumed the chair at 3:30 p. m.

The amendment offered by Senator Whitmore was adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Savage moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which House File No. 603 passed to its third reading.

On this motion, a roll call was demanded.

On the question, "Shall the Senate reconsider the vote by which the bill passed to its third reading?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, Wilson—22.

The nays were:

Arney, Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Greene, Ream, Robinson, Whitmore—10.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Jones, Laffer, Nye, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—18.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the amendment offered by Senator Whitmore was adopted.

Senator Francis moved the previous question.

Carried.

The motion to reconsider the amendment prevailed.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hillsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Chase, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Gillette, Lindly, Ream, Thompson—8.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Fleck, Foskett, Hagemann, Laffer, Parker, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor, Voorhees—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Committee on Retrenchment and Reform.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22.

JOINT RESOLUTION Fixing the Number and Compensation of Employees in the Department of State at the Seat of Government.

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Until July 1, 1917, the number of employees for the various offices at the seat of government, unless otherwise provided by law, shall at no time exceed the number named herein, and their compensation shall be amounts herein fixed.

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

	Per Annum.
Two assistants to the Attorney General at salaries each of, not to exceed	\$ 2,500.00
Two stenographers at salaries, each, not to exceed.....	900.00
Additional assistance and contingent fund not to exceed the sum of	10,000.00
One law clerk and stenographer.....	1,200.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR OF STATE.

One chief clerk in the revenue department at a salary of not to exceed	1,600.00
One chief clerk in the banking department at a salary of not to exceed	1,600.00
One assistant clerk in the banking department at a salary not to exceed	1,000.00
One warrant clerk at a salary not to exceed.....	900.00
Three stenographers at salaries each not to exceed.....	900.00
One janitor at a salary of not to exceed.....	780.00
One chief clerk in the department of municipal accounting, also to serve as general clerk, who shall also be assigned by the auditor as examiner, at a salary of not to exceed..	1,200.00
One journal clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
Extra clerical assistance in revenue and banking department, expense in adjusting accounts between the State and Counties, and such other expense as shall be approved by the Executive Council, not to exceed.....	500.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT.

One clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
One clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
One messenger, who shall perform such duties about his office and for the supreme court room as the clerk may order, at a salary of not to exceed.....	840.00
For additional clerical assistance not to exceed.....	100.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.

One pardon clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,300.00
One requisition clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,300.00
One notarial clerk and stenographer at a salary of not to exceed	900.00
One messenger and usher, who shall act as a janitor, at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
For publication of notices.....	400.00

FOR THE STATE LIBRARIAN'S OFFICE.

One cataloger at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,100.00
One stenographer and bookkeeper at a salary of not to exceed	1,000.00
Two janitors at a salary of not to exceed, each.....	780.00
One legislative and general reference assistant (who shall be under the direction of the assistant to the librarian)..	1,000.00

One stenographer for the law and document department at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
Extra allowance for special janitor work in the law department not to exceed.....	200.00
Apprentice assistants in law department at a salary of not to exceed	400.00
Extra salary to first, second and third assistant librarians, each	100.00
For one research assistant for law department at salary of not to exceed	1,000.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

One general clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,300.00
One statistical and rate clerk at a salary of not to exceed ...	1,200.00
One assistant statistical and rate clerk at a salary of not to exceed	900.00
One reporter at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
Two stenographers at salaries each, of not to exceed.....	900.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

One chief clerk who shall give bond at a salary of not to exceed	1,600.00
One corporation clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
One assistant corporation clerk at a salary of not to exceed..	1,200.00
One general clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
Two stenographers at salaries, each, of not to exceed.....	900.00
One librarian of document department at a salary of not to exceed	1,200.00
One document clerk and accountant for storage building at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
One janitor and messenger at a salary of not to exceed....	780.00

MOTOR VEHICLE DEPARTMENT.

One chief clerk (Roy M. Williams) at a salary of not to exceed	1,500.00
One cashier at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
One chief examiner of applications at a salary of not to exceed	1,200.00
One bookkeeper at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,000.00
One stenographer at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
One index clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
One general clerk (receipts, plates, etc.) at a salary of not to exceed	900.00
For extra help in automobile department to be used only as specifically authorized by the committee upon Retrenchment and Reform	5,000.00

EXTRA CLERKS (Estimated).

10 clerks at \$65.00 per month, each for three months.....	1,950.00
6 clerks at \$65 per month, each for four months.....	1,560.00
4 clerks at \$65.00 per month, each for two months.....	520.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Three stenographers at salaries, each of not to exceed.....	900.00
One janitor at a salary of not to exceed.....	780.00
For extra clerical assistance not to exceed.....	800.00

FOR THE SUPREME COURT ROOMS.

One bailiff, who shall also act as messenger and perform such other duties as the supreme court may order, at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,000.00
For stenographic and messenger service not to exceed.....	10,500.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE.

One collateral inheritance tax collector and general clerk..	2,200.00
One cashier who shall give bond at a salary of not to exceed	1,500.00
One bookkeeper at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
One general clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
One stenographer at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
One watchman who shall be janitor and who shall be prohibited from depositing or handling state funds, at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
For additional clerical assistance and contingent, not to exceed	600.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF CURATOR OF THE HISTORICAL DEPARTMENT OF IOWA.

Two assistants at salaries of not to exceed, each.....	1,740.00
Four assistants at salaries of not to exceed, each.....	1,200.00
Five clerks at salaries not to exceed, each.....	900.00
Six guards at salaries not to exceed, each.....	780.00
One matron at a salary not to exceed.....	780.00
One night watch who shall be under 45 years of age at a salary of not to exceed.....	780.00
One porter who shall be under 45 years of age at a salary of not to exceed.....	780.00

The matron, porter, night watch and guards shall be in lieu of all janitors, elevator tender, and night watchmen heretofore provided the Historical Department and grounds.

FOR THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

One secretary at a salary of not to exceed.....	2,400.00
One clerk at a salary of not to exceed, and in lieu of all other salaries	2,000.00
One expert accountant which shall be in lieu of salary for such office now provided by law at a salary of.....	2,000.00
One clerk in the supply room who shall keep the stock book, the office supply accounts, make the quarterly reports for officers, and who shall give bond, at a salary of not to exceed	1,100.00
One Capitol grounds extension representative, who shall act as land purchasing agent, to be named by the Governor, at a salary of not to exceed.....	2,000.00

For stenographer and clerical assistants to be employed by the secretary, upon the approval of the executive council, not to exceed.....	2,200.00
One postmaster, who shall carry mail as directed by the Executive Council, and who shall perform all services connected with the office at a salary not to exceed.....	1,000.00
One janitor, who shall also be janitor for the Board of Health, to be named by the secretaries of the executive council and the Board of Health, not to exceed.....	780.00
One store room janitor to be named by the Executive Council at a salary of not to exceed.....	780.00

FOR THE BOARD OF CONTROL.

One chief accountant at a salary not to exceed.....	1,800.00
One assistant accountant at a salary not to exceed.....	1,200.00
One purchasing agent and clerk at a salary not to exceed...	1,500.00
One estimate clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
One stenographer and proof reader at a salary not to exceed	1,000.00
Three stenographers and clerks at salaries each, of not to exceed	900.00
One clerk and janitor at a salary not to exceed.....	780.00
For extra clerical assistance not to exceed.....	2,000.00
One stenographer and parole clerk at a salary not to exceed	1,000.00
One stenographer and file clerk, at a salary not to exceed..	1,000.00

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

One stenographer at a salary not to exceed.....	900.00
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FOR WEATHER AND CROP SERVICE.

Directors salary	1,500.00
Clerical assistance not to exceed.....	720.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF STATE MINE INSPECTOR.

Secretary and general assistant to perform other services designated by the Executive Council.....	1,200.00
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FOR THE OFFICE OF THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

One assistant secretary at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,200.00
One clerk and stenographer at a salary not to exceed.....	900.00
Extra clerical assistance not to exceed the sum of.....	900.00
For one clerk and stenographer for vital statistics at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
One keeper of accounts.....	900.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF SUPREME COURT REPORTER.

One clerk at a salary of not to exceed.....	720.00
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FOR THE OFFICE OF THE LIBRARY COMMISSION.

One secretary at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,600.00
One librarian, traveling library, at a salary not to exceed..	1,080.00
One field and reference assistant at a salary of not to exceed	1,000.00

One library organizer at a salary not to exceed.....	900.00
One clerk and general stenographer at a salary of not to exceed	900.00
One cataloger at a salary not to exceed.....	900.00
One general assistant at a salary not to exceed.....	600.00
One extra stenographer at a salary not to exceed.....	900.00
For extra help as needed including service of shipping clerk not to exceed	400.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE STATE PHARMACY COMMISSION.

One secretary at a salary not to exceed.....	1,500.00
For extra clerical assistance not to exceed the sum of.....	300.00

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE FOOD AND DAIRY COMMISSIONER.

Two clerks at a salary of not to exceed, each.....	900.00
One janitor for rooms occupied by food and dairy commissioner at a salary not to exceed.....	780.00
One stenographer at a salary of not to exceed.....	900.00
For clerical assistance to be used only in case of necessity on approval of the Executive Council, not to exceed the sum of	500.00

(FOR JANITORS FOR CERTAIN OFFICES).

For the offices of the department of agriculture (agricultural society) there shall be one janitor to be selected by them at a salary of not to exceed.....	780.00
For the offices of the adjutant general, G. A. R. department and geological survey there shall be one janitor, selected by them at a salary of not to exceed.....	780.00
For the offices of railroad commissioner, horticultural department and attorney general there shall be one janitor, selected by them at a salary of not to exceed.....	780.00
The last three janitors above shall be upon the pay roll of the Adjutant General as Custodian.	

TO BE EMPLOYED BY THE ADJUTANT GENERAL AS CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PROPERTY.

One chief engineer at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,600.00
One first assistant engineer at a salary of not to exceed....	1,200.00
One second assistant engineer at a salary not to exceed....	1,200.00
One electrician and machinist at a salary not to exceed....	1,200.00
One assistant electrician and machinist at a salary not to exceed	1,000.00
One carpenter at a salary of not to exceed.....	1,000.00
Two night watchmen, who shall be under 45 years of age at salaries, not to exceed each.....	900.00
One boiler tender at a salary not to exceed.....	900.00
Six firemen and wardens at salaries, each not to exceed....	840.00
Eight floor janitors at salaries, each not to exceed.....	780.00
One janitress to have charge of the ladies toilet room at a salary not to exceed.....	780.00

One elevator tender at a salary not to exceed	780.00
Allowance for washing towels not to exceed	600.00
One florist and yard man at a salary not to exceed	840.00
Extra help as may be needed not to exceed	720.00
Seven janitors for capitol building, who shall be less than 45 years of age, at a salary of not to exceed	780.00
For removal of snow	500.00

The Adjutant General as Custodian is authorized to furnish such expert assistance as may be necessary at the Historical Building and the heat, light, and water necessary for said building shall be furnished by the Adjutant General as Custodian.

FOR THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

One clerk and statistician at a salary of not to exceed	1,000.00
For extra clerical assistance in the various departments of State and for other State purposes to be expended under authority of the Committee upon Retrenchment and Re- form, the sum	10,000.00

All janitors employed under the provisions of this resolution, shall at all times be subject to the orders of the Adjutant General as Custodian to perform any additional service, by way of rendering assistance to the State House engineers, carpenters, supply department, or any other labor that may be necessary about the capitol grounds, at such hours as they are not necessarily employed in their regular janitor work, and it shall be the duty of the Adjutant General as Custodian to assign such janitors to any such extra service and he shall discharge any janitor for incompetency, inability to perform a reasonable amount of service of the character required, neglect of duty or insubordination.

All employees provided for in this act shall devote their entire time to the service of the State, except that this requirement shall not be interpreted to prevent the allowance of a reasonable vacation, such vacation to be at the discretion of the head of the department or commission interested, and in no case to exceed two weeks in any one year.

All clerks, janitors, and other employees named in this resolution shall be under the control of the head of the department and may by him be transferred to such work as he shall direct in assisting other clerks or elsewhere in the different branches of the service of the department.

No additional help shall be employed by the head of any department, and no additional pay shall be granted or authorized to any of the employees provided for in this act, without first having received the approval of the committee on Retrenchment and Reform.

Any head of a department may at any time discharge any clerk or other employee in such a department for neglect of duty, insubordination or incapacity.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 637, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-seven (2575-a7) and twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-nine (2575-a9), chapter sixteen-a (16-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the bacteriological laboratory, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—38.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Clarkson, Fleck, Foskett, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Laffer, Larrabee, Parker, Perkins, Savage, White of Iowa—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 248, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 637, a bill for an act to repeal sections one hundred thirty-eight (138) and one hundred forty-one (141), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor, relating to compensation for state printing and binding.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

House File No. 638, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the independent school district of Dallas Center, Dallas County, Iowa, in voting bonds at an election held on the 10th day of April, 1915, and legalizing the bonds to be issued by said district under said election.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 361, a bill for an act providing for the construction by the Board of Control of extension of street paving of the city of Council Bluffs through the grounds of the Iowa School for the Deaf, and making an appropriation therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 632, a bill for an act making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of section twenty-five hundred sixty-nine-a (2569-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the enforcement of sanitary conditions by the State Board of Health.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 279, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2,575.00) to indemnify Wm. H. Niemann for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa National Guard.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Francis, Senate File No. 76, a bill for an act to amend chapter 348 of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly, relating to pensions to survivors of the Spirit Lake Relief Expedition extending said pension to Abbie Gardner Sharp, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Francis moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Clarkson, Foskett, Gillette, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Perkins—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House File No. 637, a bill for an act to repeal sections one hundred thirty-eight (138) and one hundred forty-one (141), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor, relating to compensation for state printing and binding.

Read first and second time.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 637, a bill for an act to repeal sections one hundred thirty-eight (138) and one hundred forty-one (141), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor, relating to compensation for state printing and binding, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read a second and third time the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Caswell offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File 637 by striking from line No. 53 of the printed bill the words "four and one-half inches" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "six inches".

Adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Robinson, House File No. 576, a bill for an act to provide for joint action between the duly constituted authorities of this state having jurisdiction of drainage proceedings and like authorities of adjoining states, with a view to joint and equitable drainage of lands of both states, and to provide for the procedure in such cases, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Robinson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to strike out all after the enacting clause and substitute in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. Whenever proceedings for the drainage of lands within this state and bordering upon the state line are had and the total cost, including all damages, of constructing the improvement in this state has been ascertained by the authorities of this state, and the

engineer in charge, before the final establishment of the district, reports that the establishment and construction of such improvements ought to be jointly constructed with like proceedings for the drainage of adjoining lands in an adjoining state and that drainage proceedings are pending in such adjoining state for the drainage of such adjoining lands, then and in that case the said authorities of this state may enter an order continuing the hearing on the establishment of such district to the named date, of which all parties shall take notice, but shall have power, whenever the total cost, including damages, of constructing the improvement in such other state has been ascertained by the authorities of such other state, to enter into an arrangement or tentative agreement as to the separate amounts which the authorities of each state should in equity pay toward the construction of the joint undertaking. When such amount is thus determined, the authorities of this state shall enter the same in the minutes of their proceedings and shall proceed therewith as though such amount had been originally determined by them as the cost of constructing the improvement in this state.

When the bids for construction are opened, unless the construction work on each side of the line can go forward independently and without undue friction when let to contractors, no contract shall be let by the authorities in this state, unless by joint conference of the authorities of both states, the acceptance of a bid or bids for the construction of the whole project is first jointly agreed upon, but the contract or contracts for the construction of that portion of the improvement within this state shall be entirely distinct and separate from the contract or contracts let by the authorities of the neighboring state; provided that the contract or contracts for the construction of the work within this state shall not exceed an amount equal to the amount of the benefits assessed in this state less the damages allowed in this state and less the incidental expenses in this state.

SECTION 2. No contract shall be let until the improvement shall be conditionally and finally established in both states, and after final adjustment in both states of damages and benefits both as between individuals and lands. No bonds shall be issued until all litigation in both states arising out of said proceedings, has been finally terminated by actual trial and hearing, or by the expiration of all right of appeal.

SECTION 3. In so far as applicable, this act shall also apply to the repair and improvement of any work of drainage constructed under its provisions.

Adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Ream, Savage, Shecan, Taylor—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Helmer from the special conference committee submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your conference committee to whom was referred Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend Section 3477-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury, beg to report that they have had the same under consideration and submit the following report:

That the House recede from its amendment to said Senate File No. 34 as amended by the Senate.

That the Senate amendment to said Senate File No. 34 be amended by striking out the word "ten" in the last line of Section 1 thereof and inserting therefor the word "fifteen."

CHAS. C. HELMER,
JOHN T. CLARKSON,
A. M. PARKER,
CLEM F. KIMBALL,

Conferees on the part of the Senate.

DOUGLAS ROGERS,
ROBERT BRUCE,
D. C. STEELSMITH,
H. C. RING,

Conferees on the part of the House.

On motion of Senator Helmer, the report of the committee was adopted.

Senator Helmer moved the adoption of the following amendment to Senate File No. 34, proposed by the conference committee:

Amend by striking out the word "ten" in the last line of section 1 thereof and inserting therefor the word "fifteen."

On the question, "Shall the Senate adopt the amendments proposed by the conference committee?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigmaum, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Crist, Foskett, Frailey, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Ream, Savage, Sheean, Taylor—13.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 110, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume of said reports and the terms and conditions thereof, to provide for the copyrights of said reports; to provide for the preparation, printing, binding and certification of the acts of the general assembly and the form and number thereof; to provide for the annotations of the laws of the state and the supplement embracing the same, to provide for the contents of the volumes containing said acts and laws, to provide for a revision of the laws of the state; to fix the salary of the reporter of the supreme court; to make annual appropriation for said work, and to repeal chapter four (4) of title three (3), section thirty-eight (38), section thirty-nine (39), section forty (40), and section one hundred thirty-three (133), of the code, with report of committee on appropriations recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the report of the committee on Judiciary No. 1.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend by striking out all of Section 6 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Section 6. The Supreme Court may order the publication of a new edition of any volume of its reports of which the copyright is owned by the reporter, when the public interest requires it, and may require compliance therewith within six months by an order entered of record; and if the reporter neglects or refuses to comply with said order, then such copyright shall be forfeited to the state."

Further amend Section 5 by inserting the word "court" after the word "district" in line 9.

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File No. 110 as follows:

(1) By striking out all after and including the words "subject to the approval of the trustees of the state library," last appearing in Section 1.

(2) By adding to Section 4 the following:

Provided that a majority of the judges of the supreme court may, if they deem it advisable, make the state its own publisher of the reports, causing the same to be printed and bound by the state printer and binder in the same manner and for the same compensation as is provided by law for other state printing and binding and in event the state becomes its own publisher such reports shall be sold and distributed through the office of the secretary of state.

(3) By adding to Section 5 the following:

In the event the state becomes its own publisher of the reports the distribution and exchange provided for in this section shall be held to apply.

(4) By substituting for Section 8 the following:

The reporter of the supreme court shall be ex-officio editor of the code and his duties shall be:

To arrange and classify numerically each section of the general statutory law of Iowa upon cards and to keep said cards filed in their proper order in fire-proof cabinets. Said classification of sections shall be instituted upon the same plan as the code supplement of 1913.

To place beneath such sections of statutory law annotations of all decisions of the Iowa supreme court, the federal courts, citing the title, volume and page of the said reports from which the annotation is taken, and the volume and page of every series of reports, where the case from which the annotation is taken is reported.

To place beneath the material called for in the preceding subdivision of this section such other annotations as may be required by the supreme court.

When any section of Iowa law is repealed or amended, the law reporter shall withdraw the card or cards containing said section from the files and replace the same by a card of a different color. If the section is repealed such fact shall be noted on the card placed in the file and the card withdrawn will be placed in its proper place in the files of repealed and amended sections. In case the section is amended the editor shall place on the new card the section as amended and file the old card as in the case of a repealed section.

The law reporter shall be required to furnish a copy of any section of Iowa law with all matter relating thereto to any state or county officer upon request and to all other parties upon payment of a fee of seventy-five cents (75c).

SECTION 5. By striking from next to the last line of section 10 the words "Board of Trustees" substituting therefor the words, "Supreme Court" and by adding to said section the following: "The Secretary of State shall deliver to the Supreme Court reporter the enrolled bills for use in proof reading in the preparation of such Supplement, said bills to be receipted for and returned by said Supreme Court reporter when said work is completed and said reporter may obtain from the state the necessary codes, code supplements, Session laws, printing, postage and supplies required in said work upon requisition therefor. Said supplement when so published shall be and become the legal publication of the laws of Iowa not contained in the Code and Supplement to the Code, 1913. The supplemental supplement here provided for shall be completed and ready for distribution by July 4th, 1915, and July 4th following each legislative session thereafter. The Supreme Court shall be substituted for the Code Supplement supervising committee appointed under the authority of Chapter One (1) of the Acts of the 35th General Assembly and the Editor therein chosen as provided therein, shall under supervision of said court, aid the Supreme Court reporter in the preparation of said supplemental supplement for 1915, and said Editor shall deliver to the Supreme Court reporter for his use all classified matter, card indexes, compilations, annotations and other material in his possession relating to the Code, the Code Supplement or the statutory law and said Editor shall receive therefor and for the services so rendered in assisting in the compilation of the supplemental supplement 1915, the sum of \$2500.00 payable \$200.00 per month until July 1st, 1915, and balance upon completion of said supplemental supplement and the said sum of \$2500.00 shall be additional to the sum provided for in section thirteen (13) hereof, and same is hereby appropriated. The said supplemental supplement shall include by revision of the index made in connection with the Supplement to the Code, 1913, an index of the acts of the 36th General Assembly except legalizing and appropriation acts and 4500 volumes thereof shall be bound containing said index, session laws and annotations and sold for \$2.50 per volume and the contents of said volume shall be bound with the Supplement to the Code, 1913, as published in all volumes, over and above said 4500, and such combined volumes shall be sold for \$6.00 per volume.

The contents of the Supplemental Supplement herein provided for shall be set up in linotype and said linotype shall be used only for making the necessary plates for printing and the printer shall be allowed such reasonable compensation for preparing forms for the electrotype as may be approved by the Supreme Court and the linotype slugs from which the plates are made shall be purchased and owned by the state and shall be preserved and protected under authority of the Supreme Court and substituted from time to time in whole or in part as may be necessary in future publication of any Supplements, Supplemental Supplements or codes and the Judges of the Supreme Court are hereby given full authority to contract with reference to the publication thereof and in the matters above provided.

The Supplemental Supplement provided for under this act, including index, shall be furnished free immediately upon completion thereof to all members of the thirty-sixth general assembly. No appropriation acts, legalizing acts or joint resolutions of a private nature shall be printed in the code supplement, but said acts, except legalizing acts, shall be printed in a separate volume bound in paper covers and distributed as other laws and when sold shall be sold at fifty cents (50c) per volume and shall be published under authority of the secretary of state and not to exceed a total of three thousand (3,000) volumes.

(6) By substituting for Section 13 the following:

The law reporter shall receive a salary of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500) per annum payable by the state. He may, by and with the consent of the supreme court, employ assistants and clerical help at such compensation as may be fixed by the supreme court, and there is appropriated out of the treasury of Iowa from moneys not otherwise appropriated the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) per annum to be used for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend and change the publication clause of Section fifteen (15) House File No. 110, by substituting for the same the following:

This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its publication in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Daily Nonpariel, a newspaper published at Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene,

Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Foskett, Foster, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Schrup, Senate File No. 634, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-three (2573), twenty-five hundred seventy-four (2574), and twenty-five hundred seventy-five (2575) of the code, twenty-five hundred sixty-four (2564), twenty-five hundred sixty-four-a (2564-a), twenty - five hundred seventy - two 2572) and twenty-five hundred seventy-four (2574), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting substitutes therefor and creating a state board of health, fixing its powers and duties, was taken up and considered.

Senator Schrup moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—21.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Taylor, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—23.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Crist, Gillette, Laffer, Ream, Savage—6.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Foster, House File No. 259, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter fourteen-B (14-B), sections twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w (2538-w), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w3 (2538-w3), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w5 (2538-w5), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the manufacture and distribution of hog cholera serum, toxines, vaccines and biological products, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Boe, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Shean, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Jackson, Lindly, Quigley, Taylor, Voorhees—8.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Balkema, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Laffer, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Thompson called up for consideration the motion filed by him to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 631 passed the Senate, and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

On the motion to reconsider, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Boe, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Wilson—23.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Heald, Helmer, Larrabee, Robinson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—17.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Caswell, Enger, Francis, Grout, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins, Ream—10.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

On motion of Senator Wilson, Senate File No. 631, a bill for an act making appropriation for funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the interstate commerce commission and intrastate cases and service, was taken up and considered.

Senator Wilson moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 631 passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend the pending bill by striking therefrom the amendment filed by the Senator from Pocahontas being the amendment providing for an appropriation of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.) for the purpose of making a physical valuation of the railroads.

Senator Clarkson raised the point of order that the amendment was not in order.

Point of order sustained.

Senator Thompson moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment by Senator Allen was adopted.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Lindly, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Wilson—23.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Heald, Helmer, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—19.

Absent or not voting:

Balkema, Francis, Grout, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Perkins, Ream—8.

The motion to reconsider the vote on the amendment by Senator Allen prevailed.

CALL OF THE SENATE.

The following call of the Senate was filed:

We, the undersigned members of the Senate, ask for a call of the Senate on Senate File No. 631 and amendments proposed.

JOHN T. CLARKSON.

D. C. CHASE.

J. R. DORAN.

T. J. B. ROBINSON.

G. M. GILLETTE.

J. H. ALLEN.

J. C. VOORHEES.

F. A. HEALD.

C. W. WHITMORE.

E. P. FARR.

W. H. ARNEY.

J. H. DARRAH.

D. S. FLECK.

FREDERIC LARRABEE.

A. M. FELLOWS.

H. C. WHITE.

C. C. HELMER.

A. M. PARKER.

The Secretary was instructed to call the roll to ascertain senators present.

Those present were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foscett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—47.

Those absent were:

Francis, Laffer, Ream.

Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring the absent members into the Senate Chamber.

Senator Hagemann moved that Senator Francis be excused from the call.

Motion lost.

Senator Frailey moved that Senator Laffer be excused from the call.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Eversmeyer moved that Senator Ream be excused from the call.

Senator Allen raised the point of order that the motion was out of order.

Point held not well taken.

Senator Allen raised the point of order that it takes two-thirds vote to excuse.

Point held not well taken.

Motion prevailed and Senator Ream was excused from the call.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending amendment by adding thereto the following:

"The railroad commission shall co-operate with the Federal Commission in the performance of the work of taking a physical valuation."

Senator Wilson raised the point of order that the amendment by Senator Clarkson was not in order.

Point held not well taken.

The amendment by Senator Clarkson was lost.

On the adoption of the following amendment offered by Senator Allen a roll call was demanded.

I move to amend Senate File No. 631 by adding thereto the following:

SECTION 2. The board of railroad commissioners shall, as hereinafter provided, ascertain as soon as possible upon taking effect of this act the fair value of each railroad in this state. And the commission is hereby authorized at all times to keep up the valuation of the properties herein provided for, and all companies included in this act are required to furnish to the commission on the 30th day of June of each year, and at such other times as the commission may require, a detailed statement showing changes in the condition of its properties in this state and the elements of cost entering into such changes for both debits and credits of such property, and the distribution of the debits and credits whether charged to operating or capital account.

Sec. 3. In connection with the aforesaid work the commission is hereby required to make a separate report, so far as practicable, on each of the following subjects:

(a) The original cost of all of the physical property of each railroad and, if the commission deems it necessary in the ascertainment of such original cost, it may investigate and report upon the history and organization of the present and of any previous corporation or company operating or owning such property.

(b) The value of any aid, gift, grant of right of way or donation made to any such railroad company or to any previous corporation operating or owning such property; the value of all grants of land to any such company or any previous corporation operating or owning such property, and the amount of money derived from the sale of any portion of such grants and the value of the unsold portion of any such grants at the present time; the amount and value of any concession or allowance made by any such common carrier to the government of the United States or to any state, county or municipal government in consideration of such aid, gift, grant or donation;

(c) The value of all property owned or used by any company for its purposes as a common carrier separate from the value of any physical properties not necessary nor used by the company as a common carrier;

(d) The cost of reproduction new of all property owned or used by any company for its purpose as a common carrier;

(e) The cost of reproduction new, less depreciation, of all property owned or used by any company for its purpose as a common carrier;

(f) The original cost of construction;

(g) The present as compared with the original cost of construction;

(h) The amount expended in permanent improvements;

(i) The amount and market value of its bonds and stocks;

(j) The fair value of the property of each company used by it as a common carrier;

(k) And the commission may ascertain separately other values and elements of value, if any, of the property of such common carrier;

(l) The original cost and present value of the property held for purposes other than of a common carrier.

Sec. 4. The commission is authorized and empowered to require any railroad company in this state to furnish any information necessary in making a valuation of their property, and it shall be the duty of all such companies to furnish to the commission such information, sworn to by its proper officers, as the railroad commission shall require; and the information so required shall be furnished in the manner and within the time prescribed by said commission.

Sec. 5. If any railroad company shall refuse or fail to make any report or furnish any information, sworn to by its proper officers, as required and in the time required by the commission, it shall for every such failure, violation or refusal forfeit to the state of Iowa a sum not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than

ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), such forfeiture to be collected as provided by law.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of the railroad commission to include in its annual report for the year in which the valuation herein provided for shall be begun, a statement of the plan and the procedure adopted by the commission and a statement of the progress in the work provided for in this act, and the annual report for each succeeding year shall contain a report of work done under this act together with any recommendations.

SEC. 7. When the commission shall have found the valuation of any property as provided in this act it shall notify the company or the owners of such property of their finding and shall set a time not less than thirty nor more than ninety days from date of notice that they may appear and show cause why such valuation as found by the commission should be raised or lowered or amended or changed in any particular; and the commission, after such showing, shall have power to make such amendment or change if the evidence furnished is sufficient to warrant so doing.

SEC. 8. The railroad commission is hereby authorized to employ such agents, experts and other help as it shall need in ascertaining the physical valuation and in verifying the reports, documents and data provided for in this act, and all expense incurred by the commission in carrying out the purposes of this act shall be audited and paid for out of the money appropriated therefor.

SEC. 9. The agents and experts employed by the commission shall have power to administer oaths, examine witnesses and to take testimony.

SEC. 10. Every common carrier subject to the provisions of this act shall furnish to the commission or its agents from time to time as may be required, maps, profiles, contracts, reports of engineers and any other documents, records and papers or copies of any or all of the same in aid of such investigation and determination of the value of the property of said common carrier, and shall grant to all agents of the commission free access to its right of way, its property and its accounts, records and memoranda whenever and wherever requested by the commission or any of its duly authorized agents, and every common carrier is hereby directed and required to co-operate with and aid the commission in the work of the valuation of its property in such further particulars and to such extent as the commission may require and direct, and all rules and regulations made by the commission for the purpose of administering the provisions of this act shall have the force and effect of law.

SEC. 11. The commission shall have power to prescribe rules and methods of procedure to be followed in the investigation and valuation provided for herein; and it shall prescribe the form in which the results of the valuation shall be submitted and the classification of the elements that constitute the ascertained value and such investigation shall show the value of the property of every common carrier in the state of Iowa.

SEC. 12. The commission is further authorized and directed to carefully check all figures submitted by the railway companies to the

Interstate Commerce Commission affecting the citizens of this state in connection with the national appraisal, and attend, or be represented, at all hearings and conferences before the said Interstate Commerce Commission, or any department thereof, where basic issues involved in said national appraisal are presented for discussion and decision, and to offer such evidence or argument, either oral or written, as the Iowa commission may deem necessary affecting said issues; and the commission is hereby empowered to employ special counsel or experts, as it may deem necessary, for the purpose of performing duties herein specified.

SEC. 13. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, the same to be expended by the state railroad commission in making and reporting a valuation of all railroad properties in the state of Iowa in accordance with this act.

SEC. 14. An itemized accounting in detail shall be rendered to the executive council of all sums of money expended under this act and said expenditures audited by the executive council.

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Heald, Helmer, Kimball, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—22.

The nays were:

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Wilson—26.

Absent or not voting:

Laffer, Ream—2.

The amendment was lost.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball,

Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—48.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Laffer, Ream—2.

Senator Wilson offered the following amendment to the title and moved its adoption:

Amend the title to the bill by striking out the title of the original bill and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

A BILL FOR AN ACT Making Appropriation of Funds to Enable the State Railroad Commission to Investigate and Prosecute Interstate Cases Before the Interstate Commerce Commission and Intrastate Cases and Service.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title as amended was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 385, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-eight (728) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number from nine (9) to six (6).

Also:

Senate File No. 187, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars to the widow and children of Robert Jopling, deceased.

Also:

Senate File No. 584, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eighth (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contests.

Also :

Senate File No. 583, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.

Also :

Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisions of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessary expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a) supplement to the code, 1915.

Also :

Senate File No. 249, a bill for an act granting cities and towns power to regulate the installation and inspection of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparatus; to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted.

Also :

Senate File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the commissioner of insurance.

Also :

Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the state institution for inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.

Also :

Senate File No 491, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society.

Also :

Senate File No. 447, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in sections twenty-five hundred forty (2540). twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four

(2544), twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562) and twenty-five hundred sixty-two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 185, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities and towns of less than 8,000, a levy for road purposes.

Also:

Senate File No 315, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred eighty ten-a (2480-10a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone systems in mines.

Also:

Senate File No. 264, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight-s, supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine by the commission of animal health, and prescribing the method of quarantine.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 385, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-eight (728) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number from nine (9) to six (6).

Also:

Senate File No. 187, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars to the widow and children of Robert Jopling, deceased.

Also:

Senate File No. 584, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eighth (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contests.

Also:

Senate File No. 583, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.

Also:

Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisions of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessary expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a) supplement to the code, 1915.

Also:

Senate File No. 249, a bill for an act granting cities and towns power to regulate the installation and inspection of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparatus; to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted.

Also:

Senate File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the commissioner of insurance.

Also:

Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the state institution for inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.

Also:

Senate File No. 491, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society.

Also:

Senate File No. 447, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in sections twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four

(2544), twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562) and twenty-five hundred sixty-two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 185, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities and towns of less than 8,000, a levy for road purposes.

Also:

Senate File No 315, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred eighty ten-a (2480-10a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone systems in miles.

Also:

House File No. 626, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a-twenty-six (1056-a 26), supplement to the Code, 1913, relative to the appointment of police judges in cities of the first and second class.

Also:

House Joint Resolution No. 8, agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section seven (7) of article two (2) of said constitution and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections.

Also:

House File No. 464, a bill for an act to create a free employment bureau in the office of commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics.

Also:

House File No. 478, a bill for an act to amend title twenty-four (XXIV), Chapter eleven (11) of the Code, 1897, relating to offences against public policy.

Also:

House File No. 630, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Iowa City.

Also:

House File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend sections one thousand eighty-seven-a-5 (1087-a 5), one thousand seventy-six (1076), and one thousand ninety-three (1093), supplement to the Code, 1913, relative to judges and clerks of election.

Also :

House File No. 280, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty-one (881), supplement to the Code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, including cities under special charter and cities acting under commission form of government necessary to control streams and surface water flowing into sewers, for sewer outlets, garbage disposal plant, sewage disposal plant and dump grounds.

Also :

Senate File No. 264, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight-s, supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine by the commission of animal health, and prescribing the method of quarantine.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 185, 264, 315, 320, 447, 491, 452, 385, 187, 584, 583, 98, 249, 235, 273, 386, 533, 570, 585 and 605.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 626, 464, 478, 630, 452 and 280 and House Joint Resolution No. 8; also, House Files Nos. 371, 213, 367, 353 and 366.

Senator Quigley moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 7:30 p. m. today.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

The Senate met, pursuant to adjournment, at 7:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Senator Balkema offered the following resolution :

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House Concurring :

That two thousand copies of Senate File No. 567 as amended and other highway bills passed during the session, be printed and delivered to the

Secretary of State for general distribution by him to the various county auditors of the state for further distribution.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 597, a bill for an act to amend chapter 11-d of title 13 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment, maintenance and management of the state hospital and colony for epileptics, and making appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 173, a bill for an act for the relief of Carl Persing, a student and employe of the Iowa State College at Ames, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 293, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of \$2500.00 to indemnify T. D. Fultz for personal injury sustained by him while employed as a carpenter at the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 638, a bill for an act to indemnify and pay to E. O. Sherman the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3000) for the loss and damage sustained by him in the death of his son, Ralph Sherman, caused by being killed on the campus of the state college of agriculture at Ames, December 6, 1914.

Read first and second time and placed on calendar.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Heald, Senate File No. 587, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in sections four hundred (400) and four hundred two (402), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal and relocation of the county seat in any county in this state, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Chase, Clarkson, Jones, Laffer, Sheean—5.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Darrah, Fleck, Frailey, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Lindly, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, Senate Joint Resolution No. 16, a joint resolution directing the state highway engineer to inspect the bridge and river conditions at Eddyville, Iowa, and make report thereon, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend the resolution by adding at the top of the title the words "Joint Resolution".

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the joint resolution was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Heald, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—15.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 479, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 66, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

Concurrent resolution relating to a classified and historical index to legislative bills for the members of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 242, a bill for an act making special appropriations for the State University of Iowa, The Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, The Iowa State Teachers College, and The College for the Blind.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 288, a bill for an act making annual appropriations to the State University, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the Iowa State Teachers College, and College for the Blind.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Enger withdrew the motion filed by him on March 15th, to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was adopted providing for sine die adjournment of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly on April 17th.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Chase, Senate File No. 538, a bill for an act to amend sections thirteen hundred three (1303), twenty-two hundred forty-seven (2247), twenty-three hundred eight (2308) and fifteen hundred thirty (1530), supplement to the code, 1913, reducing the maximum of tax levies for county purposes, with report of sifting committee recommending that same be put on the calendar, was taken up and considered.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Chase invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Farr, Frailey, Greene, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—21.

The nays were :

Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean—18.

Absent or not voting :

Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Kimball, Lindly, Ream, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—11.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Savage, House File No. 587, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty (2730), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tax that may be levied for the support of county high schools in the state of Iowa and to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three-1a (2733-1a), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tuition to be paid high schools in counties where county high schools are maintained, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 8:30 p. m.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were :

Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Parker—4.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Fellows, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Kimball, Lindly, Ream, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, House File No. 175, a bill for an act for the relief of the blind, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were :

Doran, Laffer—2.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Kimball, Larrabee, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton—12.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Boe, Senate File No. 544 a bill for an act to amend the law relating to normal institutes as same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-eight (2738), supplement to the code, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Boe moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

Caswell, Doran, Fellows, Foster—4.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Kimball, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, White of Benton—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Schrup, House File No. 524, a bill for an act to empower school boards, under stated conditions, to purchase or lease for stated educational purposes comprised under the term Park Life tracts of land and to improve the same for the purpose of establishing thereon summer homes or school for children who desire to continue their studies in useful pursuits through the year, and to define the purposes, functions and objects of such schools, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Schrup moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Boe invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Larrabee, Voorhees—6.

Absent or not voting:

Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 475, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred four (1304), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of certain property from taxation, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Henigbaum, Quigley—3.

Absent or not voting:

Enger, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Thomas, Senate File No. 486, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred ninety-six (2596) of the code, relating to the practice of pharmacy, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Doran, Farr, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Lindly, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, Wilson—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Parker, Senate File No. 540, a bill for an act to amend section 932-n, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

President Harding resumed the chair at 9:05 p. m.

Senator Parker moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Farr, Senate File No. 571, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter eight-A (8-A), title XII, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability for personal injury sustained by employes in line of duty, fixing compensation therefor, securing the payment thereof, providing for the appointment of a commissioner and defining his duties, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Farr moved the adoption of the following amendment:

Amend by striking out the word "injury" at the end of section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "occurrence".

Adopted.

Senator Farr offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend section 8 by adding after the word "dismissal" in the seventh line of the printed bill the following:

"Provided that said adjutor shall be served with reasonable notice of said complaint and shall have an opportunity of being heard before any such dismissal shall become effective."

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by striking therefrom Sec. one and renumbering the sections.

Amendment lost.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move the following as an amendment to the pending bill as additional sections to be renumbered 9 and 10:

SECTION 9. That the law as the same appears in Sec. 2477-m 47, supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following;

Any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of furnishing liability, indemnity or casualty insurance shall present any and all proposed rates charged or to be charged for such insurance to the Insurance Commissioner for approval, who shall examine and approve the same if found fair, reasonable and adequate. The Insurance Commissioner is hereby empowered to suspend any insurance rate approved by him upon giving reasonable notice thereof, stating the reasons therefor. Whereupon, such person, firm or corporation shall, if the rate be suspended, show cause why the approval of such rate should not be withdrawn. If an approval of a rate of insurance has been withdrawn by the Insurance Commissioner, the person, firm, association or corporation, before selling or offering for sale any such insurance or policy of insurance, shall file with the Insurance Commissioner a new rate and approval thereof, obtained from the commissioner, before such person, firm, association or corporation shall be entitled to sell the same directly or indirectly.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation to sell or offer for sale any insurance or policy of insurance contemplated by this act until approved by the Commissioner of Insurance.

Any person, firm, association or corporation violating the provisions of this act relating to the selling of insurance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

SECTION 3. The Insurance Commissioner is hereby empowered to suspend any insurance rate approved by him upon giving reasonable notice thereof. Whereupon, such person, firm or corporation may file with the Insurance Commissioner a new rate which shall be fair, reasonable and adequate.

SECTION 4. Where an employer affected by the law, chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, and acts amendatory thereof, rejects the act in accordance with the form and manner therein provided, any policy of insurance issued to or in favor of such employer by any insurance association shall contain among other conditions required by law, the following terms and conditions:

"The (insert name of obliger issuing the policy), hereinafter called the company, in consideration of the premiums set forth in the schedule, together with the covenants herein contained, does hereby agree to indemnify the person, firm, association or corporation hereinafter named, or the legal representatives of such person deceased, or the receiver or other person appointed by any court to take charge or control of the property or business of the person, firm, association or corporation hereinafter named, herein called the assured, against loss from liability adjudicated by any court of competent jurisdiction, and said company agrees to pay in full with costs and interest, any and all amounts due or that may be finally adjudicated as due such employe under such claims."

In an action brought by an employe of such employer, or when the action is brought by one entitled to bring an action to recover damages

for personal injury sustained, the party plaintiff shall have the right to join the person, firm, association, corporation or company issuing such policy of insurance as a party defendant, and the judgment, if the verdict be for plaintiff, shall be entered against both the principal defendant and the company for the full amount thereof.

Any person, firm, association or corporation in this state authorized to issue policies of insurance to indemnify an employer against loss for injury sustained by an employe of such employer, such person, firm, association or corporation shall submit to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Iowa, its form of policy for approval, who shall reject the same unless the policy contains without limitation or qualification the provisions provided for as contemplated by this act, with reference to policies of insurance issued to employers who reject the terms and provisions of this act; and any person, firm, association or corporation issuing or aiding and assisting in issuing a policy of insurance not having been approved by such commissioner shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than five hundred (\$500) dollars nor more than one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, and shall operate as a forfeiture of the right to transact such business in this state and the privilege theretofore granted shall be revoked and cancelled.

Amendments lost.

Senator Farr moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Laffer, Perkins, Sheean, White of Iowa—16.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Fleck, Frailey, Greene, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—19.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Enger, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Jones, Kimball, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Taylor, White of Benton—15.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

On motion of Senator Frailey, Senate File No. 625, a bill for an act to confer certain powers on cities having a population of not to exceed twelve thousand and not less than five thousand,

organized under chapter two of title five of the code, relating to the organization, equipment and operation of fire departments and providing for the levy and collection of a special tax for the use and benefit of such fire departments and granting power to anticipate said tax and to issue fire fund certificates or bonds, was taken up and considered.

Senator Frailey moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Enger, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Thompson withdrew Senate File No. 220 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Greene, Senate File No. 133, a bill for an act to fix, limit and determine the maximum number of hours per day during which females may be employed or permitted to work, and the terms and conditions and limitations thereof, to provide for the posting of information of the terms of this act and of schedules of time such employees may be required to labor, to fix and determine the duties and powers of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics in reference to this act, to prescribe the duties of employers of such labor and to prescribe penalties and punishment for violations of this act, was taken up and considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Greene offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend Senate File No. 133 by striking out the period (.) after the word "hospitals" at the end of paragraph (c) of section 2 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof a semi-colon (;) and by adding thereto the following: "nor shall it apply to those employed in any canning factory or fruit picking or packing industry, nor to those employed in any telephone or telegraph exchange where less than three operators are employed and the work is not continuous and consecutive."

Adopted.

Senator Greene moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Greene invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson
—29.

The nays were:

Balkema, Caswell, Darrah, Fleck, Henigbaum, Schrup—6.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Farr, Foster, Francis, Grout, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Taylor, White of Benton
—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Heald, House File No. 516, a bill for an act relative to the issuance of policies of fire insurance, prohibiting false or misleading representations by advertisements, and providing a penalty for its violation, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Heald moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were:

Eversmeyer, Perkins, Quigley—3.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Hilsinger, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Arney, Senate File No. 506, a bill for an act to require common carriers operating freight trains within the state of Iowa to carry passengers in cabooses on certain conditions, with report of committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Arney moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend section 1, by inserting before the comma (,) following the word "railroad" in the first line of said section, the word "company"

Amend section 2, by inserting between the word "passenger and the word "far" in the third line of said section 2, the words "ticket or"

Amend section 3, by striking out the words "except as provided by this act" in the last line of said section, and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "excepting the provisions of sections 2074, 3135, and 3136 of the code, which shall not be construed to apply to passengers riding on cabooses on freight trains as permit holders under this act; and every passenger riding as a permit holder on a caboose of any freight train, as by this act provided, shall be presumed to have entered into an implied contract with the common carrier operating such train, agreeing to hold such common carrier exempt from any claim for damages accruing to such passenger or his estate by reason of any personal injury which he may sustain while riding as a passenger under such permit, due to any negligence of commission, or omission on the part of such common carrier or its employees, or for injury or damage to any property or baggage which said passenger is carrying upon such caboose, as contemplated by this act."

Adopted.

Senator Arney moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

The nays were:

Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Foskett, Greene, Larrabee, Savage, Voorhees—9.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Darrah, Farr, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Taylor, White of Benton, White of Iowa—14.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

CORRECTION OF JOURNAL.

Journal of April 15th was taken up, corrected and approved.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Carried.

Senate adjourned.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 17, 1915.

Senate met in regular session at 9 o'clock a. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding, presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Robert K. Porter, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Des Moines, Iowa.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 464, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 243, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 576, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 414, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House failed to pass the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 362, a bill for an act providing for the organization and incorporation of home banks incorporated, defining the powers of the directors, specifying the nature and character of the investments to be made, limiting the liabilities of the stock holders, limiting the salaries to be paid its officers, limiting the dividends to be paid the stock holders, providing for the disposition of the surplus, making provision for the encouragement of home ownership and providing funds with which to make chattel loans and that class of loans now made by loan sharks.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 622, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the protection of game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File Number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the Acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 359, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 633, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, in fixing the salary of the mayor and council of said city.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 514, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a44; (2727-a44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the Board of Control.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 223, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bids for street improvements.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 439, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred thirty-six (136) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of the Iowa Academy of sciences.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 576, a bill for an act to repeal sections four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-six (4999-a6), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven (4999-a7), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eight (4999-a8), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a nine (4999-a9), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a ten (4999-a10), and four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eleven (4999-a11) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and amending sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-i (2514-i) and repealing sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-n (2514-n) and two thousand five hundred fourteen-o (2514-o) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting substitutes therefor and all relating to fire escapes, stairways and means of escape from buildings, structures or enclosures and protection against fire and providing for the inspection of such means of protection of buildings, and the duties of commissioner of labor and other officers in relation thereto.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 448, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the Board of Supervisors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 492, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-B (1798-B), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 623, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a4 (2563-a4), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to license fees for the issuance of licenses to hunt.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 626, a bill for an act to legalize ordinance No. 533 of the ordinances of the city of Fort Dodge, Iowa, relative to an ordinance adopted March 29, 1913, fixing the salary of the mayor and the members of the city council of said city.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 551, a bill for an act to amend section 254-a20 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to financial aid given to the widowed mother of dependent or neglected children.

Read first and second time.

Senator Farr moved that the bill go on the calendar.

Motion lost.

The bill was referred to the sifting committee.

House File No. 638, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the Independent School District of Dallas Center, Dallas county, Iowa, in voting bonds at an election held on the 10th day of April

1915, and legalizing the bonds to be issued by said district under said election.

Read first and second time.

Senator Foster moved that the rule whereby the bill be referred to the sifting committee be suspended.

Carried.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Foster, House File No. 638, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the Independent School District of Dallas Center, Dallas county, Iowa, in voting bonds at an election held on the 10th day of April, 1915, and legalizing the bonds to be issued by said district under said election, was taken up and considered.

Senator Foster moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read a second and third time on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Foster moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Foskett, Francis, Henigbaum, Nye, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, Voorhees—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title agreed to.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

House File No. 409, a bill for an act amending paragraph two (2), section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of cities to levy taxes.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring:

That the State Law Librarian is hereby authorized and instructed to prepare and have published 600 copies of a classified and historical index to legislative bills of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, the same to contain a complete classified and numerical record of all bills introduced and disposed of at this session of the legislature; that of this number, 400 shall be bound in pamphlet form and 200 shall be bound in cloth; that of the latter 200, one shall be mailed to each member of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly; that a sufficient number of the paper bound pamphlets shall be reserved as will supply the members of the Thirty-seventh General Assembly; that the State Printer and State Binder are hereby authorized and instructed to print and bind said classified indexes as provided for in this resolution; that the State Librarian is hereby authorized and instructed to employ competent help for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this resolution, and the Auditor of State is hereby authorized to issue a warrant to the order of the State Law Librarian for the payment of services herein mentioned, not to exceed \$60.00.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and concurred in.

Senate File No. 414, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants, to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend by striking out the comma (,) after the word "county" in the second line of section 1 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "or any drainage district" and a comma following the word "district".

Senator Chase moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly,

Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Darrah, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Nye, Parker, Robinson, Thomas, White of Iowa—15.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-b (2477-b), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-c (2477-c) and twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and to regulate the street trades all relating to child labor.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend the substitute for Senate File No. 189 by striking out all of line 3 of section one following the word "amended", and by striking out all of line 4 of said section, and all of line 5 of said section to and including the first word "and".

Senator Allen moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Crist, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Kimball, Lindly, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, White of Iowa—16.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 304, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa Soldiers' Home.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File 304 by striking out the words "of the" where the same appears in the title and section 1, and insert in lieu thereof a "(,)".

Senator Arney moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Savage, Thomas, White of Iowa—13.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senate File No. 341, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File 341 by striking out the period (.) at the end of section 2, and inserting a semicolon (;) and the words "provided, that boards of Supervisors in counties having a population of 40,000 or over, in which there are cities of the first class, including cities acting under special charter and commission form of government, may allow additional compensation to county treasurers not to exceed \$50 per annum for each 5,000 population of said cities," in lieu thereof.

Senator Taylor moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Crist, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Lindly, Robinson, Savage, Thomas—16.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on Enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that that have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 279, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2,575.00) to indemnify Wm. H. Niemann for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa National Guard.

Also:

Senate File No. 563, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred and thirty-four-c (2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training.

Also:

Senate File No. 413, a bill for an act relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence.

Also:

Senate File No. 295, a bill for an act providing punishment for making false charges concerning the honesty of employes.

Also:

Senate File No. 532, a bill for an act to amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject, as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code.

Also:

Senate File No. 254, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409), of the code, relating to the certification of taxes to another county, and enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 488, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.

Also:

Senate File No. 149, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws effective by publication.

Also:

Senate File No. 37, a bill for an act enabling Mrs. C. C. Platner, and Mrs. George Wilson to share in the policeman's pension fund of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 139, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers.

Also:

Senate File No. 354, a bill for an act amending sections 1683-a, 1683-c, and repealing 1683-e, supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state.

Also:

Senate File No. 608, a bill for an act confirming the title of Margaret Murphy to certain meandered lands in section number twenty (20), township number ninety-seven (97), north of range number thirty-five (35), west of the fifth (5th) principal meridian, in Clay county, Iowa, and authorizing and directing the issuance of a patent therefor.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 279, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2,575.00) to indemnify Wm. H. Niemann for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa National Guard.

Also:

Senate File No. 563, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred and thirty-four-c (2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training.

Also:

Senate File No. 413, a bill for an act relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence.

Also:

Senate File No. 295, a bill for an act providing punishment for making false charges concerning the honesty of employes.

Also:

Senate File No. 532, a bill for an act to amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject, as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code.

Also:

Senate File No. 254, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409), of the code, relating to the certification of taxes to another county, and enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 488, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.

Also:

Senate File No. 149, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws effective by publication.

Also:

Senate File No. 37, a bill for an act enabling Mrs. C. C. Platner, and Mrs. George Wilson to share in the policeman's pension fund of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 139, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers.

Also:

Senate File No. 354, a bill for an act amending sections 1683-a, 1683-c, and repealing 1683-e, supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state.

Also:

Senate File No. 608, a bill for an act confirming the title of Margaret Murphy to certain meandered lands in section number twenty (20), township number ninety-seven (97), north of range number thirty-five (35), west of the fifth (5th) principal meridian, in Clay county, Iowa, and authorizing and directing the issuance of a patent therefor.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on Enrolled Bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval Senate File No. 452, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the commissioner of insurance.

Also:

Senate File No. 320, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the state institution for inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.

Also:

Senate File No. 491, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society.

Also:

Senate File No. 447, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four (2544), twenty-

five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562) and twenty-five hundred sixty-two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 185, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887) of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities and towns of less than 8,000, a levy for road purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 315, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred eighty-ten-a (2480-10a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone system in mines.

Also:

Senate File No. 385, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-eight (728) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number thereof from nine (9) to six (6).

Also:

Senate File No. 187, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars to the widow and children of Robert Jopling, deceased.

Also:

Senate File No. 584, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eight (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.

Also:

Senate File No. 583, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.

Also:

Senate File No. 98, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessary expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandon-

ment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 249, a bill for an act granting cities and towns power to regulate the installation and inspection of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparati; to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted under this act.

Also:

Senate File No. 264, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight-s, supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine by the commission of animal health, and prescribing the method of quarantine.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 527, a bill for an act to punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate than two per cent per month, and to provide a penalty therefor.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend Senate File 527 by striking out in the tenth line the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amend by striking out the words "or other commodities" in the sixth line of Section 1.

Senator Thompson moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Hillsinger, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Farr, Fleck, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Lindly, Parker, Perkins, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees—20.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

House requests return of Senate File No. 325, a bill for an act providing for the protection and safety of persons employed in or being about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts, and other structures, providing means for the enforcement of said act, and providing penalties for violations of its provisions.

Senator Whitmore moved that the request of the House for the return of Senate File No. 325 be granted.

Carried.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 279, 563, 413, 295, 532, 254, 488, 149, 37, 139, 354 and 608.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Schrup, House File No. 372, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections nine hundred and seventy-two (972) and nine hundred seventy-four (974) of the code, relating to street improvements and sewers, applicable to cities acting under special charters, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

The bill was read for information.

Senator Schrup moved that the rules be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, the reading just had be considered the third reading, which motion prevailed.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Farr, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Hil-

singer, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—31.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Crist, Doran, Enger, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Henigbaum, Jones, Lindly, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees—19.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER CALLED UP.

Senator Arney called up for consideration the motion filed by him to reconsider the vote by which House File No. 88 failed to pass the Senate and moved that the vote be reconsidered.

The motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Arney, House File No. 88, a bill for an act to regulate the practice of chiropractic and to provide for the examination and license chiropractors, was taken up and considered.

Senator White of Iowa moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed to its third reading.

Carried.

Senator White of Iowa moved that the vote by which the Perkins amendment to House File No. 88 was adopted be reconsidered.

Senator Helmer raised the point of order that the motion to reconsider these amendments had not been filed on the next legislative day after their passage, and was therefore out of order.

Point of order not sustained.

The motion to reconsider the Perkins amendment was lost.

Senator Heald offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to substitute the following for section 1 of House File 88:

Section 1. Any person of full legal age who shall be a graduate of a legally incorporated school or college of chiropractic recognized as standard by the board of examiners, and giving adequate courses as determined by such board in anatomy (including the dissection of a full lateral half of the cadaver only after such time as the state shall furnish or permit the procuring of such dissection material), physiology, symptomatology, hygiene, chemistry, histology, pathology, principles and practice of chiropractic, and requiring actual attendance of not less than three school years of nine months each for graduation, and who shall have had a preliminary training equivalent to a course in an approved high school, shall be eligible for examination and license: Provided, that any person who matriculated in any such school or college prior to the first day of January 1915, shall be eligible to examination and license upon the completion of the course of study prescribed by such school at the time of matriculation under such additional regulations as the board of examiners may prescribe, provided that such course is not less than two school years of six months each.

I move to substitute the following for section 7 of House File 88:

Section 7. Any person who has graduated from any school or college of chiropractic requiring actual attendance as a condition of graduation who shall furnish satisfactory evidence of two years bona fide practice prior to the passage of this act within the state of Iowa, and any person who has graduated from such school or college requiring actual attendance of not less than two school years of six months each who shall furnish satisfactory evidence of not less than three months bona fide practice prior to the passage of this act within the state of Iowa, shall, upon furnishing satisfactory evidence to the board of examiners that he is generally regarded in the community in which he has practiced as a reputable and successful practitioner of chiropractic, and further satisfying the board under such regulations as it may prescribe that he possesses the skill and knowledge requisite to the diagnosis and treatment of diseases, shall be granted a license without examination. Any person holding a certificate issued by the board of any other state having legal requirements not less than those prescribed by section one of this act shall be entitled to license without examination. Every applicant for license under the provisions of this section shall pay a fee of twenty dollars.

Senator Balkema offered the following amendment to the amendment offered by Senator Heald and moved its adoption:

Amend the amendment by striking out the words "six months" where it appears and substitute therefore the words "nine months".

Withdrawn.

The amendment by Senator Heald was withdrawn.

Senator Boe moved that the bill and amendments be referred to a special committee consisting of Senators Arney, Perkins and Heald.

Senator Balkema moved to amend the motion and refer the bill and amendments to sifting committee.

Withdrawn.

Senator Farr moved that the motion to refer be laid on the table.

Motion lost.

Motion of Senator Boe to refer to a special committee prevailed and House File No. 88 was referred to a special committee consisting of Senators Arney, Perkins and Heald.

On motion of Senator Chase, House File No. 308, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m seventeen (1571-m17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the operation of motor vehicles upon the public highways and requiring that certain lights on such vehicles be shaded, with report of highway committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Chase moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Grout, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Voorhees—17.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Heald, Henigbaum, Jones, Perkins, Schrup, Thomas—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 363, a bill for an act to provide juvenile playgrounds in cities of this state, providing for submitting the proposition to the voters, providing for the purchase or condemnation of real estate for such playgrounds, providing for the issue of city bonds with which to purchase same, creating a fund by the levy of a millage tax for the establishment and maintenance of such playgrounds and providing for rules and regulations to govern the operation of such playgrounds.

Also:

House File No. 566, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-1 (2963-1) supplement to the Code, 1913, legalizing certain conveyances made by an executor, administrator, trustee, guardian, referee or commissioner, and including therein certain conveyances made by an assignee or receiver.

Also:

House File No. 270, a bill for an act to repeal section five hundred

ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the Code, 1913.
House File No. 354, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to school corporations as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred

Also:

House File No. 479, a bill for an act to regulate political advertising and to provide penalties for the breach thereof.

Also:

House File No. 66, a bill for an act to reimburse and indemnify by way of compensation to Alfred Hansen for a personal injury sustained while working at the "spotting of cars" in the state reformatory at Anamosa, Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 259, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in Chapter fourteen-B (14-B), sections twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W (2538-W), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W1 (2538-W1), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W2 (2538-W2), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W3 (2538-W3), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W5 (2538-W5), and twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W8 (2538-W8), supplement to the Code, 1913, and to add thereto Section twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W12 (2538-W12), relative to the manufacture and distribution of hog cholera serum, toxines, vaccines and biological products.

Also:

House File No. 259, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in Chapter fourteen-B (14-B), sections twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W (2538-W), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W1 (2538-W1), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W2 (2538-W2), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W3 (2538-W3), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W5 (2538-W5), and twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-W8 (2538-W8), supplement to the Code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, relating to the compensation to be paid sheriffs and providing for the appointment of deputy sheriffs and for the fixing of the salary thereof.

Also :

House File No. 403, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred ninety-five (495), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the salary of county recorders.

Also :

House File No. 565, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-12 (1989-a-12), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the assessment of costs and damages for the construction of levees, ditches, drains and drainage districts.

Also :

House File No. 379, a bill for an act to amend section eleven hundred seven (1107) of the Code, relating to the printing of the official ballot, by limiting the cost of same per thousand.

Also :

House File No. 248, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the Code, 1913, and make an appropriation for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.

Also :

House File No. 633, a bill for an act to amend sections eleven hundred one (1101), eleven hundred four (1104), and eleven hundred five (1105) of the Code, relating to the time of filing withdrawals, certificates, petitions and nominations of candidates for public offices.

Also :

House File No. 424, a bill for an act to amend Chapter 8-A, Title V, of the 1913 supplement to the Code, relating to protection of city property from floods.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your Committee on Enrolled Bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 279, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2,575.00) to indemnify Wm. H. Niemann for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa National Guard.

Also:

Senate File No. 563, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred and thirty-four-c (2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training.

Also:

Senate File No. 413, a bill for an act relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence.

Also:

Senate File No. 295, a bill for an act providing for making false charges concerning the honesty of employes.

Also:

Senate File No. 532, a bill for an act to amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject, as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code.

Also:

Senate File No. 254, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409) of the code, relating to the certification of taxes to another county, and enacting a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 488, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.

Also:

Senate File No. 149, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws effective by publication.

Also:

Senate File No. 37, a bill for an act enabling Mrs. C. C. Platner and Mrs. George Wilson to share in the policeman's pension fund of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Also:

Senate File No. 139, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matters in newspapers.

Also:

Senate File No. 354, a bill for an act amending sections 1683-a, 1683-c, and repealing 1683-e, supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state.

Also:

Senate File No. 608, a bill for an act confirming the title of Margaret Murphy to certain meandered lands in section number twenty (20), township number ninety-seven (97), north of range number thirty-five (35), west of the fifth (5th) principal meridian, in Clay county, Iowa, and authorizing and directing the issuance of a patent therefor.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 626, a bill for an act to legalize ordinance No. 533 of the ordinances of the city of Fort Dodge, Iowa, relative to an ordinance adopted March 29, 1913, fixing the salary of the mayor and the members of the city council of said city.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Section 1 of Senate File No. 626 by adding thereto the following: "Provided, that this legalization shall not apply to any increase of salary paid or received for time prior to July 4th, 1913."

Senator Larrabee moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Ream, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Chase, Foster, Frailey, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Thomas, White of Benton—16.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, House File No. 173, a bill for an act for the relief of Carl Persing, a student and employe of the Iowa State College at Ames, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—40.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Foster, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Lindly, Quigley, Thomas, Voorhees—10.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MOTIONS TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File 308 passed the Senate.

F. P. HAGEMANN.

I move to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 133 passed the Senate.

F. W. EVERSMEYER.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.

Senator Wilson offered the following concurrent resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, several members of this Senate have expressed a desire to retain the chairs they have occupied during this and former sessions of the General Assembly; therefore

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that the custodian of the capitol building be, and is hereby authorized to dispose of for cash, to any member of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly who may desire it, the chair occupied by him, for such price as will fully protect the state.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

Senator Larrabee offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, Our state has no flag known as the official flag of the state of Iowa, and

Whereas, By the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, a commission composed of the Governor, the Adjutant General, and the Curator of the Historical Department, was by concurrent resolution created for the purpose of inquiring into and reporting upon the expediency of the adoption of a flag to be known as the official flag of Iowa and upon the appropriateness of the design therefor, if any were recommended for adoption, and

Whereas, Said commission has not completed its investigation and report,

Therefore, be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, that said commission be continued and directed to report to the Thirty-seventh General Assembly.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted.

CORRECTION OF RECORD.

Senator Larrabee offered the following motion:

This year, there has been an unusual amount of work in the appropriations committee, and it has caused at times during the sessions of the Senate, the absence of Senator Savage and Senator Jones.

I therefore move that the record show that they have been excused at such times.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, a joint resolution fixing the number and compensation of employes in the department of state at the seat of government, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 by striking out the words "One collateral inheritance tax collector and general clerk, \$2,200.00" to be found under the heading "For the office of Treasure of State" and inserting in lieu thereof: "That there is hereby appropriated a sum not to

exceed twelve hundred dollars (\$1200.) per annum for an additional clerk and stenographer for the use of the treasurer of state, and the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600.) per annum as additional compensation to the deputy treasurer of state for extraordinary services rendered within and without the office in the collection of the collateral inheritance tax, and

Be it Further Resolved, that the department of justice is hereby requested and directed to co-operate with the treasurer of state in the collection of the collateral inheritance tax."

Adopted.

Senator Kimball offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 by substituting for the figures "\$1200" the figures "\$1500", opposite the sub-paragraph beginning with the words "one chief clerk in the department of municipal accounting" in the paragraph "For the office of the auditor of state."

Adopted.

Senator Nye offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

I move to amend that part of resolution found on page 1844 providing for "Salaries of employees working under the Adjutant General", by striking out the figures 1000.00 following the words "One assistant electrician and machinist at a salary not to exceed" and inserting the figures 1200.00.

Also by striking out the figures 1000.00 following the words "one carpenter at a salary not to exceed" and inserting the figures 1200.00.

Also by striking out the figures 900.00 following the words "one boiler tender at a salary not to exceed" and inserting the figures 1000.00.

Also by striking out the figures 840.00 following the words "Six fireman and wardens at salaries each, not to exceed" and inserting the figures 1000.00.

On the adoption of this amendment, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Nye invoked Rule 8.

The ayes were:

Arney, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Greene, Heald, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—24.

The nays were:

Allen, Balkema, Boe, Doran, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Helmer, Savage, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Benton—15.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Darrah, Frailey, Hagemann, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson—11.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Allen offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 under the heading "For weather and crop service", by striking out the figures "720" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "780".

Adopted.

Senator Perkins offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the amount in line 1 at top of page 1841 of the Journal referring to the item, one legislative and general reference assistant, by changing the figures \$1000.00 to "\$1100.00."

Adopted.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the Joint Resolution No. 22 by striking out the amount \$1000.00, providing salary of one bailiff for Supreme Court, and inserting \$1200.00.

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the word "two" relating to the number of stenographers in office of auditor of state, substituting therefor the word "three".

Adopted.

Senator Francis offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend by striking out the figures \$1500 relating to the salary of Secretary State Pharmacy Commission and substituting therefor the figures \$1,800.

Adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the joint resolution was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Jackson, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

Farr—1.

Absent or not voting:

Clarkson, Enger, Foskett, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Savage, Schrup, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa—15.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 110, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 637, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 603, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House File No. 628, in which the concurrence of the House was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 624, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the care, protection and propagation of fish, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code, section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File Number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the Acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, section twenty-five hundred thirty-nine (2539), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File Number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the Acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-a (2634-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the Educational Board of Examiners.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 180, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a three (2727-a3), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the secretary of the Board of Control.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 606, a bill for an act to amend sections fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-two (1571-m-2), fifteen hundred seventy-one-five (1571-m-5), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-six (1571-m-6), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-fourteen (1571-m-14), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-fifteen (1571-m-15), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-7 (1571-m-7) and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-twelve (1571-m-12) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 610, a bill for an act providing for the reporting and taxation of electric transmission lines and properties.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter thirteen (13), title twelve (12), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the dairy and food commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 477, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-twelve-a (2489-12-a), supplement to the code, 1913, requiring the owner, lessee, operator or person in charge of a mine to file annual reports of coal mined, number of employes, accidents and other information.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 621, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the trapping and hunting of animals, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred fifty-three (2553) of the code and section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a-one (2563-a1), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent Resolution relating to sine die adjournment.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Concurrent resolution relating to providing the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House each with one chair and one gavel.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Foster withdrew Senate File No. 33 from further consideration of the Senate.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

I move to reconsider the vote by which House File 587 passed the Senate.

ELI C. PERKINS.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 424, 259, 248, 633, 270, 566, 363, 66, 479, 565, 379, 403 and 354.

Senator Francis moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Carried.

Senate went into executive session.

The Senate advised and consulted concerning the nomination of the Hon. Gardner Cowles as a member of the State Board of Education and refused to confirm such nomination.

Senate arose from Executive Session.

Senate resumed regular session.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Robinson, from the special conference committee on Senate File No. 555, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your Conference Committee to adjust the differences of the Senate and House on Senate File No. 555, relating to the appropriations for the erection, repair, improvement, etc., of institutions under the Board of Control, after fully and freely conferring, beg leave to report and recommend the following:

That all pending House amendments to the bill be stricken out:

Amend Senate File No. 555 by striking out of lines six (6) and seven (7) of Section One (1) the words and figures "Eight Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$825,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Six Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$675,000.00)", also

By striking out of line eighteen (18) of Section One (1) the words and figures "Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$400,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Three Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$325,000.00)".

By striking out of line twenty (20) of Section One (1) the words and figures "Four Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000.00)".

Amend Section Four (4) in lines seven (7) and eight (8) by striking out the words and figures "One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures (\$50,000.00)" and

Amend the bill by striking out all of Section Five (5) and

Further amend the bill by striking out the words "District Custodial Farm" wherever the same appears in the Title and body of said bill.

T. J. B. ROBINSON,

L. W. BOE,

G. L. CASWELL,

Conferees on the Part of the Senate.

P. J. KLINKER,

A. J. KANE,

JUSTIN BARRY,

O. A. HELMING,

Conferees on the Part of the House.

Senator Robinson moved that the report be adopted.

Adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Robinson, Senate File No. 555, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r 1 (1400-r 1), and section fourteen hundred-r 2 (1400-r 2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-Minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and State Colony for Epileptics.

Senator Robinson moved that the amendments as recommended by the conference committee be adopted and concurred in.

On the question, "Shall the Senate adopt and concur in the amendments recommended by the conference committee?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were :

Fleck, Sheean—2.

Absent or not voting :

Fellows, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson—9.

So the amendments having received a constitutional majority, were declared adopted and concurred in.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 638, a bill for an act to indemnify and pay to E. O. Sherman the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3000) for the loss and damage sustained by him in the death of his son, Ralph Sherman, caused by being killed on the campus of the state college of agriculture at Ames, December 6, 1914, was taken up and considered.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—43.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Doran, Foskett, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees—7.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Savage, House File No. 293, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of \$2500.00 to indemnify T. D. Fultz for personal injury sustained by him while employed as a carpenter at the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa, with report of committee on appropriations recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Shean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—41.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Frailey, Helmer, Jackson, Quigley, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa—9.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Allen, House File No. 634, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred seventy-three (2573), twenty-five hundred seventy-four (2574), and twenty-five hundred seventy-five (2575) of the code, twenty-five hundred sixty-four (2564), twenty-five hundred sixty-four-a (2564-a), twenty-five hundred seventy-two (2572) and twenty-five hundred seventy-four (2574), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting substitutes therefor and creating a state board of health, fixing its powers and duties, with report of sifting committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—39.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Chase, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Parker, Quigley, Schrup, Thomas, White of Iowa—11.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

SENATE FILE WITHDRAWN.

By unanimous consent, Senator Jones withdrew Senate File No. 557 from further consideration by the Senate.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 629, a bill for an act to repeal section three hundred ninety-two (392) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the fees of commissioners appointed for other states and the record of their appointment, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foster, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Robinson, Savage, Sheean,

Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—37.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Larrabee, Parker, Quigley, Schrup, Thomas, Wilson—13.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House Joint Resolution No. 9, a resolution approving estimates of cost, plans and specification for buildings for the state university of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts and the State Teachers College, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and return the same without recommendation.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House Joint Resolution No. 11, a resolution approving plans and specifications for buildings and improvements at the State Hospital and Colony for Epileptics at Woodward, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and return the same without recommendation.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Committee on Appropriations, Senate Joint Resolution No. 23, a joint resolution relative to approval of plans and specifications for building at institutions under the supervision of the Board of Control.

WHEREAS, the board of control of state institutions has submitted to the thirty-sixth general assembly of the state of Iowa, estimated costs, plans and specifications for the erection of certain buildings and improvements to be completed and erected under the provisions of the laws enacted by the thirty-fifth and thirty-sixth general assemblies, and

WHEREAS, said estimate of costs, plans and specifications are in every way proper and suitable, therefore

Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the plans and specifications for the erection of one industrial building, and industrial equipment and appliances, at the Reformatory, Anamosa, and one industrial building, and industrial equipment and appliances, at the State Penitentiary, Ft. Madison, at a total cost of not to exceed \$75,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for a residence for the warden of the State Penitentiary, Ft. Madison, at a cost of not to exceed \$8,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for a new laundry building and equipment for the Clarinda State Hospital, Clarinda, at a cost of not to exceed \$25,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for building a railway switch and purchasing right-of-way for the Mt. Pleasant State Hospital, Mt. Pleasant, at a cost of not to exceed \$30,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for the erection of a cattle barn for the Mt. Pleasant State Hospital, Mt. Pleasant, at a cost of not to exceed \$9,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for building a railway switch and purchasing right-of-way for the Cherokee State Hospital, Cherokee, at a cost of not to exceed \$25,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for the erection of a new laundry building and equipment at the Independence State Hospital, Independence, at a cost of not to exceed \$25,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for the erection of cottages and administration building for the Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, at a cost of not to exceed \$100,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for the erection of a cow barn at the Institution for Feeble-minded Children, Glenwood, at a cost of not to exceed \$9,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for the erection of a gymnasium and physical building for the Industrial School for Boys, Eldora, at a cost of not to exceed \$50,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for the erection of an addition to the hospital for advanced cases of tuberculosis, and equipment, furniture and furnishings for same at the State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, Oakdale, at a cost of not to exceed \$60,000.00, are hereby approved; that the plans and specifications for an addition to the west wing of the administration building at the Institution for Feeble-minded Children, Glenwood, at a cost of not to exceed \$10,000.00, are hereby approved.

SEC. 2. The board of control of state institutions is hereby authorized to erect all of the buildings enumerated in section one (1) of this joint resolution as soon as funds are appropriated and are available, and the board is hereby authorized to make changes in any of said plans if in their judgment it will be better for the institution, no change, however, to be made that will cost more for the building and improvement than is set aside for that purpose in section one (1) of this joint resolution.

Read first and second time.

Senator Whitmore offered the following motion:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are hereby extended to its desk force, which has efficiently and faithfully and with uniform impartiality and courtesy, through a great mass of detail, served the Senate during this, the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

By unanimous consent, the resolution was taken up, considered and adopted unanimously.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 243, a bill for an act making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being injured by the falling of a building on the fair grounds, at Des Moines, Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 587, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty (2730), supplement to the Code, 1913, relative to the amount of tax that may be levied for the support of county high schools in the state of Iowa, and to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three 1-a (2733-1-a), supplement to the Code, 1913, relative to the amount of tuition to be paid high schools in counties where county high schools are maintained.

Also:

House File No. 576, a bill for an act to provide for joint action between the duly constituted authorities of this state having jurisdiction of drainage proceedings and like authorities of adjoining states, with a view to joint and equitable drainage of lands of both states, and to provide for the procedure in such cases.

Also:

House File No. 175, a bill for an act for the relief of the blind.

Also:

House File No. 475, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred four (1304), supplement to the Code, 1913, relating to the exemption of certain property from taxation.

Also:

House File No. 524, a bill for an act to empower school boards, under stated conditions, to purchase or lease for stated educational purposes comprised under the term Park Life tracts of land and to improve the same for the purpose of establishing thereon summer homes or school for children who desire to continue their studies in useful pur-

suits throughout the year, and to define the purposes, functions and objects of such schools.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

Senator Larrabee, from the sifting committee, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your sifting committee, to whom was referred House File No. 543, by Swain, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same be amended as follows, and when so amended the bill do pass:

Amend section 1 by inserting after the figures “(\$4,000)” as they appear in the eighth line thereof, the word “each”.

Also, amend section 1 by striking out the words and figures “twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00)” as they appear in lines 12 and 13, and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures “Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00)”.

Also, amend section 1 by striking out the words and figures “Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000)” as they appear in lines 14 and 15, and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures “Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00)”

Passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Wilson, House File No. 543, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred seventy-five (1875), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of bank examiners, their salaries, and fees of banks, and enacting a substitute therefor, with report of sifting committee recommending amendments and passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Wilson moved the adoption of the following amendments:

Amend section 1 by inserting after the figures “(\$4,000)” as they appear in the eighth line thereof, the word “each”.

Also, amend section 1 by striking out the words and figures “twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00)” as they appear in lines 12 and 13, and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures “Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00)”.

Also, amend section 1 by striking out the words and figures “Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000)” as they appear in lines 14 and 15, and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures “Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800.00)”.

Adopted.

Senator Wilson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 630, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the duration of school bonds, as the same appears in section twenty-eight hundred twelve-e (2712-e), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 560, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-B, Title III of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers, and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 460, a bill for an act to authorize soldiers' relief commissions to procure and furnish metal markers for the graves of soldiers, sailors or marines, and to pay for the same out of the soldiers' relief funds.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 627, a bill for an act legalizing assignments of mortgages and other recorded liens made upon the margin of the records and making such assignments admissible in evidence.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 218, a bill for an act to encourage the dairy industry and beef growing industries of the state of Iowa and to aid in providing instruction in practical and scientific methods and making an appropriation therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Substitute for Senate File No. 40, a bill for an act to amend section 2540 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the season during which fish and game may be taken.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 631, a bill for an act making appropriation of funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the interstate commerce commission and intra-state cases and service.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 276, a bill for an act relating to pure food as the same appears in sections forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one (4999-a31), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one-c (4999-a31-c), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one-e (4999-a31-e) and forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one-f (4999-a-31-f), supplement to the code, 1913.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 234, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section two thousand five hundred and seventy-five-a-52 (2575-a-52), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, making annual appropriation for carrying on the work of the state entomologist.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 340, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school fund loans.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 390, a bill for an act to provide for the acquisition of water supply for power house purposes by condemnation by interurban railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven (1997) of the code.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 176, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand ninety-four (3094) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the filing of mechanics' liens by subcontractors after thirty days.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked:

Senate File No. 620, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred fourteen-p, twenty-five hundred fourteen-s and twenty-five hundred fourteen-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the inspection of hotels.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 76, a bill for an act to amend chapter three hundred forty-eight (348) of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, relating to pensions to survivors of the Spirit Lake Relief Expedition extending said pension to Abbile Gardner Sharp.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House declines to return House File No. 587, in which the concurrence of the Senate was asked.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and concurred in Senate concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Concurrent Resolution relative to replacing code supplements.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate Concurrent Resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Concurrent Resolution relating to certain employes remaining on duty after adjournment of the legislature.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 602, a bill for an act to legalize the actions of the board of directors of the Consolidated Independent School District of Lanyon, in the counties of Webster and Greene, state of Iowa, relative to the issuance of certain bonds of said Consolidated Independent School District.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Hagemann, House File No. 267, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the selection of official newspapers, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Hagemann moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Savage, Taylor, Thomas, White of Iowa—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Kimball moved that the sifting committee be instructed by the Senate to return to the Senate, House File No. 458 and that same be considered at once.

Motion prevailed.

The sifting committee returned to the Senate, House File No. 458.

On motion of Senator Kimball, House File No. 458, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor, was taken up and considered.

Senator Quigley offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill by substituting the words "thirty-five" for the words "twenty-five" in line 17 of section 1 of the bill.

Adopted.

Senator Kimball moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Boe, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foster, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Farr, Hilsinger, Larrabee—3.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Helmer, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate he had signed in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 243, 587, 576, 175, 475 and 524.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 592, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the board of supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of the said board of supervisors in making payments in accordance with the said resolution, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File 592 by striking out the period (.) following the word "Iowa" in the last line of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) and adding the words "without expense to the state."

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Sheean, Thomas, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—33.

The nays were:

Larrabee—1.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Balkema, Chase, Darrah, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Taylor—16.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

Senator Greene called up for consideration the motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate File No. 133 passed the Senate and moved the vote be reconsidered.

On this motion a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Doran, Eversmeyer, Foster, Hagemann, Heald, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Ream, Thomas—10.

The nays were :

Boe, Caswell, Crist, Enger, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—16.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Darrah, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Grout, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thompson, White of Iowa—24.

The motion to reconsider was lost.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 514 a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a44, (2727-a44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by striking out the words "not to exceed One Thousand (\$1000.00) Dollars during any one month", said words following the word "necessary" in the sixth line of said bill.

Senator Robinson moved that the Senate concur in House amendment.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendment?"

The ayes were :

Boe, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Farr, Fleck, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Savage, Taylor, Thompson—18.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Robinson, House File No. 597, a bill for an act to amend chapter 11-D of title 13 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment, maintenance and management of the state hospital and colony for epileptics, and making appropriation therefor, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Robinson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—32.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Chase, Darrah, Fellows, Fleck, Fokkett, Francis, Hagemann, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Thomas, from the conference committee on Senate File No. 190, submitted the following report:

Your conference committee to adjust the differences of the Senate and House on Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824), twenty-eight hundred thirty-six (2836), of the code, and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board, after fully and freely conferring,

beg leave to report and recommend the following substitute for same and recommend its adoption.

C. H. THOMAS,
JNO. T. CLARKSON,
L. W. BOE,

On the part of the Senate.

CLAUS. L. ANDERSON,
GEO. W. CROZIER,
C. W. MILLER,
GEO. F. TUCKER,

On the part of the House.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the report of the committee.

Adopted.

Conference Report on Senate File No. 190.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to Repeal the Law as It Appears in Sections Twenty-eight Hundred Twenty-four (2824) and Twenty-eight Hundred Thirty-six (2836) of the Code and Twenty-eight Hundred Thirty-one (2831) and Twenty-eight Hundred Thirty-two (2832), Supplement to the Code, 1913, Relating to the Formation of the County Board of Education, Defining the Duties of Said Board; and to Provide for Elections on the Questions of Adopting or Approving County Uniformity of Text Books and Free Books and for the Purchase and Distribution and Sale of Text Books; and Prohibiting Publishers of School Text Books and Others from Taking Any Part In Connection With the Submission to the People of the Question of County Uniformity of Text Books.

Amend by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof, the following:

SEC. 1. That the law as it appears in section twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

The board of directors of each and every public school in the state of Iowa, excepting those adopting county uniformity of school text books as hereinafter provided for, is hereby authorized and empowered to adopt text books for the teaching of all branches that are now or may hereafter be authorized to be taught in the said public schools of the state, and to contract for and buy said books and any and all other necessary school supplies at said contract prices, and to sell the same to the pupils of their respective districts at cost, and said money so received shall be returned to the contingent fund. The books and supplies so purchased shall be under the charge of the board, who may select one or more persons within the county to keep said books and supplies for sale, and, to insure the safety of the books and supplies for sale, shall require of each person so appointed a bond in such sum as may seem to the board to be desirable.

SEC. 2. That the law as it appears in section twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

(a) The county board of education shall consist of the county superintendent of schools, who shall be chairman ex-officio with power to call said board together at the county seat, a member of the board of supervisors, and three other persons named as hereinafter directed, one of whom shall be a member of a school board in the county at the time of his appointment and a resident of a school corporation using the uniform text books and chosen both for his business and educational qualifications, and two resident educators of standing who are engaged in teaching in the county at the time of their appointment, one of whom shall be a teacher in a rural school with not less than two years' experience in teaching, and one a teacher in a city or town school who has had not less five years' experience in teaching, both of whom possess either a first grade uniform county certificate or a regular state certificate, or a state diploma; but no two of such three members shall be from the same school corporation, or from the same civil township. Before entering upon their duties, they shall qualify by taking the oath of office.

(b) The board of supervisors sitting with the county superintendent of schools who shall act as chairman, and the county auditor, who shall act as secretary, and each having a vote, shall at the regular meeting of the board of supervisors in January, 1916, or if no meeting be held in January, then at the next regular meeting thereafter, choose the four members of the county board of education as by this act provided, excepting counties now having contracts under the law for uniform text books, the county board of education shall not be chosen until the January session of the county board of supervisors next preceding the expiration of such contract.

The members of such county board of education shall serve for five years from the date of their appointment and until their successors are chosen and qualified, and new appointments shall be made in the same way at the close of each recurring five-year period. Vacancies in the county board of education by removal from the county or by ceasing to be a member of the class from which such member was originally chosen or otherwise, shall be filled by the same body having authority to make original appointments and from the same class in which the vacancy occurs.

The county auditor shall keep a full and complete record of all meetings called to select the county board of education in a book provided for that purpose.

(c) In all counties now having or hereafter adopting uniform text books, the county board of education shall meet and select and adopt and contract for uniform school text books in and for such county, under such rules and regulations as they may adopt and in accordance with the provisions of section twenty-eight hundred twenty-eight (2828) supplement to the code, 1913. Text books thus selected shall be the latest editions and shall be used in the elementary grades of all school districts in the county in so far as county uniformity of text books ap-

plies as by law provided. It shall be the duty of the county superintendent with the approval of the chairman of the board of supervisors to order such additional books from time to time under this contract as may be necessary.

(d) In counties operating under county uniformity of text books no adoptions shall be made until the expiration of existing contracts.

(e) Any bidder, or any person in behalf of any bidder, who gives, or offers to give any member of the county board of education, any gift or favor of value, or attempts to influence the action of the members of said board, except by arguments, and any member of the county board of education who accepts from any bidder, or any person in the interest of any bidder, any gift or favor of value, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; and conviction of any member of said board shall disqualify him from further service on said board; provided that any member of such board may accept one copy only of any school text book upon which bids have been submitted by any person, firm or corporation.

(f) Any bidder, or any person in behalf of any bidder, who gives or offers to give any gift or favor of value, or attempts in any way to influence the selection of the county board of education, or any member of said appointing board who accepts any gifts or favor of value from any bidder, or from any person in behalf of such bidder shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

(g) The compensation allowed the members of said board of education shall be the same mileage and per diem as is received by the board of supervisors for session work; provided that no member shall be paid two salaries for the same day's work.

SEC. 3. That the law as it appears in section twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

When a list of text books has been selected they shall be used in the elementary grades of all public schools of said county except as herein provided and the board of supervisors may arrange for such depositories and under such rules and regulations as they may deem best, and shall require such bond as may be necessary from such depositories to safeguard the public interests.

It shall be the duty of the county board of education to select the books necessary and to execute contracts for the same in triplicate; one copy of which shall be given to the successful bidder, one copy to the board of supervisors and one copy shall be mailed to the state superintendent of public instruction.

It is hereby made the duty of the county board of supervisors to pay for the books purchased under this contract out of the county fund upon itemized invoice bills approved by the county superintendent.

The books shall be sold by the depositories at the contract price at which they are obtained by the county. When a family residing in territory to which county uniformity applies removes from the county, the superintendent, or depository of the school district in which he resides, may purchase out of the proper fund, the text books in actual use by the children of the family at a fair price, based on the condition of the

books and under such rules and regulations as the county board of education may adopt; such books to be resold, when necessary, to other pupils moving into such county or district.

The county superintendent shall have charge of such text books and the distribution thereof among the depositories selected by the board of supervisors and shall return monthly to the county fund all moneys received for the sale of text books.

It shall be the duty of the county superintendent to keep an account with each depository and to check up the books on hand at least once in every three months, and he shall render to the board of supervisors, at their January and June meetings, an account of his doings and shall be liable on his official bond therefor.

SEC. 4. In every county not having adopted uniform school text books there shall be submitted to the voters at the regular school election in March, 1916, and every five (5) years thereafter the board of supervisors may upon their own motion, or upon petition of ten (10) per cent of the voters as shown by the number of votes cast at the last election where-at the proposition was submitted to the voters for determination, shall, at the annual school election in March, submit to the qualified electors the question whether the county shall adopt uniform school text books.

Notice of the submission of said question shall be given in writing by the county superintendent to the secretary of each school corporation within said county not less than thirty days prior to the holding of said annual school meetings, and each said secretary shall include the same in his call for said meeting. The form of the submission of said question shall be: Shall county uniformity of text books be adopted? Yes. No. The county superintendent shall cause sufficient ballots to be printed and distributed to the several school secretaries within said county not less than three days prior to holding of said school elections. The votes shall be canvassed by the respective boards of directors and the result thereof certified to by the president and secretary of said board of directors and the secretary of said school board shall transmit the same promptly to the county auditor. Said several returns shall, as soon as practicable thereafter, be canvassed by a board of canvassers consisting of the county auditor, county superintendent and the chairman of the county board of supervisors of said county, and if a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said proposition it shall be declared duly carried, and the result thereof duly published. The cost of printing and distributing of said ballots shall be paid out of the general county fund. It shall be unlawful for any school book house, firm or corporation or their agents or representatives in any way to interfere or attempt to interfere or to exert influence in any manner upon the voters in any county either in favor of or against the adoption of county uniformity. Any person or persons found guilty of such act shall, upon conviction thereof be fined not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

SEC. 5. The provision of this act as to county uniformity including sections twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831), twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), of this chapter, shall not apply to public schools

located within cities and towns; but nothing herein shall be construed as to prevent such schools in said cities and towns from adopting and buying the school books adopted by the county board of education at the prices fixed for the sale of same to the public schools of the county, if a majority of the school board in any such city or town shall so decide at a regularly called meeting for that purpose, ten days' notice in writing having been given each member of said board. Such a meeting may be called by the president of the board, or by petition of two members of any such board filed with the secretary.

SEC. 6. That the law as it appears in section twenty-eight hundred thirty-six (2836) of the code be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

In each city, town and village corporation in which free text books are not provided for, the board of directors of such school corporation in the state of Iowa, shall submit to the voters of said school corporations at the regular meeting in March, 1916, and at such annual elections thereafter as petitioned for by ten per cent of the electors, based upon the vote whereat a like proposition had been submitted to the voters of such corporation, the proposition of adopting free text books; and the board of each and every rural school corporation may upon its own motion, or shall upon petition of ten per cent of the electors residing within the school corporation, submit to the qualified electors the question of free text books for use of pupils in the public schools thereof, and the secretary shall cause notice of such proposition to be given in the notice for the annual meeting, and in any school corporation in which text books are now or may hereafter be furnished free, the board of directors of said school corporation is hereby authorized and empowered and it shall be their duty, to select the text books to be used in the schools of such corporation, and it is provided that in counties having county uniformity of text books the school board of corporations coming under the provisions of county uniformity shall select and purchase the uniform series adopted by the county board of education. It is also provided that the proposition of free text books may be submitted once only in five years except by petition as heretofore provided for.

SEC. 7. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Senator Thomas moved the adoption of the report.

Adopted.

Senator Thomas moved that the amendments to Senate File 190 be adopted.

On the adoption of the amendments, a roll call was demanded.

Senator Thomas invoked Rule 8.

Senators Arney and Farr were excused from voting.

The ayes were:

Allen, Balkema, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Enger, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Ream, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—26.

The nays were:

Boe, Grout, Heald, Hilsinger, Jackson, Savage, Schrup—7.

Absent or not voting:

Arney, Caswell, Chase, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Fokett, Foster, Francis, Hagemann, Lindly, Parker, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees, White of Iowa—17.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

Senator Perkins moved that the Senate request the sifting committee to return to the Senate House File No. 394.

Motion withdrawn.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter thirteen (13) title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the Dairy and Food Commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend Senate File No. 265 by striking out all after the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in Section Twenty-five Hundred and Fifteen-f (2515-f), Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by adding after the word "commissioner" in the twenty-fourth (24) and twenty-fifth (25) lines the following:

"For the purpose of insuring a higher standard of excellence and quality, a more uniform butter market, a higher market value for the butter manufactured in the state, and to insure a more healthful product for consumption at home and abroad, there is hereby created and adopted the following State Trade Mark (or such modification thereof as may be made by the Executive Committee to meet the requirements of the United States copyright laws) for butter manufactured in the state of Iowa. The mark shall consist of a heavy circle with an inner light circle, the center space being occupied by an outline of the map of Iowa and within the outline shall appear in prominent letters the words 'Iowa Butter.' In the space above the outline

and within the light circle shall appear the words 'First Quality. License No.....' and the words 'State Butter Control' shall be inserted in the space below the outline of the map and within the light circle. Said trade-mark and its use and regulation shall be in charge of and under the control of an Executive Committee of five members consisting of the President of the Iowa State Dairy Association, the President of the Iowa State Buttermakers' Association, the Dean of the Division of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the Professor of Dairying of the same institution, and the Dairy and Food Commissioner of the State of Iowa.

The State Trade Mark shall be controlled, used, manufactured and issued under such rules and regulations as may be found necessary, from time to time, by the said Executive Committee, such Executive Committee shall have power to make such changes in the rules and regulations for the use of said trade mark as it may deem necessary from time to time.

The rules governing the use of such trade mark shall be published by and through bulletins issued by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner. Such labels, stamps, or other means of imprinting such trade mark upon the manufactured product, or the receptacles containing the same shall be furnished to those entitled to the use thereof by the State Dairy and Food Commissioner at actual cost.

The said Executive Committee is hereby directed and authorized to secure a copyright under the laws of the United States for trade-marks, and copyrights for such trade-mark for butter, and the expenses thereof shall be paid for from the funds appropriated for the use of the State Dairy and Food Department.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, association or individual to use the said trade-mark for butter on their products without first complying with all the rules and regulations prescribed by the said Executive Committee for the use of the same."

SECTION 2. That the law as it appears in Section Twenty-five Hundred Fifteen, Supplement to the Code, 1913, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "two" where the same appears at the end of line forty-two (42) and substituting in lieu thereof the word "four".

Senator Crist moved that the Senate concur in House amendment.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees—20.

So the House amendments having received a constitutional majority were declared to have been concurred in.

President pro tem Crist was called to the chair at 11:30 a. m.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Jones, House Joint Resolution No. 11, a resolution approving plans and specifications for buildings and improvements at the state hospital and colony for epileptics at Woodward, Iowa, was taken up and considered.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the joint resolution was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Hagemann, Heald, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thompson, Voorhees—21.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, Senate Joint Resolution No. 23, a joint resolution relative to approval of plans and specifications

for building at institutions under the supervision of the board of control, was taken up and considered.

Senator Jones moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read a second and third time on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the joint resolution was read a third time.

Senator Jones invoked rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Shean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—36.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Enger, Fleck, Francis, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thompson—14.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Jones, House Joint Resolution No. 9, a resolution approving estimates of cost, plans and specifications for buildings for the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts and the State Teachers College, was taken up and considered.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—I move to amend House Joint Resolution No. 9 by striking out from lines 11 and 12 the words "and a building for botany and geology."

Also amend by striking from lines 14 and 15 the words "building for agricultural engineering."

Also amend by striking from lines 15 and 16 the words "and a dairy barn."

Also amend by striking from lines 6 and 7 of Sec. 1 the words and figures "and a building for botany and geology at a cost not to exceed Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars."

Also amend by striking from lines 6 and 7 of Sec. 2 the words and figures "A building for agricultural engineering at a cost not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$150,000.00) Dollars."

Also amend by striking from lines 9 and 10 of Sec. 2 the words and figures "and a dairy barn at a cost not to exceed Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars."

Also amend by striking out Sec. 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the following as Sec. 4:

"The state board of education is hereby authorized to erect and equip all of the buildings enumerated in Sec. 1, 2 and 3 of this joint resolution from the funds appropriated for such buildings and equipment by the 36th General Assembly, provided that the expenditures for the building alone shall not exceed the amount mentioned in this resolution for such building."

Adopted.

Senator Jones moved that the rule be suspended, the joint resolution be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the joint resolution was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the joint resolution pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Foster, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Henigbaum, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Schrup, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Clarkson, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Heald, Hilsinger, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Savage, Taylor, Thompson—21.

So the joint resolution having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

EXCHANGE OF SEATS.

Senator Thomas, holding Senate seat No. 2, agreed and arranged to exchange seats with Senator Balkema, holding Senate Seat No. 18, and they jointly asked that this exchange be entered upon the records.

Senator Larrabee moved that the secretary of the Senate be instructed to correct the Journal for today and that when so corrected, same would stand approved.

By unanimous consent, taken up, considered and adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Wilson, from the special committee selected to purchase a chair and gavel for the President of the Senate, reported that they had performed that duty and moved that a committee of two be named by the President pro tem to escort President Harding to the chair.

President pro tem Crist appointed as such committee, Senators Wilson and Clarkson to escort President Harding to the Chair.

President Harding was escorted to the Chair.

Senator Wilson, from the special committee, spoke as follows :

We are here, Mr. President, as a Special Committee appointed to present to you as the Lieutenant Governor and presiding officer of this body, a chair and gavel. It is needless to say that it is a pleasurable duty to present to you this chair and gavel, and it is also needless to say that on behalf, not only of the majority but the minority of these senators, in fact the entire body of the Senate we are gratified in having you as Lieutenant Governor preside over the deliberations of the Senate at this session. I know I voice the unanimous sentiment of this body when I say that your acts have been of such a character as to commend themselves as fair and impartial, and an earnest desire on your part to discharge the duties of presiding officer that is unexcelled. It may be that in addressing you as Governor I am presuming somewhat, but I think perhaps I voice the conclusions of a number of the senators that such a title would be entirely in order. I may say further, Governor Harding, that in the future as you recline in this chair you will rejoice in the companionship of a young lady whose coming has been a matter of rejoicing, not only to yourself and your esteemed companion, but to the entire Senate. May you, Governor Harding, as you recline in this chair either in your office or in your home, or wherever you may occupy it in the future enjoy yourself and may you reflect with credit upon the session of the Thirty-Sixth General Assembly.

Governor Harding, in responding, spoke as follows :

MR. CHAIRMAN AND SENATORS—This is the second time during this term of my office that I have been made the recipient of the bounties of the Senate and the State of Iowa, in gift. It was on the day that I took the oath of office for this term, that I was first presented, or rather we were presented, with a cradle, and today with a chair. The two illustrate how time flies, and how the thing that is of importance and interest today becomes either of great importance or of no importance tomorrow. The cradle represents the beginning of life, and the chair the declining years of life. As we reflect upon this Thirty-sixth General Assembly it is easy for us to go back over the history of the session and find that we really have had such a large part in history making, that we have lived in the short 100 days we have been here really a lifetime.

It has been a pleasure to me this winter to preside over this body. I have profound respect and admiration for every one of the fifty senators. If I were not a man I would say that I loved every one of you. This Senate Chamber would never seem right to me if I should come back and find that there was a single vacant seat. It is like home to come here. The Senator from Boone has his peculiar speeches, the Senator from Delaware can get as serious upon a subject of levity as anyone I ever knew, the Senator from Bremer has his peculiarities, the Senator from Winnebago delivers his finished, polished three-minute sermonettes, the Senator from Monroe has his peculiar gestures, the Senator from Dubuque begs the Senate's pardon for occupying its time and then makes a profound speech, the Senator from Cherokee talks in the language of the flowers, and so on I might call your attention to the peculiarities that have impressed me in each and every Senator, and through it all there has been a spirit of friendship and companionship.

I want you all to know that this afternoon I appreciate more than I have been able to show or more than I may be able to say, the honor that has been conferred upon me in permitting me to preside over this body. I appreciate the honor that I have had in coming in contact with the great men who have occupied seats in this body. I appreciate the opportunity that I have had in the making of Iowa history. This little gavel, and this easy chair will be a reminder of the pleasant associations of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly. I want to feel as I go out from this Senate Chamber that there goes with me the kind feelings of every man, for success in the things that are right in life, and I want you to know that with each and every one of you as you go out from this Senate Chamber, will go my kindest feelings and thoughts of you for your success in life.

It is so easy for us to divide ourselves into different parties and factions. After all when we brush aside those things and get right down to the things that are real, we learn that all there is in life is the opportunities afforded to help and protect our brothers.

I want again to say to you that I appreciate the kindly treatment that I have received this session, and if any harsh word has been said, or if anyone has had hard feelings, I hope that you will all know that it

was not meant in that way, but was simply momentary passion or strife, and I hope that we can all leave here wishing everyone well.

I appreciate these tokens, whose possession will call to memory in the times to come, the pleasures I have experienced here this session. I want to thank you heartily for this, and through you I want to thank the people of Iowa for them.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW FROM SIFTING COMMITTEE.

Senator Kimball moved that the sifting committee be instructed to return to the Senate, House File No. 246, and that same be taken up for consideration at this time.

Motion lost.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has amended and passed the following Joint Resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, fixing the number and compensation of the employes in the departments of state at the seat of government.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has adopted the report of the conference committee, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has failed to pass the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 325, a bill for an act providing for the protection and safety of persons employed in or being about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts, and other structures, providing means for the enforcement of said act, for recovery of damages by persons injured by a failure to comply with the provisions and providing penalties for violations of its provisions.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has failed to adopt the report of the conference committee recommending to substitute:

Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code, and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 637, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-seven (twenty-five-a-7) and twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-nine (2575-a-9), chapter sixteen-A (16-A), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the bacteriological laboratory.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Senator Wilson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved, that the thanks of the Senate of the 36th General Assembly be extended to the courteous and efficient committee clerks who have shown themselves to be ready at all times to perform their duties in an efficient manner.

Adopted.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, a joint resolution fixing the number and compensation of employees in the Department of State at the seat of government.

HOUSE AMENDMENTS.

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 as follows:

1st. Strike out the figures "\$10,000.00", being the item for "additional assistance and contingent fund" for office of Attorney General, and substitute the figures "\$6,500.00".

2nd. Strike out the first line of the appropriation for the office of Treasurer of State as follows:

"One collateral inheritance tax collector and general clerk \$2,200.00".

3rd. Strike out item "five" for the appropriation for the Executive Council as follows:

"One Capitol Ground extension representative who shall act as land purchasing agent to be named by the Governor at a salary not to exceed \$2,000.00".

Also, amend Senate Joint Resolution Number 22 by inserting the following section in paragraph "For Janitors for Certain Offices" as found in the Senate Journal of April 16, 1915, page 1844, between the third and fourth paragraphs thereof:

For the offices of the Pharmacy Department, State Mine Inspector and Census Department, there shall be one janitor, selected by the Adjutant General as Custodian, at a salary of not to exceed \$780.00.

Also by amending the last paragraph thereof by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four".

Also, amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 by striking out "\$1,200" in line 32, page 1844 of the printed bill as it appears in the Journal of April 16th and inserting in lieu thereof "\$1,300".

Also, amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 by striking out, under the heading of "to be employed by the adjutant general as custodian of public buildings," the words "One janitress to have charge of the ladies' toilet room" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "One matron of the state house".

Also, amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 22 by adding to the same as shown on printed page of Senate Journal, page 1843, under heading "For Executive Council" following the provision for postmaster the following: "One assistant postmaster at a salary not to exceed "\$900.00".

Senator Savage moved that the Senate concur in House amendments.

On the question, "Shall the Senate concur in House amendments?"

The ayes were:

Doran, Foster, Hagemann, Helmer—4.

The nays were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Enger, Fellows, Gillette, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jackson, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Schrup, Shean, Voorhees, White of Benton, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

Absent or not voting:

Caswell, Chase, Crist, Eversmeyer, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Frailey, Francis, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Parker, Ream, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa—18.

So the Senate refused to concur in House amendments.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23, a joint resolution relative to approval of plans and specifications for buildings at institutions under the supervision of the Board of Control.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has indefinitely postponed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 638, a bill for an act to indemnify and pay to E. O. Sherman the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3000) for the loss and damage sustained by him in the death of his son, Ralph Sherman, caused by being killed on the campus of the State College of Agriculture at Ames, December 6, 1914.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House concurs in Senate amendments in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

House File No. 458.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House concurs in Senate amendments in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

House File No. 543.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in Senate concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to purchasing chairs occupied by the members of the Senate.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the has concurred in Senate concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to commission for inquiring into the expediency of the adoption of an official flag for Iowa.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the has concurred in Senate concurrent resolution, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to printing two thousand copies of Senate File No. 567, as amended.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has concurred in concurrent resolution in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate concurrent resolution relative to shipping books and supplies to the members of the general assembly.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House recedes from its amendments to Senate Joint Resolution No. 22.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 469, a bill for an act amending section 1258 of the code, relating to removal of municipal officers.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Senator Wilson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved, that the Senate of the 36th General Assembly recognizing the services of our sergeant at arms and doorkeepers, desire to tender them our best wishes as they journey down the steeps of time towards the unknown country from whose bourne no traveler e'er returns.

And Be it Further Resolved, that to these veterans of the grandest army ever mustered on earth, we extend our thanks for their unflinching devotion to duty and constant attendance in the discharge of their duties.

By unanimous consent taken up, considered and adopted.

COMMUNICATION FROM CHIEF DOOR KEEPER.

The following communication was received from J. H. Doty, Chief Doorkeeper of the Senate:

MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THIS THIRTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY—In behalf of the doorkeepers of this Senate, I want to thank you one and all for the courtesy you have extended to us during this Thirty-sixth General Assembly, and if it is ever possible for us to reciprocate, we shall be glad to do so.

HOUSE MESSAGES CONSIDERED.

Concurrent resolution relative to furnishing copies of code supplements to replace those which have been lost.

HOUSE AMENDMENT.

Amend by adding the following:

Also furnish copies of such supplement to Representatives Coast and Johnston of Lucas.

Senator Kimball moved that the Senate concur in House amendment to the Concurrent Resolution.

Carried.

House File No. 418, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-seven (297) of the code supplement, 1913, relating to compensation of the clerks of the district court, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Read first and second time and referred to sifting committee.

Senator Kimball moved that the rules be suspended and that House File No. 418 be withdrawn from the sifting committee.

Motion lost.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House fails to adopt report of conference committee on Senate File No. 190, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty-eight hundred twenty-four (2824) of the code, and twenty-eight hundred thirty-one (2831) and twenty-eight hundred thirty-two (2832), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of the county board of education and defining the duties of said board.

The following communication was received from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE OF IOWA.

G. W. CLARKE, GOVERNOR.

DES MOINES, APRIL 17, 1915.

TO THE SENATE: GENTLEMEN—The refusal of the Senate to confirm the nomination of Mr. Gardner Cowles for membership on the State Board of Education makes it absolutely impossible for me to submit, or the Senate to consider, another nomination at this session, for the reason that the law provides that:

“No nominations shall be considered by the Senate until the same shall have been referred to a committee of five, not more than three of whom shall belong to the same political party, to be appointed by the President of the Senate without the formality of a motion, which committee shall

report to the Senate in executive session, which report shall be made at any time when called for by the Senate. The consideration of nominations by the Senate shall not be had on the same legislative day that the nominations are so referred."

I take it that this last sentence means that the nomination cannot be considered on the day that it is referred to the committee.

I very much regret the situation that is presented, but it is unavoidable.

Very respectfully yours,

G. W. CLARKE,
Governor.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Thomas, House File No. 595, a bill for an act to amend section 887 of the code, relating to the levying of general taxes for cities, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Parker offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend House File No. 595 as follows:

"This act shall not apply to cities having a population of 47,000 or more."

Amendment lost.

Senator Thomas moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Thomas invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Balkema, Boe, Clarkson, Darrah, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Kimball, Larrabee, Robinson, Sheean, Voorhees, Wilson—15.

The nays were:

Arney, Caswell, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Fosskett, Grout, Parker, Quigley, Thomas, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore—15.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Crist, Fellows, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson—20.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 288, a bill for an act making annual appropriations to the state university, Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the Iowa state teachers college, and the college for the blind.

Also:

Senate File No. 242, a bill for an act making special appropriations for the state university of Iowa, the Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the Iowa state teachers college, and the college for the blind.

Also:

Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s 3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s 8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 9 (1527-s 9), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s 11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s 13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16), and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m 32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes in lieu thereof, and to amend sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s 2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 5 (1527-s 5), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 10 (1527-s 10), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 14 (1527-s 14), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s 12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the highway commission, the creation of a system of county and township road, bridge and culvert construction and maintenance, and the right, duties and powers of county, township and other officers and employees with reference thereto, and to regulate the apportionment and expenditure of certain money for highway purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 622, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the protection of game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File No. four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Also:

Senate File No. 576, a bill for an act to repeal section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a six (4999-a6), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven (4999-a7), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a

eight (4999-a8), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a nine (4999-a9), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a ten (4999-a 10), and four thousand nine hundred ninety nine-a eleven (4999-a11), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and amending sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-i (2514-i), and repealing sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-n (2514-n) and two thousand five hundred fourteen-c (2514-c) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and all relating to fire escapes, stairways and means of escape from buildings, structures or enclosures and protection against fire, providing for the inspection of such means of protection of buildings, and the duties of commissioner of labor and other officers in relation thereto.

Also:

Senate File No. 359, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 448, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors.

Also:

Senate File No. 623, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a4 (2563-a4), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to license fees for the issuance of licenses to hunt.

Also:

Senate File No. 492, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-b (1798-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies.

Also:

Senate File No. 223, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bids for street improvements.

Also:

Senate File No. 439, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred thirty-six (136) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of the Iowa academy of sciences.

Also:

Senate File No. 633, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, in fixing the salary of the mayor and council of said city.

Also :

Senate File No. 514, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a 44 (2727-a 44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 288, a bill for an act making annual appropriations to the state university, Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the Iowa state teachers college, and the college for the blind.

Also :

Senate File No. 242, a bill for an act making special appropriations for the state university of Iowa, the Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the Iowa state teachers college, and the college for the blind.

Also :

Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s 3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s 8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 9 (1527-s 9), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s 11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s 13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16), and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m 32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes in lieu thereof, and to amend sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s 2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 5 (1527-s 5), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 10 (1527-s 10), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 14 (1527-s 14), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s 12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the highway commission, the creation of a system of county and township road, bridge and culvert construction and maintenance, and the right, duties and powers of county, township and other officers and employees with reference thereto, and to regulate the apportionment and expenditure of certain money for highway purposes.

Also :

Senate File No. 622, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the protection of game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File No. four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Also :

Senate File No. 576, a bill for an act to repeal section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a six (4999-a6), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven (4999-a7), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eight (4999-a8), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a nine (4999-a9), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a ten (4999-a 10), and four thousand nine hundred ninety nine-a eleven (4999-a11), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and amending sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-i (2514-i), and repealing sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-n (2514-n) and two thousand five hundred fourteen-c (2514-c) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and all relating to fire escapes, stairways and means of escape from buildings, structures or enclosures and protection against fire, providing for the inspection of such means of protection of buildings, and the duties of commissioner of labor and other officers in relation thereto.

Also :

Senate File No. 359, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also :

Senate File No. 448, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors.

Also :

Senate File No. 623, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a4 (2563-a4), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to license fees for the issuance of licenses to hunt.

Also :

Senate File No. 492, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-b (1798-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies.

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Also:

Senate File No. 633, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, in fixing the salary of the mayor and council of said city.

Also:

Senate File No. 514, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a 44 (2727-a 44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

MOTION TO RECALL

Senator Frailey moved that the Senate recall House File No. 34 from the sifting committee.

Motion lost.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Enger, House File No. 509, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 1571-m 20, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the powers of local authorities to regulate automobile speed and traffic, with report of committee on cities and towns without recommendation, was taken up and considered.

Senator Enger moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Enger, Fleck, Greene, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Whitmore, Wilson—18.

The nays were:

Doran, Eversmeyer, Kimball, Robinson, Shean, Voorhees, White of Benton—7.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Clarkson, Crist, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson,

Jones, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, White of Iowa—25.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on appropriations, Senate File No. 639, a bill for an act amending section five thousand and seventy-seven-a-twenty-four (5077-a24), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standardization of agricultural seeds, and eliminating appropriation to the state food and dairy commission in connection therewith.

Read first and second time.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 639, a bill for an act amending section five thousand and seventy-seven-a-twenty-four (5077-a24), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standardization of agricultural seeds, and eliminating appropriation to the state food and dairy commission in connection therewith, was taken up and considered.

Senator Savage moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read a second and third time on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Savage invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Greene, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—30.

The nays were:

Clarkson, Kimball—2.

Absent or not voting :

Chase, Crist, Fellows, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson—18.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 635, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 227, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts and the number of judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial district, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 616, a bill for an act to reimburse William Lester Alery for injuries received while an inmate in the soldiers' orphans' home, and for loss of wages and expenses incurred because of said injuries, at Davenport, Iowa, September 23, 1913, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 615, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of \$1000.00 to indemnify A. H. Kellogg, for personal injuries sustained by him while employed in the Iowa state industrial school for boys at Eldora, Iowa, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same do pass.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

Ordered passed on file.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Clarkson, House File No. 635, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section 227, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts and the number of

judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial district, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Clarkson offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the pending bill by striking out sections three and four and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The judge herein provided for shall be nominated at the primary and elected at the general election in the year 1916, and at four-year periods thereafter."

Adopted.

Senator Clarkson moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foskett, Greene, Heald, Henigbaum, Hillsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Shean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Crist, Farr, Fellows, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Helmer, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Lindly, Ream, Savage, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson—21.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval Senate File No. 605, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-four (2584) of the code; and to repeal sections twenty-five hundred eighty-seven (2587) and twenty-five hundred eighty-nine-a (2589-a), supplement to

the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to provide an appropriation for reciprocal arrangements, all relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Also :

Senate File No. 533, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, and their indigent wives, widows, and their minor children, and the erection or maintenance of monuments or memorial halls for soldiers and sailors.

Also :

Senate File No. 570, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty (880) of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor.

Also :

Senate File No. 585, a bill for an act making an appropriation for extra clerical assistance and help in the office of the Secretary of State.

Also :

Senate File No. 386, a bill for an act to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiary.

Also :

Senate File No. 235, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk.

Also :

Senate File No. 273, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the soldiers' home, Iowa soldiers' orphans' home, school for the deaf, institution for feeble-minded children, state sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, industrial schools, state hospitals, state hospital for inebriates, penitentiary and reformatory.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 359, 448, 623, 492, 223, 439, 633, 514, 288, 242, 567, 622 and 576.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Committee on Appropriations Senate File No. 640, a bill for an act to make appropriation for the payment of state and judicial officers, state and other expenses.

Read first and second time.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senate File No. 640, a bill for an act to make appropriation for the payment of state and judicial offices, state and other expenses, was taken up and considered.

Senator Savage moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read a second and third time on the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Boe, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—35.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Chase, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Heald, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Thomas, Thompson, White of Benton—15.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has refused to concur in Senate amendments to House Joint Resolution No. 9.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 580, a bill for an act to amend section 2562-b, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the issuance of licenses permitting certain persons to engage in the business of raising and selling certain game birds, and fixing the ownership and title to such game.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 110, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights, in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume of said reports and the terms and conditions thereof, to provide for the copyrights of said reports; to provide for the preparation, printing, binding and certification of the acts of the general assembly and the form and number thereof, to provide for the annotation of the laws of the state and the supplement embracing the same, to provide for a revision of the laws of the state; to fix the salary of the reporter of the supreme court, to make annual appropriation for said work, and to repeal chapter four (4) of title three (3), section thirty-eight (38), section thirty-nine (39), section forty (40), and section one hundred thirty-three (133), of the code.

Also:

House File No. 637. A bill for an act to repeal sections one hundred thirty-eight (138) and one hundred forty-one (141), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor, relating to compensation for state printing and state binding.

Also:

House File No. 603. A bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed or to be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease; and to defray the expense of quarantine, care, destruction or burial of stock within any quarantined district.

Also:

House File No. 628. A bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory as the same appears in section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a eleven (5718-a 11), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 359, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 448, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors.

Also:

Senate File No. 623, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a4 (2563-a4), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to license fees for the issuance of licenses to hunt.

Also:

Senate File No. 492, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-b (1798-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies.

Also:

Senate File No. 223, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bids for street improvements.

Also:

Senate File No. 439, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred thirty-six (136) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of the Iowa academy of sciences.

Also:

Senate File No. 633, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, in fixing the salary of the mayor and council of said city.

Also:

Senate File No. 514, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a 44 (2727-a 44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control.

Also:

Senate File No. 288, a bill for an act making annual appropriations to the State University, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the Iowa State Teachers College, and College for the Blind.

Also:

Senate File No. 242, a bill for an act making special appropriations for the state university of Iowa, the Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the Iowa state teachers college, and the college for the blind.

Also:

Senate File No. 567, a bill for an act to repeal sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s 3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s 8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 9 (1527-s 9), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s 11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s 13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16), and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m 32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes in lieu thereof, and to amend sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-2 (1527-s 2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 5 (1527-s 5), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 10 (1527-s 10), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 14 (1527-s 14), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s 12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the highway commission, the creation of a system of county and township road, bridge and culvert construction and maintenance, and the right, duties and powers of county, township and other officers and employees with reference thereto, and to regulate the apportionment and expenditure of certain money for highway purposes.

Also:

Senate File No. 622, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the protection of game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File No. four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly.

Also :

Senate File No. 576, a bill for an act to repeal section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a six (4999-a6), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven (4999-a7), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eight (4999-a8), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a nine (4999-a9), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a ten (4999-a 10), and four thousand nine hundred ninety nine-a eleven (4999-a11), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and amending sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-i (2514-i), and repealing sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-n (2514-n) and two thousand five hundred fourteen-c (2514-c) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor and all relating to fire escapes, stairways and means of escape from buildings, structures or enclosures and protection against fire, providing for the inspection of such means of protection of buildings, and the duties of commissioner of labor and other officers in relation thereto.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Senator Savage, from the committee on appropriations, submitted the following report :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred Senate File No. 78, a bill for an act to amend section 4 of chapter 5 of the acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, relative to the settlement of liabilities of the state growing out of the sale of school lands and making appropriation therefor, beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

On motion of Senator Savage, the report of the committee was adopted and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on appropriations, to whom was referred House File No. 394, a bill for an act to provide for the investigation and testing of herds of cattle suspected of being infected with tuberculosis, to provide for the condemnation of animals found to be infected with said disease, and to compensate the owners thereof, to make it unlawful to keep or sell bulls affected with tuberculosis, etc., beg leave to report they have had the same under consideration and recommend the same be indefinitely postponed.

A. C. SAVAGE,
Chairman.

On the adoption of the report, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were :

Balkema, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Frailey, Helmer, Hilsinger, Larrabee, Nye, Quigley, Savage, Voorhees, Wilson—14.

The nays were :

Arney, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Lindly, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Thomas, White of Iowa, Whitmore—19.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Chase, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Parker, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton—17.

The report was rejected.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked :

Senate File No. 344, a bill for an act to repeal section four ninety-one (491) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county treasurers, and to enact a substitute therefor.

W. C. RAMSAY,

Chief Clerk.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Perkins, House File No. 394, a bill for an act to provide for the investigation and testing of herds of cattle suspected of being infected with tuberculosis, to provide for the condemnation of animals found to be infected with said disease, and to compensate the owners thereof, to make it unlawful to keep or sell bulls affected with tuberculosis, etc., to require cows from which milk is sold for family use to be tested, and to require all persons using or having in their possession tuberculin to report it and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, was taken up and considered.

Senator Arney offered the following amendment and moved its adoption :

Amend House File No. 394 by changing the words and figures \$50 in line nine in Sec. 2 to \$40 and changing the word and figures \$75.00 to \$60.00, in line ten of Sec. 2.

Senator Savage offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

Amend the bill under consideration by adding another section as follows:

SECTION 11. At no time shall the amount expended under the provisions of this act exceed \$15,000.00 in any one year.

Adopted.

Senator Perkins moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Perkins invoked Rule 8.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foster, Frailey, Greene, Grout, Heald, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Lindly, Nye, Perkins, Robinson, Sheean, Taylor, White of Iowa, Whitmore—22.

The nays were:

Balkema, Clarkson, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Helmer, Jones, Larrabee, Parker, Quigley, Savage, Thomas, Voorhees—13.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Foskett, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, Wilson—15.

So the bill having failed to receive a constitutional majority was declared to have been lost.

HOUSE MESSAGE CONSIDERED.

House Joint Resolution No. 9, joint resolution approving estimates of cost, plans and specifications for buildings at the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, and the Iowa State Teachers College.

Senator Jones moved that the Senate insist on its amendments to House Joint Resolution No. 9.

On the question, "Shall the Senate insist on its amendments to House Joint Resolution No. 9?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, Whitmore—29.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Perkins, Ream, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton, White of Iowa, Wilson—21.

So the Senate insisted on its amendments.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

President appointed as conference committee on House joint resolution No. 9 on the part of the Senate, Senators Jones, Larrabee, Robinson and Lindly.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Savage, House File No. 615, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, to indemnify A. H. Kellogg for personal injuries sustained by him while employed in the Iowa state industrial school, for boys at Eldora, was taken up and considered.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were:

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Chase, Crist, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Senator Savage, House File No. 616, a bill for an act to reimburse William Lester Alery for injuries received while an inmate in the Soldiers' Orphans' Home, and for loss of wages and expenses incurred because of said injuries, at Davenport, Iowa, September 23, 1913, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee adopted.

Senator Savage moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were :

Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Enger, Farr, Fellows, Fleck, Foskett, Greene, Grout, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larrabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Taylor, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—34.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Allen, Boe, Chase, Crist, Foster, Frailey, Francis, Gillette, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Thompson, White of Benton—16.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 293, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars

(\$2,500.00), to idemnify T. D. Fultz for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as a carpenter at the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 634. A bill for an act relative to disposition of fees paid to the Governor, additional to chapter one (1), title one (1) of the code, and amendments thereto.

Also:

House Joint Resolution No. 11. Approving plans and specifications for buildings and improvements at the state hospital and colony for epileptics at Woodward, Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 597. A bill for an act to amend chapter eleven-d (11-d) of title XIII of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment, maintenance and management of the state hospital and colony for epileptics, and making an appropriation therefor.

Also:

House File No. 267. A bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the selection of official newspapers.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 624, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the care, protection and propagation of fish, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code, section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate file number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly, section twenty-five hundred thirty-nine (2539), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate file number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly.

Also:

Senate File No. 626, a bill for an act to legalize ordinances of the city of Fort Dodge, Iowa, relative to an ordinance adopted March 29,

1913, fixing the salary of the mayor and the members of the city council of said city.

Also:

Senate File No. 341, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 304, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa soldiers' home.

Also:

Senate File No. 414, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-b (2477-b), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-c (2477-c) and twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and to regulate the street trades relating to child labor.

Also:

Senate File No. 592, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the board of supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of the said board of supervisors in making payments in accordance with said resolution.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 624, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the care, protection and propagation of fish, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code, section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate file number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly, section twenty-five hundred thirty-nine (2539), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate file

number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly.

Also:

Senate File No. 626, a bill for an act to legalize ordinances of the city of Fort Dodge, Iowa, relative to an ordinance adopted March 29, 1913, fixing the salary of the mayor and the members of the city council of said city.

Also:

Senate File No. 341, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 304, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa soldiers' home.

Also:

Senate File No. 414, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-b (2477-b), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-c (2477-c) and twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and to regulate the street trades relating to child labor.

Also:

Senate File No. 592, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the board of supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of the said board of supervisors in making payments in accordance with said resolution.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

Mr. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval Senate File No. 624, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the care, protection and propagation of fish, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548), of the code, section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate file number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly, section twenty-five hundred thirty-nine (2539), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate file number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly.

Also:

Senate File No. 626, a bill for an act to legalize ordinances of the city of Fort Dodge, Iowa, relative to an ordinance adopted March 29, 1913, fixing the salary of the mayor and the members of the city council of said city.

Also:

Senate File No. 341, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 304, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa soldiers' home.

Also:

Senate File No. 414, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Also:

Senate File No. 189, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-b (2477-b), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-c (2477-c) and twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and to regulate the street trades relating to child labor.

Also:

Senate File No. 592, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the board of supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of the said board of supervisors in making payments in accordance with said resolution.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 638, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the Independent School District of Dallas Center, Dallas County, Iowa, in voting bonds at an election held on the 10th day of April, 1915, and legalizing the bonds to be issued by said district under said election.

Also:

House File No. 173, a bill for an act for the relief of Carl Persing, a student and employe of the Iowa State college at Ames, Iowa.

Also:

House File No. 516, a bill for an act relative to the issuance of policies of fire insurance, prohibiting false or misleading representations by advertisements, and providing a penalty for the violation.

Also:

House File No. 372, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections nine hundred and seventy-two (972), and nine hundred and seventy-four (974) of the Code, relating to street improvements and sewers, applicable to cities acting under special charters.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate file No. 340, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school fund loans.

Also:

Senate File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors.

Also:

Senate File No. 390, a bill for an act to provide for the acquisition of water supply for power house purposes by condemnation by interurban railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven (1997) of the code.

Also:

Senate File No. 560, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-B, title III of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers, and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 340, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school fund loans.

Also:

Senate File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors.

Also:

Senate File No. 390, a bill for an act to provide for the acquisition of water supply for power house purposes by condemnation by interurban railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven (1997) of the code.

Also:

Senate File No. 560, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-B, title III of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and de-

linquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers, and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 626, 592, 341, 304, 624, 414 and 189.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

President announced that as President of the Senate, he had signed in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 110, 637, 603, 628, 638, 173, 516, 372, 293, 634, 597, 267 and House Joint Resolution No. 11.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 390, 560, 342 and 340.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have this day sent to the governor for his approval, Senate File No. 340, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school fund loans.

Also:

Senate File No. 342, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors.

Also:

Senate File No. 390, a bill for an act to provide for the acquisition of water supply for power house purposes by condemnation by interurban railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven (1997) of the code.

Also :

Senate File No. 560, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-b, title III of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers, and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Passed on file.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The following messages were received from the House :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked :

Senate File No. 639, a bill for an act amending section five thousand and seventy-seven-a twenty-four (5077-a 24), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standardization of agricultural seeds, and eliminating appropriation to the State Food and Dairy Commission in connection therewith.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

Also :

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked :

Senate File No. 640, a bill for an act to make appropriation for the payment of state and judicial officers, state and other expenses.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 458, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also :

House File No. 543. A bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred seventy-five (1875), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of bank examiners, their salaries, and fees of banks, and enacting a substitute therefor.

Also :

House File No. 635, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts and the number of judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial district.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By committee on ways and means, Senate File No. 641, a bill for an act to provide for the levying of a tax for the support of the state university of Iowa, Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanics art, the state teachers college and the state college for the blind to be expended as provided in Senate File No. 288, acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly for the years 1915 and 1916, and to provide for the levy of a tax for general state purposes for the years 1915 and 1916.

Read first and second time.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

On motion of Senator Allen, Senate File No. 641, a bill for an act to provide for the levying of a tax for the support of the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, The State Teachers College and the State College for the Blind to be expended as provided in Senate File No. 288, Acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly for the years 1915 and 1916, and to provide for the levy of a tax for general state purposes for the years 1915 and 1916, was taken up and considered.

Senator Allen moved that the rule whereby no bill may be read the second and third time the same day be suspended.

Carried.

Senator Allen moved that the rule be suspended, the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, "Shall the bill pass?"

The ayes were:

Allen, Arney, Balkema, Caswell, Clarkson, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Farr, Fellows, Foskett, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henig-

baum, Hilsinger, Nye, Parker, Perkins, Quigley, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—28.

The nays were :

None.

Absent or not voting :

Boe, Chase, Eversmeyer, Enger, Fleck, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Jackson, Jones, Kimball, Laffer, Larrabee, Lindly, Ream, Robinson, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton—22.

So the bill having received a constitutional majority was declared to have passed the Senate and its title was agreed to.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 458, 543 and 635.

Senator Savage offered the following motion :

I move that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to send the Senate Journals of April 16 and 17, 1915, to the home address of the different senators.

Adopted.

MOTION FOR SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Senator Crist offered the following motion :

I move that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Governor and ascertain whether or not he has any further communication to lay before the Senate and notify him that the Senate is ready to adjourn sine die.

Adopted.

President appointed as such committee Senators Crist, Henigbaum and Sheean.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption :

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 631, a bill for an act making an appropriation of funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the Interstate Commerce Commission and intrastate cases and service.

Also:

Senate File No. 234. A bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in Section Twenty-five Hundred and Seventy-five-a 52 (2575-a 52), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, making annual appropriation for carrying on the work of the state entomologist.

Also:

Senate File No. 218. A bill for an act to encourage the dairy industry and beef cattle growing industries of the state of Iowa and to aid in providing instruction in practical and scientific methods and making an appropriation therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 40. A bill for an act to amend Section Twenty-five Hundred forty (2540) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the season during which fish may be taken.

Also:

Senate File No. 176. A bill for an act to repeal Section Three Thousand ninety-four (3094) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the filing of mechanic's liens by sub-contractors after thirty days.

Also:

Senate File No. 627. A bill for an act legalizing assignments of mortgages and other recorded liens made upon the margin of the records and making such assignments admissible in evidence.

Also:

Senate File No. 630. A bill for an act to amend the law relating to the duration of school bonds as the same appears in Section Twenty-eight Hundred twelve-e (2812-e), supplement to the code, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 631, a bill for an act making an appropriation of funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the Interstate Commerce Commission and intrastate cases and service.

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H. I. FORKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

The Journal of April 16th was taken up, corrected and approved.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 218, 627, 40, 234, 176, 631 and 630.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Crist, from the special committee appointed to wait upon the Governor, reported that the committee had performed their duty and the Governor had informed them that he had no further communications to lay before the Senate.

Report received and committee discharged.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report:

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H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman.

Passed on file.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett, from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled House File No. 616, a bill for an act to reimburse William Lester Alery for injuries received while an inmate in the soldiers' orphans' home, and for loss of wages and expenses incurred because of said injuries, at Davenport, Iowa, September 23, 1913.

Also:

House File No. 615. A bill for an act appropriating the sum of one thousand (\$1000) dollars, to indemnify A. H. Kellogg for personal injuries sustained by him while employed in the Iowa state industrial school for boys at Eldora, Iowa.

H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE—

Your Conference Committee, to whom was referred House Joint Resolution No. 9 for the adjustment of the differences regarding the amendments to said Joint Resolution, beg leave to report as follows:

They have conferred freely together regarding the matter, and recommend the following:

That the Senate amendments be stricken from the Joint Resolution.

HENRY BRADY,

IRA W. JONES,

A. J. KANE,

W. O. COAST,

On Behalf of the House.

F. F. JONES,

J. M. LINDEY,

T. J. B. ROBINSON,

On Behalf of the Senate.

On the adoption of the report of the conference committee, a roll call was demanded.

The ayes were:

Balkema, Caswell, Crist, Darrah, Doran, Eversmeyer, Fellows, Frailey, Greene, Heald, Helmer, Henigbaum, Hilsinger, Jones, Larabee, Lindly, Nye, Parker, Quigley, Robinson, Savage, Sheean, Thomas, Voorhees, White of Iowa, Whitmore, Wilson—27.

The nays were:

Arney, Clarkson, Perkins—3.

Absent or not voting:

Allen, Boe, Chase, Enger, Farr, Fleck, Foskett, Foster, Francis, Gillette, Grout, Hagemann, Jackson, Kimball, Laffer, Ream, Schrup, Taylor, Thompson, White of Benton—20.

The conference report was adopted, and the Senate amendments stricken from the House Joint Resolution.

HOUSE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, House Files Nos. 615 and 616.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The following message was received from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT—I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has passed the following bill, in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

Senate File No. 641, a bill for an act to provide for the levying of a tax for the support of the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, the State Teachers College, and the State College for the Blind, to be expended as provided in Senate File No. 288, acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly for the years 1915 and 1916, and to provide for the levy of a tax for general state purposes for the years 1915 and 1916.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter thirteen (13) title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the

dairy and food commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter.

Also :

Senate File No. 621, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the trapping and hunting of animals, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred fifty-three (2553) of the code and section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a-one (2563-a 1), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also :

Senate File No. 527, a bill for an act to punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate than two per cent per month, and to provide penalty therefor.

Also :

Senate File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-a (2634-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the educational board of examiners.

Also :

Senate File No. 606, a bill for an act to amend sections fifteen hundred seventy-one-m two, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m five, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m six, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 14, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m fifteen, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m seven, and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m twelve of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles.

Also :

Senate File No. 610, a bill for an act providing for the reporting and taxation of electric transmission lines and properties.

Also :

Senate File No. 477, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-twelve-a (2489-12-a), supplement to the code, requiring the owner, lessee, operator or person in charge of a mine to file annual reports of coal mined, number of employes, accidents and other information.

Also :

Senate File No. 180, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seven-a three (2707-a 3), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the secretary of the board of control.

Also :

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, a joint resolution fixing the number and compensation of employees in the department of state at the seat of government.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, a joint resolution fixing the number and compensation of employees in the department of state at the seat of government.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 460, a bill for an act to authorize soldiers' relief commission to procure and furnish metal markers for the graves of soldiers, sailors or mariners and to pay for the same out of the soldiers funds.

Also:

Senate Joint Resolution 23, joint resolution relative to approval of plans and specifications for buildings at institutions under the supervision of the board of control.

Also:

Senate File No. 344, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety one (491) of the code, relating to appointment and compensation of deputy county treasurers, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Also:

Senate File 580, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-two b (2562-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the issuance of licenses permitting certain persons to engage in the business of raising and selling certain game birds, and fixing the ownership and title to such game.

Also:

Senate File No. 469, a bill for an act amending section one thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (1258) of the code, relating to removal of municipal officers.

Also:

Substitute for Senate File No. 276, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in sections forty-nine

hundred ninety-nine-a thirty one (4999-a31), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-c (499-a 31-c, forty nine hundred ninety-nine a thirty-one-f (4999 a 31-f), supplement to the code, 1913.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

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Substitute for Senate File No. 276, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in sections forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty one (4999-a31), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-c (4999-a 31-c), forty nine hundred ninety-nine a thirty-one-e (4999-a 31-e), and forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-f (4999-a 31-f), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 265, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter thirteen (13) title twelve (XII) supplement to the code,

1913, relating to the dairy and food commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter.

Also:

Senate File No. 621, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the trapping and hunting of animals, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred fifty-three (2543) of the code and section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a-one (2563-a 1), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also:

Senate File No. 527, a bill for an act to punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate than two per cent per month, and to provide penalty therefor.

Also:

Senate File No. 339, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-a (2634-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the educational board of examiners.

Also:

Senate File No. 606, a bill for an act to amend sections fifteen hundred seventy-one-m two, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m five, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m six, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 14, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m fifteen, fifteen hundred seventy-one-m seven, and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m twelve of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles.

Also:

Senate File No. 610, a bill for an act providing for the reporting and taxation of electric transmission lines and properties.

Also:

Senate File No. 477, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-twelve-a (2489-a), supplement to the code, requiring the owner, lessee, operator or person in charge of a mine to file annual reports of coal mined, number of employes, accidents and other information.

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H. I. FOSKETT,

Chairman Senate Committee.

CHAS. F. SAWYER,

Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 610, 339, 527, 621, 180, 477, 265, 606.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 580, 460, 344, 276, 469 and Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 22 and 23.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 641, a bill for an act to provide for the levying of a tax for the support of the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Art, the State Teachers College and the State College for the Blind to be expended as provided in Senate File No. 288, acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly for the years 1915 and 1916, and to provide for the levy of a tax for general state purposes for the years 1915 and 1916.

Also:

Senate File No. 34, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477.a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury.

Also:

Senate File No. 602, a bill for an act to legalize the actions of the board of directors of the consolidated independent school district of Lanyon, in the counties of Webster and Greene, state of Iowa, relative to the issuance of certain bonds of said consolidated independent school district.

Also:

Senate File No. 620, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred fourteen-p, twenty-five hundred fourteen-s and twenty-five hundred fourteen-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the inspection of hotels.

Also:

Senate File No. 639, a bill for an act amending section five thousand and seventy-seven-a twenty-four (5077-a 24), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standardization of agricultural seeds, and eliminating appropriation to the state food and dairy commission in connection therewith.

Also:

Senate File No. 640, a bill for an act to make appropriation for the payment of state and judicial officers, state and other expenses.

Also:

Senate File No. 555, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), supplement to the code, 1913, making an appropriation for improvements and equipment for state institutions.

Also:

Senate File No. 637, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-seven (2575-a 7) and twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-nine (2575-a 9), chapter sixteen-a (16-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the bacteriological laboratory.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

Adopted.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the joint committee on enrolled bills, submitted the following report, and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your joint committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have examined and find correctly enrolled Senate File No. 641, a bill for an act to provide for the levying of a tax for the support of the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Art, the State Teachers College and the State College for the Blind to be expended as provided in Senate File No. 288, acts of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly for the years 1915 and 1916, and to provide for the levy of a tax for general state purposes for the years 1915 and 1916.

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Also:

House Joint Resolution No. 9, approving estimates of cost, plans and specifications for buildings at the state university of Iowa, Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the Iowa state teachers college.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman Senate Committee.
CHAS. F. SAWYER,
Chairman House Committee.

Adopted.

SENATE FILES SIGNED.

The President announced that, as President of the Senate, he had signed, in the presence of the Senate, Senate Files Nos. 641, 34, 602, 620, 639, 640, 555 and 637.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Senator Foskett from the committee on enrolled bills submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee on enrolled bills respectfully report that they have sent to the governor for his approval Senate File No. 641, a bill for an act to provide for the levying of a tax for the support of the State University of Iowa, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Me-

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Senate File 580, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-two b (2562-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the issuance of licenses permitting certain persons to engage in the business of raising and selling certain game birds, and fixing the ownership and the title to such game.

Also :

Senate File 469, a bill for an act amending section one thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (1258) of the code, relating to removal of municipal officers.

Also :

Substitute for Senate File 276, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in section forty-nine hundred ninety-a thirty one, forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-c (499-a-31-c), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-e (4999-a31-e) and forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-f (4999-a 31-f), supplement to the code, 1913.

Also :

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, a joint resolution fixing the number and compensation of employees in the department of state at the seat of government.

H. I. FOSKETT,
Chairman.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A communication was received from the Governor stating that he had approved Senate Files Nos. 282, 289, 272, 559, 291, 235, 273, 386, 570, 585, 535, 605, 491, 320, 563, 447, 354, 254, 295, 279, 413, 315, 452, 532, 139, 37, 149, 185, 488, 187, 385, 608, 249, 584, 98 and 583.

Senator Savage moved that a committee be appointed to notify the House that the Senate is ready to adjourn sine die.

Carried.

The President appointed as such committee Senators Savage, Thomas, Taylor and Parker.

Senator Savage, from the special committee appointed to notify the House that Senate was ready to adjourn, returned and announced that they had performed that duty.

Senator Thomas moved that the Senate extend to Senator Foskett the thanks of the Senate for his efficient work as chairman of the committee on enrolled bills.

Carried.

Senator Savage moved that the Senate extend to the clerk of the committee on enrolled bills the thanks of the Senate for her efficient work.

Carried.

A committee from the House appeared and announced that the House was ready to adjourn sine die.

The hour of 12:00 o'clock noon having arrived, the President declared the Senate of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly adjourned sine die.

MEMORIAL SESSION

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SENATE CHAMBER,
DES MOINES, IOWA, APRIL 15, 1915.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment at 7:30 p. m., President of the Senate, W. L. Harding presiding.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Senator Taylor from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions commemorative of the life, character and services of Benjamin Rex Vale beg to submit the following report:

BENJAMIN REX VALE.

Honorable Benjamin Rex Vale was born in Smithfield, Ohio, June 4, 1848; he died at Bonaparte, Van Buren County, Iowa, April 3, 1915. He was the son of Honorable Jacob G. Vale and Anne (Rex) Vale, and with his parents removed from his birthplace to Lee County, Iowa, in 1850, thence to Harrisburg Township, Van Buren County, in 1856. He went to school at Birmingham Academy, Birmingham, Iowa, thence to Monmouth College, Monmouth, Illinois, from which he graduated with the degree of A. B. in 1873, later receiving from the same institution the degree of A. M. While in school at Monmouth, Illinois, he met Miss Julia Biddle whom he married on February 12, 1874. To this union was born four children, all of whom are living. They are Mrs. Regina Tedford of Mt. Ayr, Mary B. Vale, Mrs. Margaret Emma Roberts and Bruce Rex Vale of Bonaparte.

Almost at once after his graduation he returned to the farm pursuits in which he had been engaged with his father, and took personal management of the cultivation of the large and fertile farms the older Vale had acquired on his arrival in Iowa. He became the owner of these lands upon the death of the father and continued in the active operation of the same throughout the remainder of his life. He was a pioneer in the field of thoroughbred cattle and swine breeding, being known through the United States as one of the most expert and successful improvers of the Chester White hog. He early identified himself with township and county movements for better study and practice in the farming arts, serving often in responsible capacities as an official of these. He organized the Farmers and Traders Bank of Bonaparte in 1882 and remained its head while he lived, serving also as president of the Mount Sterling Savings Bank, an auxiliary of the Farmers and Traders Bank. He was an active and influential factor in the rural school administration of his township and a member and constant attendant on the services of the Presbyterian Church.

In 1887 he was nominated at the Republican Senatorial convention held at Fairfield, Iowa, and was elected twice, serving the district composed of Van Buren and Jefferson counties in the Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth General Assemblies. He was twice chairman of the Senate committee on Agriculture, and was an active member of the committees on Schools and Banks.

He lived the simple life and delighted to mingle with the people. He loved his home and was happy in his family in whom he took pardonable pride. He was beloved by his neighbors and friends who consider his death a great loss to the state. He was honest and upright in all his dealings and had the confidence of all who knew him.

WHEREAS, The Honorable Benjamin Rex Vale, a member of this body in the Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth General Assemblies, has been called from this life; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with deep sorrow and regret of his death and that it recognizes the high character of his service to his state and in his death the state has lost a worthy and noble citizen.

Resolved, That this Senate extend to his family its sincere sympathy in their great bereavement. Be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered upon our Senate Journal and a copy be sent to the bereaved family of the deceased.

J. H. TAYLOR,

D. C. CHASE,

J. A. WHITE,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Taylor in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—In moving the adoption of these resolutions I desire to say that I became acquainted with Ex-Senator Vale soon after my entrance into Van Buren County, about twelve years ago.

In order to appreciate the manhood and the strength of character of Ex-Senator Vale it would be necessary to become acquainted with him. He was a man of affairs. He was a man who knew a great deal about everything that was going on in his county and in his state. Notwithstanding this fact, his whole life was devoted more particularly to the things which were concerned with his own county and neighborhood. He had a delightful home, at the head of which he presided with a grace and dignity. He was a Christian man. He was a man who was dearly beloved by all his neighbors and friends because of the interest he took in them. He served many years as secretary of the local township school board because he was interested in the cause of proper education. He took a very large interest in the schools of the state as well as the schools of his own community.

His children were educated in the colleges of this state. One of his sons now occupies the old home farm, being recently a graduate of the Iowa State College at Ames. He was a man who took a great interest in religious affairs and kept up the old time custom of the family altar.

and those things which mark the home as the one place above all others where grace, peace and love abound, were ever present in his home.

In the death of Ex-Senator Vale, Van Buren County and the State of Iowa loses one of its very best citizens.

Senator Darrah from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of Warren S. Dungan beg leave to submit the following report:

WARREN S. DUNGAN.

Warren S. Dungan, of Chariton, Lucas County, Iowa, was a member of the Senate in the Ninth and Ninth Extra General Assemblies, a member of the House in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth General Assemblies, and again a member of the Senate in the Twenty-second and Twenty-third General Assemblies.

He was Lieutenant Governor under Frank D. Jackson, from 1894 to 1896, and president of this Senate during the session of the Twenty-fifth General Assembly.

Colonel Dungan, as he was familiarly known, was born of Scotch-Irish parentage on September 12, 1822, and died May 9, 1913. He was an active and prominent member of the Sons of the American Revolution, his grand-

father, Wm. McFarren, being an ensign in the war of the Revolution, and his great-grandfather, John Scott, was commissary general of the Pennsylvania line. In 1851 he went to Panola, Mississippi, and taught school for a period of three years. While thus engaged, he took up the study of law, returning in 1855 to his native state, Pennsylvania, and entered the law office of Roberts & Quay, the latter member of the firm being the well known United States Senator Quay from that state. In April, 1856, he was admitted to practice law in Pennsylvania, and immediately afterward he moved to Iowa and located in Chariton, where he resided until his death, a period of over fifty-seven years.

At the beginning of the Civil war, he resigned his seat in the state senate and recruited a military company, being himself sworn in as a private. He later became the captain of this company, and was assigned to the 34th Iowa Infantry as Company K. On September 27, 1862, he was commissioned Lieutenant-Colonel, in which capacity he served until May 25, 1865, when he was made Brevet-Colonel of Volunteers for valiant service rendered at the battle of Ft. Blakely. The Confederate battery in this engagement was named in his honor, being entirely made up of young men who had been students under him in the school that he had formerly taught at Panola, Mississippi. At the close of the war he returned to Chariton and resumed his law practice, becoming recognized as one of the leading attorneys in the southern part of the state.

Colonel Dungan was a man whom his fellow citizens and neighbors delighted to honor. He was a life-long member of the Republican party and was prominently identified with its history during the past fifty years in this state. He was active in religious affairs and in all those move-

ments that had for their purpose the betterment of the community and the uplifting of mankind. He was an able orator, and his services at soldiers' reunions and public gatherings were always in demand. He was greatly interested in the early history of Lucas County and Iowa, and gathered much information and data of inestimable value. His life was an inspiration to those who knew him best. He had the misfortune to lose his wife in 1859, and had the great responsibility of rearing a family of seven children imposed upon him in addition to his other numerous activities as a citizen. His home life, surrounded by his daughters, was a model of domestic simplicity. He was a most exemplary citizen, respected and honored by all who knew him, and he leaves behind him the priceless heritage of a good, clean record and an honorable name. His many noble and kindly deeds will be gratefully remembered, and his memory will be cherished by all. The State of Iowa has lost a citizen whose influence in life cannot help but shed luster upon the pages of history, and the future citizenship of Iowa will have been bettered because of the example of this well lived and honorable life.

Resolved, That the Senate of Iowa is deeply appreciative of the loss the state and community in which he lived has sustained in the loss of this honored and respected citizen who contributed so much to the nation and his adopted state.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and an engrossed copy be transmitted to the family of the deceased.

JOHN H. DARRAH,
JOHN T. CLARKSON,
L. E. CRIST,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Darrah in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—In recognition of the time honored custom which has endured since the first organization of this body, it is fitting and proper that we pause in our deliberations during the closing hours of a legislative session which has been filled with the hope and anticipation of future accomplishment, and cast our eyes back through the record of the by-gone years, to review the records, and to pay honor and tribute to the lives and public services of those who have preceded up and who have completed a similar service, and who have written their names upon the official scroll of the proud pages of Iowa's fair history, and passed into the memories of her people. Standing at the judgment bar of Iowa to be judged by the state historian, it will be indeed a great honor if in that day the decree shall be written of each of us, "He was a noble and patriotic citizen, a true and trusted public servant who served his people, and his state, in the fear of God and in the plain sight of man." Such a decree must and will be written, Senators, when the future historian of Iowa makes up the record and reviews the life, character and public services of Warren S. Dungan, of Chariton, Iowa.

It is not often the lot of man to leave to posterity the record of such distinguished service and achievement as was the fortune of this good man. Warren S. Dungan was born on September 12, 1822, of Scotch Irish parentage in the State of Pennsylvania. His grandfather was a soldier in the war of the Revolution. He himself was a defender of the Union in the great war of the Rebellion, entering the service as a private and retiring at the close of the war with the commission of colonel. He began the practice of law in the office of United States Senator Mathew S. Quay of Pennsylvania, and located at Chariton in 1856. He was a member of the Senate in the Ninth and Ninth extra session of the General Assembly of Iowa in 1861, representing at that time Lucas and Monroe Counties. He was a delegate to the National Republican Convention in 1872, which nominated Grant for President. He was a member of the House of Representatives from Lucas County in 1880 and 1882, was elected again to the State Senate in 1889, and to the office of Lieutenant Governor in 1893, serving as president of the Senate during the administration of Frank D. Jackson.

I had the pleasure of an intimate, personal acquaintance with Lieutenant Governor Dungan. He was of that stalwart type of manhood which personified energy, ability and activity. During his long and useful life he was ever interested in public affairs, and until a very short time prior to his death, he retained the vigor of young manhood. He was soldierly in his bearing, active in body and bright in mind. He was never absent from a public meeting when questions were to be discussed, and was never silent in the deliberations of a public meeting.

Colonel Dungan, as he was familiarly known by his neighbors and friends, was one of God's noblemen. He was pure in mind, generous in spirit, noble of purpose and loyal to his friends and a patriotic citizen in the fullest sense of that term. He had a commanding personality and was honored and revered by all who knew him. During the latter part of his life, he was frequently referred to as Lucas County's Grand Old Man. He was deprived of his helpmate in life in 1881, leaving him the responsibility of rearing a family of six girls and one son, who died in 1895. His home life was simple and unpretentious. He reared his six daughters with a care and devotion that challenged the admiration of the entire community. Most of his daughters have engaged in school work, and have held important positions; one of his daughters having been for a period of three successive terms elected to the office of County Superintendent of Schools of Lucas County. This honor bestowed upon his youngest daughter came during the days when the shadows were beginning to close round his life and was one of the bright rays of sunshine which illuminated the gloomy days during which he patiently waited the end.

In politics, Colonel Dungan was a staunch Republican. He believed in the tenets and principles of that party, and was always a loyal and a consistent supporter of its candidates and its policies. In the days when factionalism was rife in his party, he was firm in his convictions that the fundamental principles of his party were correct, but true to the soldier spirit that inspired him to follow his leaders in the war for his country. When his party had spoken he regarded it his duty to obey.

As I look back over the brief political career which it has been my privilege to enjoy, one of the beacon lights that has shown out on the sometimes turbulent political waters was the noble character of this man, and, Senators, if upon a like occasion at some future time, I might have the assurance that some Senator might stand in this body and say of me truthfully what I am pleased to say of him, that he was a good citizen, a faithful public servant, that his life had been worthy of the emulation of those who have followed after him and that the world is better because of the fact that he had lived in it, I should indeed feel that my weak service here had not been in vain.

Senator Schrup from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions in commemoration of the life, character and services of ex-Senator James Hannibal Shields of Dubuque, beg leave to submit the following report:

JAMES HANNIBAL SHIELDS.

James Hannibal Shields was born on his grandfather's plantation, near Bowling Green, Missouri, May 8, 1842, and died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Lawther, Jr., at Dubuque, September 30, 1914. He was a son of General John G. Shields and Elizabeth Emerson Shields. At the time of his birth, his parents were paying a visit at their old home in Bowling Green, having located in Dubuque several years before.

His father, General Shields, came to Dubuque from Kentucky in 1835 and founded the firm of Emerson & Shields, one of the best known law firms in northern Iowa. General Shields organized the troops that withstood the last Indian attack in Iowa—the Spirit Lake Massacre, in 1854. He served in the Iowa State Senate from 1848 to 1856, was also Mayor of Dubuque and took a keen interest in all public and political affairs.

The grandfather of the subject of this sketch, James Shields, came with the earliest settlers of Kentucky and was a close friend of Daniel Boone. He was associated with Boone in the early frontier battles and participated in the War of 1812.

James H. Shields was one of the leading citizens of Dubuque and on all public questions, stood for the best interest of the community. He was of a kind and congenial disposition and bore the esteem of all classes. His life and conduct shed an influence for the uplift of, and betterment of society. His allotted time on earth was well spent.

He was educated at Union College, Schenectady, New York, from which he graduated in 1862. His legal training was obtained in the law offices of ex-Senator John B. Henderson of Missouri and Honorable Benjamin M. Samuels of Dubuque. He was admitted to the bar in Dubuque County. One year after which he was elected City Attorney, serving one term, and ten years later was again elected to the same position. In 1882, he was elected District Attorney of the Tenth Judicial District and served for four years with distinction. In 1889, Mr. Shields was elected to the State Senate from the Dubuque District by the largest majority ever given any man on a local ticket. He served in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth

General Assemblies. In 1892, he was elected by the Democratic State Convention as Delegate-at-Large to the National Convention at Chicago and served as chairman of the Iowa delegation. At the convention, he managed the campaign of Governor Boies for the Presidential nomination with great credit to himself and the governor.

In August, 1892, he was nominated by the Democrats of the Third District as their candidate for congressman. He pursued a vigorous, personal campaign and, although defeated, ran ahead of his ticket.

In 1874 Mr. Shields was married to Miss Mary Tomlin of Galena, Illinois. She died in 1879. He is survived by his only daughter, Elinor. In his death, the daughter lost a kind and loving father who for years had been to her not only a father but a companion and friend. During the sunset of his life, he spent his last days in the home of the daughter, where he received all the attention that love, affection and wealth could bestow. His daughter has the consolation to accompany her through life that she did all that a loving daughter could do for the comfort and care of a kind father in the last of his life.

Resolved, That this resolution be spread on the Journal of this body, and that an engrossed copy hereof be transmitted to his bereaved daughter, Mrs. Wm. Lawther, Jr., with the assurance of the high appreciation of the Senate, of one of the sturdy pioneers of Iowa legislation and one so worthy of honor, who was one of its members, even though in the long ago.

N. J. SCHRUP,
E. C. PERKINS,
ROBERT QUIGLEY,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Schrup in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT AND SENATORS—To recount the professional, business and political career of James H. Shields, would be to recount the history of northeastern Iowa during the past fifty years.

I have the proud honor and distinction, if you please, of having been an intimate and close personal friend and business associate of the departed during the period from 1882 down to the time when he retired from the activities of life, and on account of his infirmities of advancing age, he retired to the home of his daughter. We were, I am glad to say, exceedingly close friends and I would be very glad, if time would permit, to call your attention to many very interesting incidents in his career.

He was called by his friends "The Little Giant of the Northeast," and while he was a little giant physically, he was, on the other hand, a great giant in any affair of life in which he appeared.

I will not take the time of this Senate to dwell at length on this subject, but want to allow the time to two of his close personal associates in his profession, they being lawyers from that part of the state, and can undoubtedly relate several incidents that will be of interest on this occasion. I would therefore ask that the other members of the committee

say a few words on this occasion. I ask Senator Perkins to tell a few incidents.

Senator Perkins spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—My first acquaintance with Senator Shields was in 1882 when he was elected District Attorney for the Tenth Judicial District of Iowa, embracing the counties of Dubuque, Delaware, Buchanan, Black Hawk and Grundy. Mr. Shields was in the prime of life when he came to the office of District Attorney for this district. He was well prepared and thoroughly equipped as a lawyer. He had had the training in the school before commencing the study of law, and he had had the good fortune in his boyhood days to go into the offices of two of the greatest lawyers of the central west, Senator Henderson of Missouri, a man who was a lawyer as well as a statesman, and Mr. Samuels of Dubuque, who was one of the great pioneer lawyers of the State of Iowa, who prepared the way and worked out the system of law of the state of Iowa, a man who in his days was one of the Democratic candidates for governor of this state. With this as a school of his training he came well prepared for the practice of law, and he was a man who improved every opportunity, a man who protected his clients' interests. When he became the prosecutor of the district, we found in him one who was able at all times to protect the interests of the state of Iowa and when we came to have cases with him, we found that if we defended the man with any degree of success we had to use all the ingenuity that we had, and to gather all the facts that were in the favor of the defendant in the case. He was a man who wanted only the right, but no fairer adversary, no man who only wanted the right, ever practiced at the bar in the Tenth Judicial District.

I knew Mr. Shields intimately in the campaign when he was a candidate for Congress. I was one of those who helped to conduct the campaign of Col. D. B. Henderson, and Mr. Shields gave us the hardest fight we ever had in the Third Congressional District to hold the place for one of the great men of the state of Iowa. Mr. Shields was a man whose character was beyond reproach. As he went in and out among the people of Dubuque of all classes, he was respected.

He was a man who was successful in business, his interests were large and extensive. As years came on he was so situated that when the infirmities of old age came upon him he had the means to care for himself and his home. He had the one daughter, whose mother had died when she was young, and in her father she had one who tried to be to her a mother and a father. All that wealth could bestow he bestowed upon the daughter in the years of her girlhood, and so when the declining years of his life came, he went to her home, there to receive the care and comfort that was due at the hand of his daughter.

Senator Quigley spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—I was not as familiarly acquainted with Mr. Shields as either Senator Schrup or Senator Perkins, but I knew of him. I knew him personally way back in the seventies, and after I made his acquaint-

ance I found this, that he had inherited that chivalry and manhood so revered in the east and south in the days gone by, the inheritance of a gentleman. Under no circumstances, either in the heat of debate or in every day life would he ever allow himself to stoop from the place of a gentleman. There was a dignity in his character that seemed as though he belonged to the old type of chivalry of the south. And yet with that dignity and carriage, he stooped with his sympathies to the weak and the lonely to such a degree that instead of their looking upon him as an aristocrat, everyone looked upon him as a friend, because he carried his friendship and brotherhood from the highest class to the lowest, and that is what gave him the strength in his campaign where nobody expected him to win, but he came very near coming out ahead. You cannot but admire a man of that type.

He was honest and true, true to his friends and just to his adversaries. He was a man in every sense of the word. He was first in all movements in Dubuque, his interests were with the people of the pioneer days, and he belonged to that type professionally that looked first to the interests of his clients and then to his fees when their work was done. I must say that since those days of the pioneers, times have changed. It seems now to be the first thought of a lawyer, "What is this fellow worth to me," instead of "What can I be worth to him." It seems to be reversed in modern times.

Now it does me good when I can look back over the old pioneer lawyers of Dubuque and all of those that served the people, and served them so well. They were the advisors in everyday life because they were handing out a good word, they were to lift humanity up. I do not believe that any words that I could use would picture you the type and character of Colonel Shields better than to say that he was a man in every sense of the word.

Senator Eversmeyer from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of Charles Albert Carpenter beg leave to submit the following report:

CHARLES ALBERT CARPENTER.

Charles Albert Carpenter, a Senator from 1894 to 1898, died at his home, Columbus Junction, October 5, 1913. Mr. Carpenter was a native of the county of Louisa, where he was born January 12, 1864. His father was Cyril Carpenter, a leading pioneer citizen of the county, having come there in the year 1840. His mother, who was Miss Calista Stickney, was herself a native of the same county as her son, her family having settled in the county in 1839. Educated in the rural schools of the county, he afterwards entered the State University, in the Law Department, from which he graduated when he was twenty years of age. The following year he was admitted to the bar. He served as city attorney, and was for three years mayor of the town. In the year 1893, he was elected to the Senate, succeeding John M. Gobble, also memorialized at this session.

In the Twenty-fifth General Assembly, he was chairman of the committee on Schools, and was also on the committees of Ways and Means, Judiciary, Railways, and Corporations. In the Twenty-sixth, he was on Judiciary, Banks, and others, and was chairman of the committee on Code revision. In the year 1904, he was delegate to the national convention that nominated Theodore Roosevelt for the presidency. His practice took up his time in later years, until he came to be looked upon as one of the leading lawyers in southeastern Iowa. When he entered the Senate, he was the youngest person in its membership, but throughout he was an influential one.

During the session of 1897, at which the Code was enacted, he was on ten conference committees.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,

F. G. HENIGBAUM,

G. E. HILSINGER,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Eversmeyer in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—It was not my privilege to become acquainted with ex-Senator Carpenter until a few years before his death. Mr. Carpenter was a native son of Iowa. He was born and reared in Louisa County, and there the active years of his life were spent. The most of his friends and neighbors and in fact throughout the Twenty-fourth Senatorial District, most of those who knew him called him Albert. He was recognized as an upright Christian and an honest gentleman, a good neighbor, a good citizen and a good friend. He was recognized as a good lawyer, not only in his own community, but throughout the state at large. He was a power in politics. His counsel was asked for and his advice was gladly given. He was a friend of the poor and the distressed and in his well-doing his right hand never knew what his left hand did. He was honored, not only by being elected to local offices, but the citizens of his community sent him to represent their interests in the Senate of the Iowa Legislature.

The only apology that I have to offer for the feeble memorial that I have presented is this, that my lack of acquaintance only permitted me to present what I had, and I ask the adoption of the memorial.

Senator Farr from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions commemorative of the life, character and services of George D. Perkins beg to submit the following report:

GEORGE DOUGLAS PERKINS.

Was born at Holly, Orleans County, New York, February 29, 1840. He died at Sioux City, Iowa, February 3, 1914. The family removed to Indiana and later to Baraboo, Wisconsin, where his father died in 1852.

Here George D. Perkins passed his boyhood, worked on a farm and in his brother's printing office, and acquired a fair English education. By application and the employment of his leisure hours he added a knowledge of the principal branches taught in colleges and academies of those days. English literature and a practice of English idiom received his attention.

He was married to Louise E. Julian in 1869, and to them were born five children, all living at the time of his death. His wife survived him only a few months. She died in August following his death. During the last years of her life she was afflicted with almost total blindness, and it was one of her greatest comforts that each day he read to her from the newspaper of which for more than forty years he had been editor and almost sole owner and manager.

At the age of twenty years he removed to Cedar Falls, Iowa, where with his brother, he published the Cedar Falls Gazette. He enlisted in Company B, 31st Iowa Infantry, August 12, 1862, but in January, 1863, he was discharged on account of almost fatal illness. He returned to Cedar Falls and continued the publication of the Gazette until 1866. He went from there to Chicago, and while there acted as agent of the Northwestern Associated Press which served the daily papers in Illinois, Iowa and Nebraska. In 1869 upon the advice of L. D. Ingersoll, pioneer editor of the Muscatine Journal, he removed to Sioux City and bought the Sioux City Journal. His brother associated himself with him in April, 1870, and they began the publication of a daily. Mr. Perkins continued to be editor of the Sioux City Journal from that day until his death. He attained high rank among leading journalists of the day. His editorials were marked by candor and clearness. As an editor, he insisted upon a veracious presentation of the news, and rarely allowed his opinions to become in any way associated with matters of news. He was not only a great editor, but a public spirited citizen.

He was state senator in the Fifteenth and Sixteenth General Assemblies, then comprising the counties of Harrison, Monona, Crawford, Shelby, Ida, Woodbury, Plymouth, Chefokee, O'Brien, Sioux and the unorganized counties of Lyon and Osceola.

He was Commissioner of Immigration of Iowa from May, 1880, to 1882. He was Marshal for the Northern District of Iowa from 1882 to 1885. He was elected to the 52d Congress and re-elected three times, his term of office being from 1891 to 1899. He was delegate at large from Iowa to the Republican Conventions in 1876, 1880, 1886 and 1908.

Mr. Perkins was a pioneer. At the time he was a member of the Senate, northwestern Iowa was little more than a great stretch of prairie; the Dakotas were practically without population, and as each settler came into the new territory, he was influenced and to a great extent guided and directed by the paper which Mr. Perkins edited, and for more than forty years, each day his influence went out into that territory which he saw change from raw prairie to thickly populated communities. No one can measure his influence over northwestern Iowa, the Dakotas and Nebraska, but a man of his steadfastness and uprightness of character must of necessity have imparted to that territory the most wholesome effects. It has been said of him that "penetration, strong mindedness,

intensity, application, honesty, fidelity, courage, judgment and fortitude stand out most prominently in his career." Such qualities, when impressed upon the public mind by daily contact of the paper which he so ably edited, could not but work out for the best influence that any man could exert upon so many minds in so great a territory, the early setting of which was to have so great an influence upon its future.

There was a bond of union and love between George D. Perkins and his employees that cannot be appreciated by the public at large. It was only necessary for one to enter his great newspaper establishment, to realize the love and veneration in which he was held by his co-workers, and with George D. Perkins that included the humblest laborer as well as the heads of departments. He had himself come up through all the grades of hard labor, and had a heart tuned to the appreciation of the worth and dignity of honest labor.

Resolved, That in his death, not only the State of Iowa, but the adjoining states lost a worthy and upright citizen, an honest and fearless advocate of those things which stand out most prominently in the building up of a strong nation; his city one of its most enterprising and steadfast characters, and his profession one whose example will long be inspiring and helpful in every field of journalism, and we hereby extend to the bereaved family and friends our sincere sympathy; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be printed in the Journal of the Senate, and that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased.

E. F. FARR,
CLEM F. KIMBALL,
C. H. THOMAS,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Farr in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—In the adoption of these resolutions I feel inadequate to rise to the occasion which this affords. There are so many things which might be said concerning a man of his ability, concerning a man who saw so much, who did so much and felt so much, that I say that I feel myself incapable of expressing what ought to be expressed.

I knew him for 25 years, not intimately in the earlier years, but later well enough so that during the last few years of his life I used to go to his office and discuss matters of public interest. He was a congenial man when you became acquainted with him, but his life had been such that few indeed came to know him, at least in the earlier years of his life.

But he was a man with a vision. I wish you might see what he saw. He probably stood on one of those bluffs which faced toward the west, the grave of Sergeant Floyd on his left and that of War Eagle, not yet grown green, on his right, and in the valley below Council Oak with its spreading branches possibly sheltering a gathering of Indians who met

to consider some matter of peace with the Chippewas, or war upon the Sioux. He must have seen into the future of that great country with the Sioux River dividing Iowa from the Dakotas, flowing down that great fertile valley which was destined in the near future to be one of the granaries of the world.

He undertook the publishing of a daily newspaper which he continued for forty-five years. No other man has ever started with so little and has built it up to as high, and I think as great an influence in the different states, as the Sioux City Journal had at the time of the death of its founder. Some forty-five years ago that paper was a struggling newspaper in the village along the river. I succeeded him in the state senate by just forty years. He represented the Forty-eighth Senatorial District which at that time comprised nearly all of northwestern Iowa. At the time of his death he could look across into the two states in the formation of the government of both of which he had had a great deal to do. If you realized the daily contact of his great paper you could see what his influence must have been in the making up of the general character and policy of those states. He was a man who looked toward the East, but his vision was toward the West. It has been said by some that it would have been well if some of the early men of Iowa who had served their state so dutifully, had left a history of what had been done, but if you could go to Sioux City today and go into the splendid building which has just been erected to shelter the newspaper which he built up, go over its files and you would not only find his biography, and his diary, but also a history of that great territory whose character and policies were so tremendously affected by his influence.

His was a grand life with grand opportunities. If you could feel what he felt you could then understand what it was for a man to start out as he started, and live through all the phases of that period of that territory and know that his vision had passed into reality. As I said before, no other paper was ever started under those conditions and built up to the altitude that the Sioux City Journal was under his management. He was a man who was well rounded out. He not only had great ability as a writer, but he had that rare accomplishment which seldom goes with it, and that was that of a business man. He built up a great factory, you might say, which sent out from it the news and opinions, which moulded to a great extent the governmental affairs of the adjoining states. He was not only a business man and an editor, but he was a statesman. Whether or not he gained what he desired, whether or not he attained the ambitions to which he looked forward, he knew, and all who knew him knew, that he had the satisfaction of knowing that he had made a good fight. He was a man, who as the years went by, became better understood. At the time of his death the city of which he had been a resident had come to know and appreciate the worth of this man. No man had had so much to do with the building up of that city as he. No man was missed so much, and today if you would call together all the people of the city and ask what man of that community had had the most to do with the building of the city, and building up of the character of the city, they would tell you George D. Perkins. If you would ask what

man had the most to do with the building up of the character and institutions of the adjoining states to the west, they would tell you the same.

President Harding spoke as follows:

It is indeed a pleasure to me to have opportunity to say a word that will become a part of the permanent records of the state about so great a man and so good a friend as George D. Perkins.

Some one has said, "There is a time for all things, a time to live, and a time to die." George D. Perkins left this world ripe in years of experience. He lived in a time when the greatest history of the world was made. He took part in the civil war as a private soldier; he took part during the reconstruction period of our country. He saw the wonderful advance made in science and invention in the past half century. Mr. Perkins was a man little known and little appreciated by those who were his neighbors and his friends. He was a man of strong opinions, he was a man of courage, willing, if need be, to fight alone; and yet there never lived a man who had a kinder heart, and who was more generous than was he.

It was my privilege and pleasure to become acquainted with him while he was a candidate for congress and while he was in congress. I was then a boy living on a farm. He visited at our home while canvassing for delegates to the county convention, and I knew him only as I had the pleasure of listening to his conversation. Later I moved to Sioux City and in my endeavor to acquire an education I became a "cub" reporter, and in that capacity had an opportunity to work on the Sioux City Journal and in those days became better acquainted with him. Later I entered politics as a candidate for office. The Sioux City Journal and Mr. Perkins were very kind to me, but during the years that I held office, never once did he suggest to me the position I should take on public questions, or attempt to dictate to me in a political way.

In these later years I formed a habit of going to his office about once a month in the afternoon just after the evening edition of the paper was out, for a visit. If you have never been connected with a newspaper you can't quite appreciate this, but any one who has ever "pushed a pencil" learns to love the smell of printer's ink and knows what it means to go into a newspaper office just as the evening edition is out. I climbed the stairs to his old dingy office on the third floor without serious thought but went up to visit. Sometimes Mr. Perkins would talk about religion, sometimes he would talk about philosophy and sometimes he would talk about politics. A week, sometimes a month after the visit, I would read the thoughts that he had conveyed to me in the conversation in an editorial.

It was shortly after the first of the year when Mr. Perkins passed away. I went up to his office for one of these afternoon visits during the last week he was in his office and he told me about his Sunday sermons. At one time he stopped the publication of his Sunday sermons and wrote a farewell sermon. He then began their publication again. He told me on this day of a letter that he received from a woman who lived in North Dakota, who for years had been on the sickbed. In this letter she asked him to continue the publication of his Sunday sermons. These Sunday

sermons were the only ray of religious light that came to her from the outside. Then he told me of other incidents of the same kind and I was able to see then some things that I had never realized before—the great work George D. Perkins had been doing for this world.

Some one has truly said that the history of a nation is but the history of the life of men. The history of northwest Iowa, and the great northwest country is truly the life of George D. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins was a great editor; he was a great business man, but above and beyond all that, George D. Perkins was a great teacher. He lived each day a life that was true and sincere. The relation between himself and his employees was most cordial. Any man who ever worked on the Sioux City Journal, newsboy, reporter or laborer, was the friend of George D. Perkins. He never allowed the sun to go down at night without being able to look back over the day and see some place where he had done some kind act to make this world brighter for some human being. He did the thing that was hard, he lived his religion.

I feel that I was honored in having had so close an association with Mr. Perkins. There is one phase of his life that is little known—this occasion would not be complete unless it was mentioned. He was a true husband. Mrs. Perkins lingered only a short time after he died. When he said goodbye to her there was no joy left in this world for her. He was her support, he was her strength, and when his life went out hers went out. She lingered but a little while and then she followed him.

I presume the greatest tribute that can be paid to any man is to say that he was a true, loyal husband, a companion of his wife, and such was George D. Perkins.

Senator Perkins from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your special committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of John S. Lothrop beg leave to submit the following report:

JOHN STILLMAN LOTHROP.

A member of this body from 1896 to 1900, died at Sioux City, July 1, 1913. He was a native of the town of Dover, Maine, where he was born October 9, 1836. When he was sixteen years of age the family removed to the State of Illinois, where he spent four years on a farm. He then entered the Chicago Law School. The call to arms found him ready to respond, and he enlisted in the 11th Illinois Infantry, in which he served three months, and then re-enlisted in the 26th Illinois Infantry, where he became captain. He took part in many battles, among them Ft. Henry, Ft. Donelson, Shiloh and Corinth.

After the war he practiced law in Illinois until 1884, when he removed to Sioux City, Iowa. President Harrison appointed him Collector of Internal Revenue. In 1895 he was elected to the state senate. After retiring from the General Assembly, he succeeded in securing for the state, from the United States, a refunding of interest on certain war and defense bonds issued in 1861, which interest amounted to \$456,417.89, for which

service he was paid the sum of \$7,500.00. He continued in the active practice of law up to the time of his death. He was dignified, upright and gentlemanly; warm hearted and loyal to his friends, and fair to his opponents. He was held in the highest esteem by his friends, his neighbors and the members of the bench and bar of northwestern Iowa, all of whom united in testifying to his high character and great ability.

Resolved, That in his death the community and state lost a worthy and upright citizen and an honorable man, and we hereby extend to the bereaved family and friends our sincerest sympathy; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be printed in the Journal of the Senate, and that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased.

ELI C. PERKINS,

E. P. FARR,

N. BALKEMA,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Perkins in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE SENATE—My acquaintance with Captain Lothrop was somewhat limited. I saw him as a member of this body here. I knew him better as a United States officer at Dubuque. He was a revenue collector for the northern district of Iowa for some years, and I saw him in the United States Court. Captain Lothrop was like the granite hills of New England, rugged and strong. He was a man of strong character, a man who stood for something in the community in which he lived, and something in the state of Iowa, and the part that he took in the affairs of this state was that of a successful man. He represented the State of Iowa in the great controversy between the state and the United States over interest due on funds advanced by the State of Iowa in the conduct of the Civil War, and he was successful in recovering for the State of Iowa over \$400,000.00 and interest on the claims made by the state. He was a man of such ability that he was able to take care of the interests of this state and to receive from the United States that which was due him, and the great State of Iowa. He was a man who was honored and respected in all of his dealings in public affairs. In the development of Sioux City, the city in which his home was while in northwestern Iowa, he took a prominent part.

In the death of Captain Lothrop, Iowa loses one of its earnest, well wishing citizens, and Iowa loses one of its most faithful servants.

Senator Allen from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions commemorative of the late character and services of ex-Senator A. O. Garlock, beg leave to submit the following report:

A. O. GARLOCK.

A. O. Garlock was born in Otsego county, New York, Dec. 4, 1842. He went to De Kalb, Illinois, in 1859. In July, 1861, he joined Company K, Forty-second Illinois Infantry as First Sergeant and later became Lieutenant.

He was married to Miss Amanda Hunt in 1864. He moved to Iowa in 1869, being the first permanent settler of Cedar township, Pocahontas county.

In 1871 he was elected County Auditor and served eight years. In 1888 he was elected to the state senate from the Fiftieth senatorial district and served his state as Senator in the Twenty-second General Assembly.

With others he organized banks at Pocahontas, Rolfe and Plover and the Iowa State Bankers Bank at Des Moines.

He moved to Des Moines in 1890 where he lived for ten years. Since 1902 he spent most of his time in southern California, living in San Diego and Escondido, where he died April 5, 1913.

He was survived by his wife, who departed this life May 13, 1913, and by six children.

Senator Garlock was a genial, kind hearted Christian gentleman. In private and public life his conduct was above reproach. One of the best testimonials of his sterling qualities of manhood and integrity is to be found in the fact that during his long service as auditor of Pocahontas county in pioneer days no blot appears on the financial record of the county. As a member of the Senate he was found to be a true friend, a wise counselor and a fearless advocate of the best things in legislation.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the records of the Senate and that a properly engrossed copy, signed by the President and Secretary, be sent to the family.

J. H. ALLEN,
JOHN T. CLARKSON,
FREDERIC LARRABEE,
Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Allen in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—I wish to say a few brief words. I first became acquainted with Mr. Garlock when a young man, about 19 years of age, and I want to relate the impression which his kind, quiet, familiar manner had upon me. He was one of those men who went about his work in that simple effective way which won friends and kept them. I remember well in those early times in our county how everyone spoke of Mr. Garlock. His habits of life and conduct were an inspiration to every young man in that county in those days. He was a man who did his work according to the best dictates of his own conscience.

Senator Jones from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

Mr. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions commemorative of the life, character and services of Joseph M. Junkin beg to submit the following report:

JOSEPH M'KENNA JUNKIN.

Joseph McKenna Junkin was born at Fairfield, Iowa, on April 8, 1852, and on July 11, 1888, was united in marriage at Ames, Iowa, with Olivette Chevalier, to which union were born two children, Chevalier and Josephine. He died at Red Oak, October 11, 1913.

After completing the school course at Red Oak, he attended the law department of the State University where he graduated in 1879 and in September of that year became a law partner of H. E. Deemer, which partnership continued until 1887 when Mr. Deemer was elected District Judge. He was City Attorney from 1881 to 1885, and in 1895 was elected as State Senator from the district composed of Mills and Montgomery counties. He served in the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth General Assemblies, taking part in the more important work of all four sessions, gaining high rank as a legislator, and had a large part in making the code of Iowa laws issued by the Twenty-sixth General Assembly.

For a number of years Senator Junkin was an active member of the Knights of Pythias lodge and was also a member of the Presbyterian church. His circle of acquaintance was large and his character was such that he left many warm friends over the entire state.

In the death of Mr. Junkin, Iowa lost one of her most distinguished native sons. He was born in the state and never lived outside her borders. He was nobly loyal to all the interests of the state as well as those of the county. His purpose in life was to be true to the highest ideals and to be a truly worthy servant of his fellow men.

The natural courage and forcefulness of the man, his logic, his wide knowledge, his poise, balance and sanity of view, all combined to make him an excellent counsellor. He was always faithful and efficient in service, but, over and above these things, he was a genial, helpful and sympathetic friend.

He went to his grave in the prime of life but even in this brief span of time he made on his state a lasting impress of good. His record is clean and it will be a source of pride and satisfaction to his family and his state until the end of time. Therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Joseph M. Junkin the state lost an efficient legislator and an honorable man and we hereby extend to the family and friends our sincere sympathy, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be printed in the Journal of the Senate and that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased.

F. F. JONES,
JOHN T. CLARKSON,
ELI C. PERKINS,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Jones in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—It was my privilege to know and become somewhat intimately acquainted with Hon. J. M. Junkin for some years. He was high minded, public spirited citizen, active in all the affairs of the city in which he lived, and in our county was active in politics. I doubt if there was a man in the county so much interested in politics and so much in demand in different parts of the state as a public speaker as was Mr. Junkin. His greatest success, perhaps, was in his profession, to which he was devoted. He was very successful, not only as a counselor, but before a jury we had no man in southwestern Iowa that could attract the attention and succeed so well before juries as could J. M. Junkin. He did not retire from business, but while actively engaged in his office in consultation with a client, death came. A few moments before he was consulting with a client, a few moments later, came death. I attended his funeral.

In summing up his characteristics the thing I would most emphasize is the warmth and stability of the friendships which he formed with his friends.

We have with us one of his classmates, Senator Perkins.

Senator Perkins in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT—J. M. Junkin and I were classmates at the university at Iowa City, and there I learned to know him as a companion. He was one with whom, as we boys said, I chummed. I knew him as a member of the law class, and in the days that we passed at Iowa City he and I became fast friends. The friendship so formed continued on through the years. He went to southwestern Iowa and I went to northeastern Iowa, but during the years intervening since 1879, occasionally we exchanged letters, keeping in touch with each other across the prairie, and in the years that have come we often met here in Des Moines. During the republican conventions of the state he and I were here many a day and at those times I warmly greeted this boyhood friend.

He was a staunch friend through all the years, and it was a pleasure and a bright spot whenever I could meet with Mr. J. M. Junkin for a few moments and renew the days when we were schoolmates together. I saw him again here in the Senate, a man who had arrived at the strength of manhood, a man who was strong and able and he gave to the state of Iowa the best that there was in him. He was faithful to his party, he stood for the things with his party that he believed were right. He was not a politician in the small sense of the term, he was a man with a big heart, first for his country, and for his party, and those who knew him most intimately loved him best.

Senator Parker from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your special committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of Benjamin F. Allen beg leave to submit the following report:

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ALLEN.

Benjamin Franklin Allen, who was a member of the Senate of the state of Iowa 1870-74, died at Hollywood, California, on the 14th day of April, 1914. Mr. Allen was born at Salem, Indiana, April 27, 1829. It was in that state that he earned his first money, selling fruit. He came to Iowa in the year 1848, with means variously estimated, but a remarkable amount for one so young, who had to make it for himself. He went into merchandising at first, but, like most persons in pioneer towns, helped in other projects. He was a partner in the first sawmill in the vicinity of the future capital of the state; a venture not only profitable but of much importance to the business interests of the county, where was to be found an immense growth of black walnut trees, so plentiful that that sort of lumber was utilized for all sorts of purposes, sidewalks even being constructed of it. Mr. Allen also bought and had brought to the head of navigation on the Des Moines river, that is to the "forks of the Raccoon," the first boat that got to that point. In 1855 he combined banking with his enterprises. At that time there were laws against the establishment of "banks," which to the pioneers only meant banks of issue, as the language of our constitution indicates. Not only were banks of issue forbidden, but the circulation of paper money was penalized. But Americans had been too long accustomed to the use of paper money and appreciated its convenience. That kind of money had wide circulation, but the character of such was of widely different kinds. Many Iowa bankers got out bills purporting to come from the territory of Nebraska and elsewhere. Among the paper money thus circulated, the Bank of Nebraska, that bank of which was Frank Allen, as he was universally called, had the highest reputation, so much so that persons getting hold of bills of that bank were disposed to hold on to them; they were good. At the beginning of the war, and for several years before, paper money of that kind was about all the money that circulated here, the rate of exchange getting to extravagant figures; but the holders of the Nebraska bank money had no such rates to pay. It was as good as the Illinois money that had the better reputation in that time of uncertainty in the currency. When the new constitution became the fundamental law of the state, and a state bank was established, Mr. Allen became a director of the branch that was established at Des Moines. That state bank had always a high reputation, and it eventually was merged into the national bank system, the Des Moines branch becoming the State National Bank of Des Moines. Some years later it absorbed the First National Bank of the city. Thus, from 1855, for twenty years, the name of B. F. Allen as a capitalist stood very high in Iowa's financial circles; none were higher. His aid was freely given to worthy benevolences, and his help to struggling young persons often was that which enabled them to get on their feet financially.

In 1869, Mr. Allen was chosen by the people of the county of Polk to a seat in this body. In the Thirteenth General Assembly he was chairman of the committee on the Suppression of Intemperance, and in the Fourteenth of that on Banks. His work here is largely reflected in the stately edifice in which this body sits.

In the year 1873, Mr. Allen removed to Chicago, where he undertook to save from ruin the Cook County National Bank. The effort proved too much for him, the great crash of that year coming on soon after he went to the great city. Then the man's princely fortune disappeared, and the successful and popular capitalist saw his vast wealth vanish.

Mr. Allen soon afterwards removed to California, where the man of benevolence when possessed of abundant means spent the last years of a life which in its prime was a highly useful one.

Mr. Allen was, on the 31st day of January, 1854, united in marriage with Miss Thusa West. The fifteenth anniversary of that event, observed as it was in the palatial home he had just erected, was a memorable event of the time. Mrs. Allen and their younger daughter long years ago preceded husband and father to the life beyond. Three children remain: Mrs. Swords of New York city, and Messrs. Frank and Harry of California.

In memory of this man so potently helpful in his day of opulence and so useful a man and a legislator, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the state of Iowa, that this memorial be entered on its Journal and an engrossed copy thereof be transmitted to the family of the deceased.

ADDISON M. PARKER,
FRED G. HENIGBAUM,
ROBERT QUIGLEY,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Hagemann from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of John F. Wade beg leave to submit the following report:

JOHN F. WADE.

John F. Wade was born at Burlington, Vermont, April 7, 1859. He moved with his parents to Iowa in the year of 1878, and settled with his parents upon a farm in Bennezette township, Butler county, Iowa. Being the oldest son of a family of seven, he was obliged to forego to a large extent even the meager educational advantages from the country school. He was married April 3, 1886, to Mary Dougherty, daughter of the Hon. Daniel Dougherty, a pioneer settler of Cerro Gordo county. Nine children were born, seven of whom are now living. He engaged in farming upon a farm within a mile of his father's homestead and was especially interested and engaged in the feeding and shipping of cattle and hogs. He was also, for several years, a partner in the firm

of Wade, Ledyig & Co., at Dougherty, Iowa, which firm was engaged in retailing lumber, coal, farm machinery, etc., but always until about two years before his death, maintained his residence upon the old farm.

He has always been a democrat in politics. In a county that is republican by a large majority he held several township offices. In 1896 he was elected a member of the board of supervisors of that county and served as such for two terms. Upon the expiration of his second term, he was elected state senator to represent the Thirty-ninth senatorial district composed of Butler and Bremer counties. He served in the Thirtieth, Thirty-first, Thirty-second and the special session of the Thirty-second General Assemblies.

October 1, 1909, Mr. Wade was appointed member of the board of control by Governor Carroll to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of the Hon. John T. Hamilton of Cedar Rapids. At the expiration of that term, he was reappointed, and at the time of his death was chairman of the board. He died September 16, 1913, and was buried in the Catholic cemetery at Dougherty, Iowa, only a few miles from the farm upon which he spent practically his whole life.

Mr. Wade, as a man, was honest and industrious; as a friend, he was loyal, helpful, and sincere; as an official, he was diligent, painstaking, and capable; and as a Christian gentleman, he had the confidence and esteem of all who knew him. In his own immediate circle of friends and neighbors, he was not only most beloved, but most trusted, most honored. For years he was a county or state official. The close of his public career found him clean and honest as he was at the beginning. He held the confidence of the electorate as few men can gain and hold it. Measured by any of the standards of honorable, useful citizenship, he was a man. Be it

Resolved, That in the death of John F. Wade the state has lost a worthy citizen. That it recognizes the high character of his services to the state, and that the Senate takes this occasion to acknowledge its recognition and express its high regard and appreciation of his character and public services, and to extend to his family its sincere sympathy in their bereavement. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, engrossed and duly authenticated by the President and Secretary of the Senate, be presented to the family of the deceased.

F. P. HAGEMANN,
D. C. CHASE,
D. S. FLECK,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Eversmeyer from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your special committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of John M. Gobble beg leave to submit the following report:

JOHN McCULLOCH GOBBLE.

John McCulloch Gobble was born at Abingdon, Jefferson county, Iowa, October 10, 1849, and died at Muscatine, Iowa, June 9, 1914. He was the son of Thomas Wilson Gobble, and moved from Jefferson county, Iowa, to Muscatine, November 1, 1880. He was an active and influential man from the time he arrived at his maturity, in all the fields of useful endeavor. He served the city of Muscatine as mayor during the years 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889, and 1893. He carried great strength in his political influence, and in the election of 1889 swept the Muscatine-Louisa district from its republican moorings of twenty years, and took his seat in the Iowa state senate, serving through the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth General Assemblies. He was appointed by Lieutenant Governor Poyneer, in the Twenty-third General Assembly, to the membership on the committees of Appropriations, Cities and Towns, Commerce, Constitutional Amendments, and Highways. In the Twenty-fourth General Assembly he was appointed by Lieutenant Governor Bestow as chairman of the committee on Cities and Towns, and to membership on the committees on Suppression of Intemperance, Congressional and Judicial Districts, Highways, Constitutional Amendments and Suffrage, and Commerce.

After Mr. Gobble located in Muscatine he engaged in the wholesale grocery business and by his strict attention to his business and by his fair dealings, built up one of the largest and most successful wholesale businesses in eastern Iowa. He was a man whom it was a pleasure to meet, always genial and friendly, and one who made friends and kept them, and he was also a friend in the true sense of the word.

He was a business man of recognized high standing wherever known, and always gave his affairs his personal attention and direction, and as a result of his efforts, amassed a most comfortable competency. His strict attention to his business affairs undoubtedly contributed to his demise, as he was in a frail and weakened condition at the time his last illness overtook him. The city of Muscatine and the state of Iowa have lost a good and honest citizen, in the passing away of ex-Senator John M. Gobble.

F. W. EVERSMEYER,
N. J. SCHRUP,
F. P. HAGEMANN,
Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator G. E. Hilsinger from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption.

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of Alfred Hurst beg leave to submit the following report:

ALFRED HURST.

Alfred Hurst was born in Lincolnshire, England, in 1841, and died in Maquoketa, Iowa, on March 25, 1915. In 1852 his father brought his family to America, landing at New Orleans. From New Orleans the family

traveled up the Mississippi River to Davenport which was then only a village.

Mr. Hurst's father died in 1856. The son was but five years of age when the family came to America and nine years old when his father died.

He was but a boy when the civil war broke out, but he enlisted and served during the war, returning to St. Louis where he engaged in steamboating on the upper Mississippi, continuing until 1866 when he returned to Davenport with the object of learning the trade of mason and bricklayer. He worked in Davenport until 1871 and that year he went to Maquoketa and founded his present lime business which has developed into one of the large industries of the state, the product of his lime kilns being sold in practically every state in the Union. During the development of his industry Mr. Hurst has also found time for raising, feeding and shipping stock.

In 1888, Senator Hurst organized the Maquoketa, Hurstville and Duquque Railway Company and constructed the railway from Maquoketa to Hurstville.

On December 12, 1873, Mr. Hurst was married to Sarah Large, a native of Virginia. To this union six children were born, all of whom survive: Charles F. Hurst, Mrs. L. L. Riggs, Alfred A. Hurst, Alice A. Hurst, Mrs. D. B. Hunter and Harry Hurst.

Mr. Hurst was a democrat in politics and in 1886 was elected a member of the board of supervisors of Jackson county. He served four years and was re-elected and in 1894 he was elected state senator by a majority of 1,400. He was also re-elected to the upper house of the Iowa legislature, and when he retired he was recognized as one of the most influential statesmen in Iowa.

Mr. Hurst was seventy-four years of age at the time of his death and was one of the most splendid types of the early Iowan. He was a self made man in every sense of the word, by perseverance, genius and business sagacity building his own fortune, not forgetting in the meantime the practice of charity. Many poor families owe debts of gratitude to Mr. Hurst. He was a member of the Masons, Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias.

He was a man who delighted to mingle with the people. He was honest and upright in all his dealings and had the confidence of all who knew him. He had a wide acquaintance and was loved by his friends throughout the state of Iowa.

While firm in his convictions he was a broad-minded, liberal man in every respect. The community in which he lived and the state of Iowa have sustained a great loss in his death. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the Senate, and that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward engrossed copies of these resolutions to the family of the deceased.

G. E. HILSINGEE,
FREDERIC LARRABEE,
F. P. HAGEMANN,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote,

Senator Wilson from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions commemorative of the life, character and services of Gen. Cyrus Bussey beg to submit the following report:

GEN. CYRUS BUSSEY.

WHEREAS, on the 2d day of March, 1915, Cyrus Bussey, a former member of the State Senate of Iowa, departed this life at the city of Washington, D. C., his home in later years; and

WHEREAS, his record as a man, a legislator, a soldier and a citizen has been of the highest character; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should recognize in some fitting manner the passing of this distinguished citizen; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Iowa, that in the death of Gen. Cyrus Bussey, the state and nation have suffered a distinct loss.

Cyrus Bussey was born in the state of Ohio on October 5, 1833. His father was a clergyman and in the early years of General Bussey's life, took the family to northern Indiana. There the boy received the usual rural schooling, his first employment being as a clerk in the dry goods store. Soon afterwards, he studied medicine and for a few years practiced the profession of a physician. In 1855 he moved to Iowa, settling at Bloomfield. In 1859 he was chosen a member of the Senate from the Third Senatorial District, at that time composed of Davis county alone.

In 1861 at the beginning of the war, he resigned his position in the state senate of Iowa, and entered the service of his country. Along the southern border of the state at the outset of the Civil War, he conducted a vigorous campaign against a force that was threatening the towns on the border of the state. This activity led to the organization of the 3d Iowa Cavalry, of which organization he was made colonel.

In February, 1862, his regiment was ordered to Springfield, Mo., to join General Curtis. The 3d Iowa Cavalry under the command of Colonel Bussey conducted an active campaign and participated in various battles in that locality. Colonel Bussey was placed in command of a brigade and was next made commander of the Second Cavalry Division of the Army of the Tennessee. Soon after he was placed at the head of all the cavalry in the rear of Vicksburg, where he rendered important service. Afterwards he led the advance of Sherman's army at Jackson after the fall of Vicksburg. Soon afterwards, commanding an expedition he further entered into Mississippi and encountered the Commander Jackson, whom he had met at the town of Jackson just before. A fierce battle followed, lasting for nine hours, the enemy being driven across Pearl River.

January 5, 1864, Colonel Bussey was made Brigadier General, his superior officers recommending him for "special gallantry." Towards the close of the war he acted as Commander in the administration of affairs in Arkansas, and his administration was highly spoken of as contributing greatly to restoring confidence among the loyal people, and infusing new hope for a bright future among them. He left the army with the rank of Brevet Major General. He retired from the service in September, 1865.

For several years General Bussey made his home at New Orleans, where he was at one time at the head of the Chamber of Commerce.

In the administration of President Harrison, he was Assistant Secretary of the Interior, serving there under General Noble, who was an officer under him in the 3d Iowa Cavalry.

It is believed that he was the last survivor when he departed this life, of all who sat in the General Assembly that answered Governor Kirkwood's call to duty in 1861. His Lieutenant Colonel, who went just before him, was the last to go of all the members of the House of Representatives.

For several years General Bussey and Gen. Grenville M. Dodge have been the only remaining survivors of the original Colonels of Iowa regiments. Be it further

Resolved, That his life as a citizen, as a soldier, as a legislator, and in every other walk of life has been such as to commend his example as an inspiration to coming generations. His unswerving fidelity to duty, the inflexible nature of his character, and his loyalty to duty in every respect, should inspire the rising generation of Americans to follow in the footsteps of that grand army of men of which General Bussey was a distinct type. And be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of this Senate, and an engrossed copy thereof be furnished to the family of the deceased.

J. M. WILSON,
J. H. TAYLOR,
F. E. THOMPSON,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Wilson in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

It was not my privilege or pleasure to be at all intimately acquainted with the subject of these resolutions. My first recollection of General Bussey was as a boy, when I heard him making a political address at a Republican meeting in the campaign of 1884, at Centerville. He was at that time in the prime of manhood, vigorous and alert mentally and physically and I remember after I heard him that I thought that here was my beau-ideal of man.

As the years came and went, I became more and more familiar with the record and career of this gallant soldier. The resolution, as presented, only briefly presents the main facts of this career, and as I reflect now on the life and services of General Bussey, and the other men in the "times that tried men's souls," faithfully performed their duty, I am impressed by the fact that there were giants in those days. As I listened a few weeks ago to the address of Col. W. P. Hepburn in the hall of the House of Representatives, this fact was borne in upon me that this generation, while they are doing perhaps their best to meet the problems that confront them are not of the same type of man as the Civil War and the years immediately following produced.

Not that there was anything better in the good old days of which we so often hear, but simply that the problems that confronted men of the last generation were of a character to develop the qualities of manhood that make for those rugged characteristic personalities that dominated the life and times in which they lived. Nothing would be gained by an extended review of General Bussey's career. Sufficient be it to say that in every respect, whether as a husband, father, soldier, citizen or a man, General Bussey measured up to the very highest standard. May I only say that should we follow his example, then as we enter the river of death, we shall have as our pilot the captain of our salvation, and as with storm shattered bark, we approach the heaven harbor, we shall not only hear the heaven ringing Alleluiahs of welcome, but the still small voice saying, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

And now on this occasion can anything be more appropriate to be said than is contained in the lines of the poet:

"Has your soul been invaded, your heart cut in twain,
By that terrible loss and terrible pain,
That anguish which comes when a dear one has died,
And the place that is vacant is close by your side,
When life seems so crushed by the force of the blow,
Even then in a way that you never may know
The hope of reunion is seeming to shine
Through the gloom and shadows one day at a time."

Mr. President, I move the adoption of the resolutions.

Senator Enger from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions commemorating the life work and public service of the Honorable Philo Milton Jewell, begs leave to report the following:

PHILO MILTON JEWELL.

Senator Philo Milton Jewell was born at Mount Vernon, Knox county, Ohio. His parents were Mr. Holly Jewell and Mrs. Margaret Jewell. At the age of eight he came with his parents to Illinois, where they settled on a farm near Mount Carroll, in Carroll county. Here the subject of this sketch grew up to manhood.

He was educated in the public schools and at Mount Carroll Seminary. Having chosen medicine as his life profession he studied medicine and surgery in the State University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, took post-graduate work at the Chicago Polyclinic Institute, and also in after years during practice took post-graduate work from time to time at the leading medical schools of his time in this country.

He began the practice of medicine at his home town, Mount Carroll, Illinois. A few years later he moved to Orleans, Nebraska, and later to Lyndon, where he stayed until 1880, when he moved to Winneshiek county, Iowa, where he first located at Ossian and nine years later settled in the city of Decorah.

In 1875 he was united in marriage to Miss Nama Livingston, who with one son and two daughters survive him.

Senator Jewell was a man of integrity, a man of truth and honesty in speech and actions. His straightforwardness in speech would at times carry to a point where it would provoke enmity in persons who were unable to appreciate the sterling qualities of a thoroughly righteous and steadfast citizen. But beneath a firm and stern personality there beat a warm charitable heart. He truly loved his fellowmen. His profession brought him face to face with humanity under all conditions, from the most luxurious home to the humblest cabin where misery and want is in evidence on every side. And he must go when called, to the most humble, often neglecting himself, his comfort, and his health, to carry to the suffering relief from the pain and to extend help to the afflicted when often fully aware that personal gain would not result.

As a friend and neighbor he was kind, considerate, and true. In politics he was originally a democrat, although taking an independent view on political questions. During the prohibition movements in the '80's he joined the republicans, with whom, thereafter, he actively affiliated.

In 1897 he was appointed a member of the United States Pension Board for Winneshiek county, which position he held to his death. In 1899 he was elected County Coroner. In 1906 he was elected Representative from Winneshiek county, re-elected in 1908, and in 1910 was elected Senator from the Howard and Winneshiek district.

During his second term as senator, while attending the Thirty-fifth General Assembly, the disease which was destined to end this noble life made itself manifest. After struggling to be at his post in the Senate day after day, he at last was compelled to go to the hospital and undergo an operation, from which he rallied enough to be in attendance during the closing days of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly and take part in its deliberations. But soon after its close, the disease again renewed its battle against the weakened body and exhausted vitality. He lingered until the following winter, the 8th day of January, 1914, when he died at his home in Decorah, Iowa.

In his political career he showed the same noble qualities as in private life. The conscientious, fearless stand he took on all public questions is well known to all of his colleagues. He took the most diligent care to inform himself on all measures before him, and gained the full respect and esteem of all his co-workers.

It is fitting that public recognition of his life and services be made. Therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Senator Philo Milton Jewell the state of Iowa has lost a faithful public servant and an able statesman whose services promoted the public welfare and whose fidelity to public duty furnishes an example worthy of emulation;

Resolved, That the district of Howard-Winneshiek has lost a most useful and loyal citizen; his home community, an able physician, a willing co-worker and neighbor, and his family, a kind and loving husband and father; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the Journal of the Senate, and an engrossed copy of the same be sent to the bereaved family.

L. M. ENGER,
A. M. FELLOWS,
ROBERT QUIGLEY,
Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

IN MEMORIAM

WARREN S. DUNGAN

Sixteenth Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Iowa

Born September 12, 1822

Came to Iowa in 1856

Represented Lucas County in the Ninth, Ninth Extra, Eighteenth,
Nineteenth, Twenty-second and Twenty-third General
Assemblies

Lieutenant-Governor 1894-1896

Died at Chariton, Iowa,

May 9, 1913

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Passed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly

Titles of laws enacted and joint resolutions passed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly to April 17, 1915.

THOMAS WATERS, JR.,
Secretary.

SENATE BILLS.

Senate File No. 2, by Senator Chase, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter two-b (2-b), title fourteen (XIV), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the drainage, sale, and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds, and to provide for an examination and classification of said lakes and a report thereon to the next general assembly.

Senate File No. 3, by Senator Chase, a bill for an act to punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor.

Substitute for Senate File No. 6, by Senator Larrabee, a bill for an act to repeal section one (1) of chapter one hundred six (106), of the acts of the thirty-fourth (34th) general assembly of the state of Iowa, and to repeal the law as same appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-eight (2478), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors.

Senate File No. 7, by Senator Clarkson, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-four hundred forty-eight (2448), of the supplement to the code, 1913, section twenty-four hundred forty-nine (2449), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred fifty (2450), and twenty-four hundred fifty-one (2451), of the supplement to the code, 1913, sections twenty-four hundred fifty-two (2452), twenty-four hundred fifty-three (2453), twenty-four hundred fifty-four (2454), twenty-four hundred fifty-five (2455), twenty-four hundred fifty-six (2456), twenty-four hundred fifty-seven (2457), twenty-four hundred fifty-eight (2458), twenty-four hundred fifty-nine (2459), twenty-four hundred sixty (2460), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one (2461), of the code, 1897, sections twenty-four hundred sixty-one-c (2461-c), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-d (2461-d), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-e (2461-e), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-h (2461-h), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), twenty-four hundred sixty-one-j (2461-j), and twenty-four hundred sixty-one-k (2461-k), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax.

Substitute for Senate File No. 12, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred thirteen (2413), of the code relating to liquor search warrants and seizure; and to amend section twenty-four hundred fifteen (2415), of the code, relating to notice, trial, judgment and appeal upon same.

Senate File No. 14, by Senators Gillette and Crist, a bill for an act to amend chapter one (1) of the acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly relating to the compilation, publication and distribution of the supplement to the code, 1913.

Senate File No. 16, by Senator Perkins, a bill for an act additional to and amendatory of the law as it appears in title III, chapter 5-b, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for medical and surgical treatment and hospital care of children who are afflicted with any malady or deformity which can probably be remedied, whose parents, or other persons chargeable with their support, are unable to provide such treatment and care, providing for payment of the expenses thereof, and conferring upon juvenile courts jurisdiction and certain powers in such cases, and conferring additional powers upon the board of control of state institutions.

Senate File No. 30, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to amend section forty-seven hundred fifty-nine (4759), of the code, relating to the crime of abortion.

Senate File No. 32, by Senator Foster, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the incorporated town of Adel and the town council of said incorporated town, in the county of Dallas and state of Iowa, in relation to the extending, maintenance and operation of a system of water works, and the issuance of bonds and warrants of said town and payment thereof, and authorizing the town council of said town to issue bonds for the purpose of taking up its floating indebtedness represented by such warrants.

Senate File No. 34, by Senator Helmer, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury.

Senate File No. 37, by Senator Kimball, a bill for an act enabling Mrs. C. C. Platner, and Mrs. George Wilson to share in the policeman's pension fund of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Senate File No. 38, by Senator Kimball, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to P. N. Sucksdorf for a certain tract of land to correct error in title.

Substitute for Senate File No. 40, by Senator Hagemann, a bill for an act to amend section 2540, of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the season during which fish may be taken.

Senate File No. 41, by Senator Foskett, a bill for an act to create the office of city manager, providing for the appointment, salary and term of office and prescribing the duties and powers thereof. (Additional to chapter two (2), title five (V), of the code.)

Senate File No. 42, by Senator Heald, a bill for an act to provide for a creditable exhibit of resources of the state of Iowa in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915.

Substitute for Senate File No. 45, by Senator Sheean, a bill for an act to amend sections fifty-seven hundred sixteen (5716) and fifty-seven hundred seventeen (5717), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation and allowance of officers and employes of the reformatory at Anamosa, and the penitentiary at Fort Madison.

Senate File No. 51, by Senator Grout, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section six hundred eighty-seven-a (687-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of proceedings of city and town councils.

Senate File No. 53, by Senator Parker, a bill for an act making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies.

Senate File No. 66, by Senator Arney, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two (932) of the code, relating to the transfer of public squares or other plats of ground deeded or dedicated to the public, to be used for school purposes.

Senate File No. 77, by Senator Foskett, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) to indemnify George D. Shaw for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as laundryman in the state hospital of the insane at Clarinda, Iowa.

Senate File No. 80, by Senator Thomas, a bill for an act to reimburse certain persons and organizations for money contributed by them to assist the Gettysburg anniversary commission created by the thirty-fifth general assembly, in carrying out the provisions of chapter three hundred thirty-five (335), acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly.

Senate File No. 83, by Senator Eversmeyer, a bill for an act authorizing conveyance and patent to the widow and heirs of Greenberry Stephens, for a tract of land in Muscatine county, Iowa.

Senate File No. 86, by Senator Gillette, a bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the independent school district of Cherokee, county of Cherokee and state of Iowa.

Senate File No. 98, by Senator Balkema, a bill for an act to provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessarily expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

Senate File No. 101, by Senator Boe, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated independent school districts as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

Senate File No. 105, by Senator Frailey, a bill for an act in relation to semi-monthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Substitute for Senate File No. 106, by Senator Foster, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121), of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the duties, office, and salaries of railroad commissioners.

Senate File No. 109, by Senator Ream, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of six hundred seventy-five (675), to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sustained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the capitol ground.

Substitute for Senate File No. 112, by Senator Thomas, a bill for an act to provide for the general distribution of the Senate journal and the House journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor, and providing for the printing thereof and fixing the compensation to be paid to the state printer and binder therefor.

Senate File No. 120, by Senator Sheean, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Suter and James W. McAleer conveying the southwest one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the northeast one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$), of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.

Senate File No. 124, by Senator Thomas, a bill for an act to legalize ordinances numbers two hundred (200) to two hundred twenty-one (221), of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa.

Senate File No. 126, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), of the supplement to the code, 1913, making any person found to be a bootlegger guilty of committing a misdemeanor.

Senate File No. 139, by Senator Caswell, a bill for an act prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers.

Senate File No. 143, by Senator Farr, a bill for an act authorizing cities other than special charter cities having a population of two thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof.

Senate File No. 144, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code, relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of the supreme court.

Senate File No. 145, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings.

Senate File No. 146, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes.

Senate File No. 147, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the firemen's pension fund.

Senate File No. 149, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws becoming effective by publication.

Senate File No. 150, by Senator Kimball, a bill for an act to provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof.

Senate File No. 151, by Senator Grout, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587), of the code, relating to regulations for cemeteries.

Senate File No. 156, by Senator Jackson, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof.

Senate File No. 157, by Senator Clarkson, a bill for an act authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter (1-4) of the southwest quarter (1-4), of section sixteen (16), township seventy-three (73) north, range eighteen (18), west of the fifth P. M., Monroe county, Iowa.

Senate File No. 159, by Senator Clarkson, a bill for an act to authorize, direct and enable W. S. Allen, secretary of state, to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain lands.

Senate File No. 176, by Senator Hagemann, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand ninety-four (3094), of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the filing of mechanic's liens by subcontractors after thirty days.

Senate File No. 180, by Senator Arney, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-three (2727-a-3), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the secretary of the board of control.

Substitute for Senate File No. 183, by Senator Kimball, a bill for an act to amend the law as the same appears in section two hundred fifty-three (253), and section two hundred fifty-four-a-two (254-a-2), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of judges of the district court and shorthand reporters.

- Senate File No. 185, by Senator Balkema, a bill for an act to amend section eight hundred eighty-seven (887), of the code, relative to taxation and to authorize, in cities of the second class and towns, a levy for road purposes.
- Substitute for Senate File No. 187, by Senator Fleck, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1500) dollars to the widow and children of Robert Jopling, deceased.
- Substitute for Senate File No. 189, by Senator Allen, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-a (2477-a), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-b (2477-b), twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-c (2477-c), and twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-d (2477-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and to regulate the street trades all relating to child labor.
- Senate File No. 201, by Senator Taylor, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-eight (2588), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of pharmacy.
- Senate File No. 202, by Senator Foster, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to sewer outlets and purifying plants and the tax levy provided therefor as the same is found in section eight hundred forty-g (840-g), supplement to the code, 1913.
- Senate File No. 207, by Senator Farr, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a fifty (2727-a 50), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to purchase of supplies by board of control.
- Senate File No. 208, by Senator Allen, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgage prior to January 1, 1900.
- Senate File No. 209, by Senator Allen, a bill for an act to legalize certain satisfactions of mortgages executed by attorney in fact.
- Senate File No. 218, by Senator White of Benton, a bill for an act to encourage the dairy industry and beef cattle growing industries of the state of Iowa and to aid in providing instruction in practical and scientific methods and making an appropriation therefor.
- Senate File No. 222, by Senator Crist, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred ten (810), of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to publication of preliminary notice of street improvements.
- Senate File No. 223, by Senator Crist, a bill for an act to amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bids for street improvements.
- Senate File No. 234, by Senator Foskett, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section two thousand five hundred and seventy-five-a-52 (2575-a-52), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, making annual appropriation for carrying on the work of the state entomologist.

Senate File No. 235, by Senator Schrup, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk.

Senate File No. 240, by Senator White of Benton, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred and six (2606), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the admission of soldiers' wives and widows to the soldiers' home.

Senate File No. 242, by Senator Savage, a bill for an act making special appropriations for the state university of Iowa, the Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the Iowa state teachers college, and the college for the blind.

Senate File No. 249, by Senator Kimball, a bill for an act granting to cities and towns power to license and regulate electricians and electrical contractors and power to regulate the installation and inspection of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparatus; to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed, and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted under this act.

Senate File No. 254, by Senator Taylor, a bill for an act to repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409), of the code, relating to the certification of taxes to another county, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Senate File No. 259, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to legalize all the elections of the town of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello and state of Iowa, and all acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all ordinances and resolutions, or amendments thereto, passed by the town council of said town, and all the official acts of the town officers of said town, since the passage of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as chapter twenty-six (26) of the acts of the thirty-second general assembly; and defining the terms of office of the councilmen and officers of said town, and providing for future elections therein.

Senate File No. 260, by Senator Hagemann, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty-two-a (1822-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title nine (IX), of the code.

Senate File No. 264, by Senator Hilsinger, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight-s (2538-s) of the supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the area that may be placed under quarantine by the commission of animal health, and prescribing the method of quarantine.

Senate File No. 265, by Senator Crist, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter thirteen (13), title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the dairy and food commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter.

Senate File No. 272, by Senator Kimball, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa library commission.

Senate File No. 273, by Senator Robinson, a bill for an act making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa soldiers' home, Iowa soldiers' orphans' home, school for the deaf, institution for feeble-minded children, state sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, industrial schools, state hospitals, state hospital for inebriates, penitentiary and reformatory.

Substitute for Senate File No. 276, by Senator Heald, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in sections forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one (4999-a31), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-c (4999-a31-c), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-e (4999-a31-e) and forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-f (4999-a31-f), supplement to the code, 1913.

Senate File No. 279, by Senator Jackson, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2,575) to indemnify Wm. H. Nieman for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa national guard.

Senate File No. 282, by Senator Jones, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Senate File No. 288, by Senator Jones, a bill for an act making annual appropriations to the state university, Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the Iowa state teachers' college, and college for the blind.

Senate File No. 289, by Senator Clarkson, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand nine-a to three thousand nine-r (3009-a to 3009-r), supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand twenty-nine-a (3029-a), three thousand twenty-nine-b (3029-b), three thousand twenty-nine-c (3029-c), three thousand twenty-nine-d (3029-d), supplement to the code, 1913, and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Senate File No. 291, by Senator Farr, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads.

Senate File No. 295, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act providing punishment for making false charges concerning the honesty of employes.

Senate File No. 302, by Senator Grout, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411), supplement to the code, 1913.

Senate File No. 304, by Senator Gillette, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa soldiers' home.

Senate File No. 314, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act making an appropriation to enable the state railroad commission to investigate, prepare and prosecute cases in resistance to advances asked by the carriers in the western advance rate case before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Senate File No. 315, by Senator Crist, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred eighty-ten a (2480-10a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone systems in mines.

Senate File No. 316, by Senator Crist, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand sixty-a one hundred twenty (3060-a120), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable instrument.

Senate File No. 317, by Senator Crist, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a-twenty-one (1087-a21), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns.

Senate File No. 319, by Senator Gillette, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-nine hundred-a-seven (2900-a7), supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands.

Senate File No. 320, by Senator Ream, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the state institution for inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.

Senate File No. 329, by Senator Allen, a bill for an act to enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct or maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used

for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof.

Senate File No. 336, by Senator Savage, a bill for an act making appropriation for the purchase of twenty thousand (20,000) copies of the railroad commissioners' official maps to be distributed by the railroad commission.

Senate File No. 339, by Senator Enger, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-a (2634-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the educational board of examiners.

Senate File No. 340, by Senator Taylor, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school fund loans.

Senate File No. 341, by Senator Taylor, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor.

Senate File No. 342, by Senator Taylor, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors.

Senate File No. 344, by Senator Taylor, a bill for an act to repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county treasurers, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Senate File No. 354, by Senator Grout, a bill for an act amending sections 1683-a, 1683-c, and repealing 1683-e, supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state.

Senate File No. 359, by Senator Savage, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a), supplement to the code, 1913.

Senate File No. 375, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-four (2215-f24), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-five (2215-f25), and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f twenty-seven (2215-f27), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Substitute for Senate File No. 376, by committee on military affairs, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f14), section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f fifteen (2215-f15) and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f seventeen (2215-f17), supplement to the code, 1913; to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f forty-three (2215-f43), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor.

Senate File No. 377, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f four (2215-f4) and section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f fourteen (2215-f14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Substitute for Senate File No. 378, by committee on military affairs, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-thirty-one (2215-f31), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f thirty-six (2215-f36), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the militia and military code of Iowa, arms, equipment, etc., and to absence of soldiers without leave.

Senate File No. 379, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f forty-two (2215-f42), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.

Senate File No. 382, by Senator Heald, a bill for an act legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction and reconstruction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar river in said city.

Senate File No. 385, by Senator Chase, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-eight (728) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number thereof from nine (9) to six (6).

Senate File No. 386, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiaries.

Senate File No. 390, by Senator Hagemann, a bill for an act to provide for the acquisition of water supply for power house purposes by condemnation by interurban railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven (1997) of the code.

Senate File No. 392, by Senator Wilson, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-five (4999-a5) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of safety appliances on machinery.

- Senate File No. 393, by Senator Wilson, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473), of the code, relating to the duties of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics, and relating to the meaning or definitions of the terms "factory," "mill," and other like terms.
- Senate File No. 405, by Senator Nye, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the town of Lenox, Iowa.
- Senate File No. 411, by Senator Larrabee, a bill for an act to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-eight (1989-a-8), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the construction of levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, and providing for bonds as protection for payment of same.
- Senate File No. 413, by Senator Chase, a bill for an act relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence.
- Senate File No. 414, by Senator Chase, a bill for an act to require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants, to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.
- Senate File No. 418, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act requiring common carriers of intoxicating liquor to keep a daily record of such shipments; prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such records by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor.
- Senate File No. 420, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, etc.
- Senate File No. 421, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act providing punishment for persistent violators of the prohibitory liquor law.
- Senate File No. 422, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407), of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law.
- Senate File No. 423, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405), of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances.
- Senate File No. 424, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors, and providing the time when same shall go into effect.
- Senate File No. 425, by Senators Wilson and Whitmore, a bill for an act prohibiting the collection of, or attempt to collect, or solicitation for, payment within this state, for intoxicating liquor sold or shipped within this state for illegal purposes.

- Senate File No. 426, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "bootlegger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.
- Senate File No. 427, by Senator Whitmore, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax, statement by citizens, and enacting a substitute therefor.
- Senate File No. 429, by Senator Hagemann, a bill for an act relating to the accepting and giving of tips or gratuities, and providing a penalty therefor.
- Senate File No. 436, by Senator Savage, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145), one hundred forty-six (146), and one hundred fifty-four (154), of the code, relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147), of the code, and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-sixteen (2215-f-16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.
- Senate File No. 438, by Senator Perkins, a bill for an act to amend section four thousand two hundred twenty-seven (4227), chapter four-a (4-a), of title twenty-one (21), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a paragraph providing for payment of costs and expenses of restoring missing public records.
- Senate File No. 439, by Senator Kimball, a bill for an act to amend section one hundred thirty-six (136), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of the Iowa academy of sciences.
- Senate File No. 447, by committee on fish and game, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in sections twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four (2544), twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562), and twenty-five hundred sixty-two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.
- Senate File No. 448, by Senator Schrup, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors.
- Senate File No. 452, by Senator Crist, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the commissioner of insurance.

- Senate File No. 455, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to legalize the construction of a combined municipal electric light and waterworks system in and by the town of Lu Verne, Iowa, and bonds issued for that purpose and the resolution, acts and proceedings relating to the authorization of the construction of such plant and the issuing of such bonds.
- Senate File No. 460, by Senator Helmer, a bill for an act to authorize soldiers' relief commissioners to procure and furnish metal markers for the graves of soldiers, sailors or marines, and to pay for the same out of the soldiers' relief funds.
- Senate File No. 465, by Senator Darrah, a bill for an act to repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-b-six (2634-b-6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course.
- Senate File No. 467, by Senator Frailey, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation, acts and proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theatre Company, of Keokuk, Lee county, Iowa.
- Senate File No. 469, by Senator Thomas, a bill for an act amending section one thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (1258), of the code, relating to removal of municipal officers.
- Senate File No. 477, by Senator Larrabee, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-twelve-a (2489-12-a), supplement to the code, 1913, requiring the owner, lessee, operator or person in charge of a mine to file annual reports of coal mined, number of employes, accidents and other information.
- Senate File No. 479, by Senator Foster, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913.
- Senate File No. 483, by Senator Allen, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings.
- Senate File No. 488, by Senator Jones, a bill for an act to amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.
- Senate File No. 489, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the city council of the city of Emmetsburg, Iowa, relative to the permanent improvement of certain streets therein and the contract entered into for said improvement, and assessment of benefits to be made against property benefited thereby.
- Senate File No. 491, by Senator Hagemann, a bill for an act regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society.
- Senate File No. 492, by Senator Hagemann, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-b (1798-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies.

Senate File No. 496, by Senator White of Benton, a bill for an act to legalize the acts of the incorporated town of Gladbrook, Iowa, in voting to purchase or erect an electric light and power plant in said town and as a part thereof, a transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the high potential transmission line of the Iowa Railway and Light Company extending between the towns of Marshalltown and Tama; to issue the bonds of said town in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of such light and power plant and transmission line; and to sell such plant to the Iowa Railway and Light Company.

Senate File No. 498, by Senator Crist, a bill for an act to validate the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Norwalk, in Warren county, Iowa, and proceedings taken to authorize the issuance of bonds of said district in the amount of \$25,000.

Senate File No. 514, by Senator Robinson, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-forty-four (2727-a44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control.

Senate File No. 527, by Senator Thompson, a bill for an act to punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate than two per cent per month, and to provide a penalty therefor.

Senate File No. 532, by Senator Parker, a bill for an act to amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject, as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code.

Senate File No. 533, by committee on military affairs, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, and their indigent wives, widows, and their minor children, and the erection or maintenance of monuments or memorial halls for soldiers and sailors.

Senate File No. 547, by Senator Gillette, a bill for an act to amend an act passed by the thirty-sixth general assembly and approved on the twelfth day of February, 1915, and entitled "A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the independent school district of Cherokee, county of Cherokee, and state of Iowa."

Senate File No. 555, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r1 (1400-r1), and section fourteen hundred-r2 (1400-r2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for

establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa soldiers' home, Iowa soldiers' orphans' home, school for the deaf, institution for feeble-minded children, state sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, state industrial schools, state hospitals, state penitentiary, reformatory, Iowa industrial reformatory for females, district custodial farm, and state colony for epileptics.

Senate File No. 559, by Senator Frailey, a bill for an act granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license and regulate so-called "jitney" busses, and all busses, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns doing a business similar to that transacted by street railway companies.

Senate File No. 560, by Senator Francis, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-b, title III of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act.

Senate File No. 563, by Senator Boe, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred and thirty-four-c (2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training.

Senate File No. 567, by committee on highways, a bill for an act to repeal sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 3 (1527-s 3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 8 (1527-s 8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 9 (1527-s 9), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 11 (1527-s 11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 13 (1527-s 13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 16 (1527-s 16), and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m 32 (1571-m 32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes in lieu thereof, and to amend sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 2 (1527-s 2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 5 (1527-s 5), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 10 (1527-s 10), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 14 (1527-s 14), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s 12 (1527-s 12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the highway commission, the creation of a system of county and township road, bridge and culvert construction and maintenance, and the rights, duties and powers of county, township and other officers and employes with reference thereto, and to regulate the apportionment and expenditure of certain moneys for highway purposes.

Senate File No. 570, by Senator Sheean, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty (880) of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor.

Substitute for Senate File No. 576, by Senator Kimball, a bill for an act to repeal sections four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a six (4999-a 6), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven (4999-a 7), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eight (4999-a 8), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a nine (4999-a 9), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a ten (4999-a 10), and four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a eleven (4999-a 11) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, and amending sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-i (2514-i) and repealing sections two thousand five hundred fourteen-n (2514-n) and two thousand five hundred fourteen-o (2514-o) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting substitutes therefor and all relating to fire escapes, stairways and means of escape from buildings, structures or enclosures and protection against fire and providing for the inspection of such means of protection of buildings, and the duties of commissioner of labor and other officers in relation thereto.

Senate File No. 580, by Senator Gillette, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-two-b (2562-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the issuance of licenses permitting certain persons to engage in the business of raising and selling certain game birds, and fixing the ownership and title to such game.

Senate File No. 583, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.

Senate File No. 584, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act to appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eighth (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contests.

Senate File No. 585, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act making an appropriation for extra clerical assistance and help in the office of the secretary of state.

Senate File No. 586, by Senator Caswell, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings under which the independent school district of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school funding and school building purposes.

Senate File No. 592, by Senator Allen, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the board of supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of the said board of supervisors in making payments in accordance with the said resolution.

Senate File No. 601, by Senator Foskett, a bill for an act to legalize certain acts and proceedings of the board of supervisors of the county of Fremont in the matter of establishing the Waubonsie drainage district, locating a drainage ditch therein, apportioning costs and benefits thereunder and issuing bonds against said district for funds to construct said ditch.

Senate File No. 602, by Senator Larrabee, a bill for an act to legalize the actions of the board of directors of the consolidated independent school district of Lanyon, in the counties of Webster and Greene, state of Iowa, relative to the issuance of certain bonds of said consolidated independent school district.

Senate File No. 605, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-four (2584), of the code; and to repeal sections twenty-five hundred eighty-seven (2587), and twenty-five hundred eighty-nine-a (2589-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to provide an appropriation for reciprocal arrangements, all relating to the practice of pharmacy.

Senate File No. 606, by committee on retrenchment and reform, a bill for an act to amend sections fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-two (1571-m-2), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-six (1571-m-6), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-fourteen (1571-m-14), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-fifteen (1571-m-15), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-seven (1571-m-7), and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-twelve (1571-m-12), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles.

Senate File No. 608, by judiciary committee No. 1, a bill for an act confirming the title of Margaret Murphy to certain meandered lands in section number twenty (20), township number ninety-seven (97), north of range number thirty-five (35), west of the fifth (5th) principal meridian, in Clay county, Iowa, and authorizing and directing the issuance of a patent therefor.

Senate File No. 610, by committee on ways and means, a bill for an act providing for the reporting and taxation of electric transmission lines and properties.

Senate File No. 618, by judiciary committee No. 1, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the incorporated town of Charter Oak, Iowa, on the third day of August, 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said town the question of erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant, and also the question of the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars, (\$16,000) for electric light and power plant purposes, and to validate and legalize the proceedings of the town council had in relation to said special election preliminary to the holding thereof and to legalize the ballots used at said special election and to legalize the bonds to be issued in pursuance thereof.

Senate File No. 620, by committee on public health, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred fourteen-p, twenty-five hundred fourteen-s and twenty-five hundred fourteen-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the inspection of hotels.

Senate File No. 621, by committee on fish and game, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the trapping and hunting of animals, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred fifty-three (2553) of the code and section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a-one (2563-a1), supplement to the code, 1913.

Senate File No. 622, by committee on fish and game, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the protection of game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u) supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly.

Senate File No. 623, by committee on fish and game, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a-four (2563-a-4), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to license fees for the issuance of licenses to hunt.

Senate File No. 624, by committee on fish and game, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the care, protection and propagation of fish, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code, section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly, section twenty-five hundred thirty-nine (2539), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by Senate File number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly.

Senate File No. 626, by judiciary committee No. 2, a bill for an act to legalize ordinance No. 533 of the ordinances of the city of Fort Dodge, Iowa, relative to an ordinance adopted March 29, 1913, fixing the salary of the mayor and the members of the city council of said city.

Senate File No. 627, by judiciary committee No. 2, a bill for an act legalizing assignments of mortgages and other recorded liens made upon the margin of the records and making such assignments admissible in evidence.

Senate File No. 630, by sifting committee, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the duration of school bonds, as the same appears in section twenty-eight hundred twelve-e (2812-e), supplement to the code, 1913.

Senate File No. 631, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act making appropriation of funds to enable the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the interstate commerce commission and intrastate cases and service.

Senate File No. 633, by sifting committee, a bill for an act legalizing the acts and proceedings of the mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, in fixing the salary of the mayor and council of said city.

Senate File No. 637, by committee on retrenchment and reform, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-seven (2575-a7) and twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-nine (2575-a9), chapter sixteen-a (16-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the bacteriological laboratory.

Senate File No. 639, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act amending section five thousand and seventy-seven-a twenty-four (5077-a24), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standardization of agricultural seeds, and eliminating appropriation to the state food and dairy commission in connection therewith.

Senate File No. 640, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act to make appropriation for the payment of state and judicial officers, state and other expenses.

Senate File No. 641, by committee on ways and means, a bill for an act to provide for the levying of a tax for the support of the state university of Iowa, Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the state teachers' college and the state college for the blind to be expended as provided in Senate File No. 288, acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly for the years 1915 and 1916, and to provide for the levy of a tax for general state purposes for the years 1915 and 1916.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, by Senator Savage, joint resolution relating to the selection of additional employes of the thirty-sixth general assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, by Senator Boe, providing for the preparation and printing of a classified index of legislative bills.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, by Senators Wilson and Thomas, a joint resolution proposing to amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, by Senator Allen, joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, by Senator Kimball, joint resolution disallowing claims of certain citizens of the kingdom of Greece for damages alleged to have been sustained by them at the hands of a mob in Council Bluffs, Iowa, May 29, 1913.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, by committee on appropriations, resolution providing for the transfer to the general revenue fund of the state of certain unexpended balances of funds appropriated by section 2, chapter 136, acts of the 22d general assembly; section 1, chapter 153, acts of the 26th general assembly; section 1, chapter 196, acts of the 29th general assembly; chapter 189, acts of the 30th general assembly; section 4, chapter 177, acts of the 31st general assembly; section 45, chapter 177, acts of the 31st general assembly; section 2, chapter 193, acts of the 31st general assembly; chapter 202, acts of the 32d general assembly; sections 1 and 2, chapter 203, acts of the 32d general assembly; section 2, chapter 226, acts of the 32d general assembly; section 2, chapter 241, acts of the 32d general assembly; section 35, chapter 241, acts of the 33d general assembly; chapter 258, acts of the 33d general assembly; section 41, chapter 192, acts of the 34th general assembly; chapter 208, acts of the 34th general assembly; paragraph 25, section 3, chapter 321, acts of the 35th general assembly.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, by committee on retrenchment and reform, joint resolution fixing the number and compensation of employes in the department of state at the seat of government.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23, by committee on appropriations, relative to approval of plans and specifications for buildings at institutions under the supervision of the board of control.

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Passed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly

Titles of laws enacted and joint resolutions passed by the Thirty-sixth General Assembly to April 17, 1915.

W. C. RAMSAY,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE BILLS.

House File No. 6, by Miller of Bremer, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the qualifications of county superintendent of schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b (2734-b), supplement to the code, 1913.

House File No. 8, by Slaughter of Wapello, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a-thirty-two (1056-a32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, powers and duties of the civil service commissioners in certain cities.

House File No. 11, by Sullivan of Kossuth, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section one (1), chapter two hundred seventy-five (275) of the acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly relating to releases of liens by foreign administrators, executors and guardians.

House File No. 12, by Brammer of Polk, a bill for an act to provide for municipal courts for certain cities and the adoption thereof by general, state, or municipal election or by special election; providing for the jurisdiction thereof, mode and manner of procedure therein; providing for the election of the judges of such municipal courts and defining their powers and duties; providing for the manner of preparing and who shall constitute the jury list, manner of drawing jury panels and jurors; also defining certain duties of other officials and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

House File No. 13, by Crozier of Marion, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand and sixty-one (1061) of the code providing for proclamation of general election by the governor of the state.

House File No. 16, by Brady of Dallas, a bill for an act legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds.

House File No. 24, by Grason of Pottawattamie, a bill for an act making an appropriation to reimburse J. M. Tannehill, an employe of the Iowa school for the deaf, for loss of wages and expenses incurred by reason of an injury sustained in connection with his employment at said school on the 31st day of December, 1912.

- House File No. 27, by Cochrane of Adams, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-eight (2778), supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years.
- House File No. 32, by Klinker of Crawford, a bill for an act to enable electors to vote at any general, special, primary, county, township, city or town election, where the Australian ballot is used, when absent or anticipating being absent on the day of such election from the county in which they are electors, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.
- House File No. 45, by Kimberly of Scott, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred and thirty-seven (937), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities.
- House File No. 48, by Griffin of Woodbury, a bill for an act to permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to subscribe for stock of federal reserve bank and to invest funds therein and incur liability therefor and become members thereof.
- House File No. 49, by Wenstrand of Page, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-b (1527-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways.
- House File No. 55, by Sullivan of Kossuth, a bill for an act to legalize decrees obtained prior to January first, nineteen hundred fifteen (1915), in cases against unknown claimants, defendants, where the notice was entitled in the initial or initials of the plaintiff instead of his Christian or given name.
- House File No. 57, by Thompson of Decatur, a bill for an act to regulate common carriers and to fix liability as common carriers.
- House File No. 61, by Bruce of Pocahontas, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eighteen hundred sixty (1860) of the code of 1897, relating to the reserve fund of savings banks.
- House File No. 63, by Hall of Taylor, a bill for an act to legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor county, Iowa.
- House File No. 64, by Brammer of Polk, a bill for an act to amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-two (4999-a32) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the sale of pure drugs.
- House File No. 66, by Neff of Pottawattamie, a bill for an act to reimburse and indemnify by way of compensation to Alfred Hansen for a personal injury sustained while working at the "spotting of cars" in the state reformatory at Anamosa, Iowa
- House File No. 72, by Durant of Hancock, a bill for an act to amend section fifteen hundred sixty-five-a (1565-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the destruction of weeds.

House File No. 75, by Buxton of Warren, a bill for an act authorizing the issuance of a patent to the east thirty (30) acres of the south-east quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three (23) in township seventy-seven (77), north of range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth P. M. of Iowa.

House File No. 79, by Johnston of Humboldt, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the code, 1913, by granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise or bequest.

House File No. 85, by Griffin of Woodbury, a bill for an act to amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174), and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a) of chapter eight (8), title two (II), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the census.

House File No. 86, by Anderson of Montgomery, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m-five (1571-m5) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.

House File No. 96, by Doze of Wayne, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand seven hundred ninety-four (2794) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of independent school districts.

House File No. 98, by Anderson of Montgomery, a bill for an act to authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, delinquents or defectives.

House File No. 110, by Neff of Pottawattamie, a bill for an act to fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume of said reports and the terms and conditions thereof, to provide for the copyrights of said reports; to provide for the preparation, printing, binding and certification of the acts of the general assembly and the form and number thereof, to provide for the annotations of the laws of the state and the supplement embracing the same, to provide for the contents of the volumes containing said acts and laws, to provide for a revision of the laws of the state; to fix the salary of the reporter of the supreme court, to make annual appropriation for said work, and to repeal chapter four (4) of title three (3), section thirty-eight (38), section thirty-nine (39), section forty (40), and section one hundred thirty-three (133), of the code.

House File No. 116, by Hall of Taylor, a bill for an act to amend section seventeen hundred eighty-three-b (1783-b) of the supplement to the code of 1907, relating to medical examination for life insurance.

House File No. 118, by Griffin of Woodbury, a bill for an act to require pawnbrokers, junk dealers or dealers in second hand goods to report to the police the purchase or receipt of certain classes of goods by such broker or dealers, and providing that certain classes of goods shall not be sold for a specified time and shall be kept where same can be seen or inspected, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions herein contained and providing that under certain conditions the person buying or receiving such goods shall be liable to the owner thereof for their full value.

House File No. 122, by Reese of Wright, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand two hundred ninety-a (1290-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers.

House File No. 124, by Brammer of Polk, a bill for an act to legalize certain proceedings for renewals of corporations for pecuniary profit.

House File No. 127, by Brady of Dallas, a bill for an act giving legislative assent to the purposes of the congressional act of May 8, 1914, providing for co-operative extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the act of congress approved July 2, 1862, and of acts supplementary thereto, and the United States department of agriculture.

House File No. 136, by Taylor of Buchanan, a bill for an act authorizing the board of health to isolate cases of whooping cough and measles.

House File No. 139, by Jamison of Des Moines, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred and three (1303) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes for general county fund.

House File No. 142, by Johnston of Lucas, a bill for an act to amend section 1391 of the code of 1913 relating to the collection of penalty or interest upon delinquent taxes.

House File No. 145, by Sullivan of Kossuth, a bill for an act limiting the time within which actions to set aside, cancel, annul, declare void or invalid, or to redeem from certain tax deeds, guardians deeds, executors deeds, administrators deeds, or trustees deeds and declaring such deeds and all proceedings upon which they are based conclusively presumed to be in all things valid and unimpeachable and effective to convey title according to the purport thereof.

House File No. 146, by Buxton of Warren, a bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town.

House File No. 147, by Ring of Linn, a bill for an act to provide information which shall serve as a basis for legislative appropriations.

House File No. 152, by Wilson of Louisa, a bill for an act to repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-fifty-two-a (1989-a-52-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor.

House File No. 161, by Rowles of Monona, a bill for an act to amend paragraph five (5) of section four hundred twenty-two (422) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the building or repair of county buildings, to require advertisements, bids, written contracts, bonds, and plans and specifications in certain cases, and to fix the requirements thereof.

House File No. 165, by Brammer of Polk, a bill for an act empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute and deliver a quit claim deed, conveying to Addie C. Johnson all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in the west one-fourth of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty, township seventy-nine north, range twenty-three west of the 5th principal meridian.

House File No. 173, by Crozier of Marion, a bill for an act for the relief of Carl Persing, a student and employe of the Iowa state college at Ames, Iowa.

House File No. 175, by Anderson of Montgomery, a bill for an act for the relief of the blind.

House File No. 184, by Sullivan of Kossuth, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-a (2963-a) of the supplement to the code nineteen hundred thirteen (1913) and to enact a substitute therefor legalizing instruments affecting real estate titles recorded prior to January first (1st), nineteen hundred five (1905), the acknowledgments of which are defective or which may not have been acknowledged.

House File No. 206, by Coast of Johnson, a bill for an act to establish a board of accountancy, to provide for granting certificates to those public accountants who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

House File No. 213, by Johnston of Humboldt, a bill for an act to provide for the construction of a sewer system and the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa state fair and exposition grounds, and to make appropriations therefor.

House File No. 217, by Gilmore of Clay, a bill for an act to provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to provide the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof.

House File No. 218, by Griffin of Woodbury, a bill for an act to amend section 2547-A of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the taking of fish from the waters of the Big Sioux river and that part of the Des Moines river forming the part of the boundary between the state of Iowa and the state of Missouri,

- House File No. 219, by Brammer of Polk, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred sixty (360) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the acceptance of a guaranty company as surety.
- House File No. 224, by Wenstrand of Page, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the county treasurer, county auditor and board of supervisors of Page county, Iowa, relating to the overdrafts upon the bridge fund and county fund, and the acts and proceedings of the said county officers in relation to a certain proposed issue of county bonds for the purpose of enabling the county to pay claims for such overdrafts.
- House File No. 233, by Pitt of Harrison, a bill for an act to repeal paragraph two (2) of section three hundred one (301) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the duties of the county attorney.
- House File No. 239, by Bingham of Emmet, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to county official papers.
- House File No. 243, by Eggleston of Clarke, a bill for an act making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being injured by the falling of a building on the fair grounds, at Des Moines, Iowa.
- House File No. 248, by Barry of Linn, a bill for an act to amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.
- House File No. 250, by Brady of Dallas, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-one hundred twenty-five (2125), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to definition of switching service.
- House File No. 259, by Brady of Dallas, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in chapter fourteen-b (14-b), sections twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w (2538-w), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w3 (2538-w3), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w5 (2538-w5), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the manufacture and distribution of hog cholera serum, toxines, vaccines and biological products.
- House File No. 263, by Anderson of Greene, a bill for an act to legalize the transfer of the board of health fund of Washington township, Greene county, Iowa, to the township road fund of such township.
- House File No. 264, by Anderson of Davis, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Bloomfield, Iowa.
- House File No. 267, by Sullivan of Kossuth, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the selection of official newspapers.

House File No. 269, by Taylor of Buchanan, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-a (1661-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies.

House File No. 270, by Jones of Dickinson, a bill for an act to repeal sections five hundred ten-a (510-a) and five hundred ten-b (510-b); supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend paragraph twelve (12) of section five hundred eleven (511), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation and mileage charged by sheriffs.

House File No. 271, by Brammer of Polk, a bill for an act empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute quit claim deeds conveying all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in and to the southwest quarter (sw $\frac{1}{4}$) and the southwest quarter (sw $\frac{1}{4}$) of the southeast quarter (se $\frac{1}{4}$) of section twenty (20), township seventy-nine (79), range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth P. M., Polk county, Iowa, to the successors in title of Nathaniel Rockhold and Reuben B. Ellis.

House File No. 277, by Kimberly of Scott, a bill for an act to grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) or over, and organized under title five (5), chapter fourteen (14), of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission in such cities the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines and inside the curb lines and upon the public streets, to determine the location of permanent sidewalks and to assume charge, custody and control of all trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass and the planting and maintenance thereof on the public streets; and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof. Additional to chapter fourteen (14), title five (5) of the code.

House File No. 280, by Jamison of Des Moines, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty-one (881) of the code and supplement to the code and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, necessary to control streams and surface water flowing into sewers, for sewer outlets, garbage disposal plant, sewage disposal plant and dump grounds.

House File No. 283, by Lueders of Scott, a bill for an act to amend sections twenty-six hundred ninety-one (2691) and twenty-six hundred ninety-two (2692) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa soldiers' orphans' home.

House File No. 293, by Jessen of Story, a bill for an act to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), to indemnify T. D. Fultz for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as a carpenter at the Iowa state college at Ames, Iowa.

House File No. 306, by Elwood of Howard, a bill for an act to amend section two thousand nine hundred sixty-three-l (2963-l) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the legalization of conveyances of real estate in certain cases.

House File No. 307, by Barry of Linn, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand three hundred four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the exemption of certain property from taxation.

House File No. 310, by Anderson of Greene, a bill for an act to require that all unexpended balances of certain appropriations made for specific purposes, and which purposes have been fully carried out, or abandoned, be transferred to the general revenue fund of the state, and to provide the provisions which should govern such transfer.

House File No. 315, by Wilson of Mahaska, a bill for an act to repeal section three thousand five hundred thirty-nine (3539) of the code, relative to the bringing of actions against unknown defendants.

House File No. 317, by Stokes of Plymouth, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings and the special election held in the incorporated town of Hinton, Iowa, on the 7th day of July, 1914.

House File No. 327, by Ring of Linn, by request, a bill for an act providing for the relocation of railroad tracks upon streets of certain cities so as to permit of the construction and operation of interurban railways on said streets, and for the use by interurban railways of said railroad tracks on said streets if the same are not relocated and the making of alterations in railroad tracks and the construction and maintenance of the connecting tracks, overhead trolley or other equipment of said interurban railways and for the payment of compensation for such relocation, use and other privileges, and giving to the board of railroad commissioners power to determine such alterations, relocation, use and other privileges and the terms and conditions thereof, and the amount to be paid therefor, and providing for appeals from the orders of said board of railroad commissioners.

House File No. 329, by Ring of Linn, by request, a bill for an act to amend section sixteen hundred sixty (1660), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the purchase of real estate by the board of supervisors for county fair purposes.

House File No. 330, by Ring of Linn, by request, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-six hundred eighty-two-t (2682-t), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the state board of education and the finance committee of said board of education.

House File No. 336, by Klinker of Crawford, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred fifty-one (751), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to streets and public grounds.

- House File No. 339, by Gilbert of Marshall, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the government of the soldiers' home as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred four (2604), supplement to the code, 1913.
- House File No. 341, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease.
- House File No. 342, by Gray of Calhoun, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred ninety-two-g (792-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of property not abutting, for street improvements.
- House File No. 345, by Neff of Pottawattamie, a bill for an act to amend section three hundred and eight (308), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county attorneys.
- House File No. 346, by Rogers of Carroll, a bill for an act to amend section thirty-five hundred thirty-eight (3538), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the manner of commencing actions against unknown defendants.
- House File No. 351, by Ring of Linn and Thomas, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter 13-B, title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities, within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee.
- House File No. 352, by committee on board of control, a bill for an act to repeal chapter 40, acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly and in lieu thereof to authorize the board of supervisors of each county to make provisions for the segregation, care and support of indigent persons afflicted with tuberculosis.
- House File No. 353, by Slaughter of Wapello, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the inspection of petroleum as the same appears in chapter eleven (11), title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913.
- House File No. 354, by Rees of Fremont, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to school corporations as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.
- House File No. 357, by Gilbert of Marshall, a bill for an act to amend section eighteen hundred seventy (1870) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the limit of liabilities to state and savings banks.

House File No. 361, by Greene of Grundy, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913.

House File No. 362, by Oldenburg of Lyon, a bill for an act to legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon in Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon.

House File No. 363, by Witthauer of Audubon, a bill for an act to provide juvenile playgrounds in cities of this state, providing for submitting the proposition to the voters, providing for the purchase or condemnation of real estate for such playgrounds, providing for the issue of city bonds with which to purchase same, creating a fund by the levy of a millage tax for the establishment and maintenance of such playgrounds and providing for rules and regulations to govern the operation of such playgrounds.

House File No. 365, by committee on public health, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in chapter nineteen-b (19-b) of title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor to prevent the procreation of the insane, idiots, imbeciles and feeble-minded.

House File No. 366, by Bauman of Van Buren, a bill for an act to establish an industrial reformatory for women, to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the commitment of females to said reformatory, to provide for the removal of female convicts at Anamosa to said reformatory, to provide for the transfer of inmates to and from the industrial school for girls and repealing the law as it appears in chapter eight-a (8-a) of title thirteen (XIII) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to an industrial reformatory for females.

House File No. 367, by Taylor of Buchanan, by request, a bill for an act to provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state.

House File No. 371, by Schmedika of Hardin, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirteen (2713), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the support for the industrial school for boys at Eldora.

House File No. 372, by Kane of Dubuque, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in sections nine hundred and seventy-two (972) and nine hundred and seventy-four (974) of the code, relating to street improvements and sewers, applicable to cities acting under special charters.

House File No. 373, by Anderson of Winnebago, a bill for an act legalizing the proceedings of the town council of Lake Mills, Winnebago county, Iowa, in connection with the passing of ordinance No. 45, providing for the election of three park commissioners for said town and legalizing the special election held on July 7, 1913, for the purpose of submitting said ordinance to the voters of said town for their approval; and for legalizing the said ordinance, the appointment of the park commissioners by the town council in pursuance of said ordinance and the election of three park commissioners in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914; and the acts and proceedings of said park commissioners appointed by the town council in purchasing real estate for park purposes and certifying taxes to be levied in the year 1913; and the election of three park commissioners in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914, and the acts and proceedings of said three park commissioners elected in 1914 in certifying taxes for said year and all taxes levied and collected or levied in pursuance of said ordinance, and for legalizing in general all acts and proceedings of the town council of said town in connection with said ordinance and all acts and proceedings had by the park commissioners appointed and elected in pursuance of said ordinance.

House File No. 374, by Anderson of Montgomery, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, including cities under special charter and cities operating under the commission form of government, to provide for the establishment of sanitary districts and districts for street sprinkling, flushing and cleaning and the establishment and maintenance of garbage disposal plants.

House File No. 379, by Swenson of O'Brien, a bill for an act to amend section eleven hundred seven (1107) of the code, relating to the printing of the official ballot, by limiting the cost of same per thousand.

House File No. 381, by Freeman of Wapello, a bill for an act to amend section four hundred twenty-three (423), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements.

House File No. 383, by Crozier of Marion, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to the allowance made for labor performed by dipsomaniacs and inebriates, as the same appears in section twenty-three hundred ten-a-thirty-seven (2310-a37), supplement to the code, 1913.

House File No. 385, by Kepple of Chickasaw, a bill for an act to legalize the conveyance of certain real estate made to Right Rev. John Hennessy, bishop of diocese of Dubuque.

House File No. 395, by Wayman of Fayette, a bill for an act to repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-h (2341-h) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend section twenty-three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g), twenty-three hundred forty-one-i (2341-i), twenty-three hundred forty-one-k (2341-k), twenty-three hundred forty-one-m (2341-m), twenty-three hundred

forty-one-o (2341-o), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-q (2341-q), all relating to the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept for public service.

House File No. 396, by Rogers of Carroll, a bill for an act to amend section seven hundred forty-one-d (741-d), section seven hundred forty-one-e (741-e) and section seven hundred forty-one-f (741-f), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of city halls and the purchasing of grounds therefor.

House File No. 403, by Garton of Polk, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section four hundred ninety-five (495), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of county recorders.

House File No. 408, by McFarlane of Black Hawk, a bill for an act providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, this act being additional to title V, of the code.

House File No. 412, by Rowles of Monona, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Onawa, Iowa.

House File No. 419, by Bronson of Black Hawk, a bill for an act to authorize the river front improvement commission to permit the erection of a soldiers' monument or memorial hall upon any ground, the title to which is in such commission, under the provisions of chapter 9-A, title V, of the supplement to the code, 1913.

House File No. 420, by Bronson of Black Hawk, a bill for an act authorizing cities and towns, and cities acting under special charter, to permit the erection of soldiers' monuments or memorial halls erected under the provisions of section four hundred and thirty (430) of the supplement to the code, 1913, or section four hundred and thirty-five (435) of the code, to be located in the parks or public grounds of the city or town.

House File No. 422, by Nordyke of Keokuk, a bill for an act to provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval.

House File No. 424, by Griffin of Woodbury, a bill for an act to amend chapter 8-a, title V, of the 1913 supplement to the code, relating to protection of city property from floods.

House File No. 429, by Kopp of Henry, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa.

House File No. 446, by Bingham of Emmet, a bill for an act to amend section five hundred seventy-eight (578) of the code, relative to the posting of the statement of receipts and expenditures by the township clerk.

House File No. 452, by Brammer of Polk, a bill for an act to amend sections one thousand eighty-seven-a5 (1087-a5), one thousand seventy-six (1076), and one thousand ninety-three (1093), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judges and clerks of election.

House File No. 457, by Anderson of Greene, a bill for an act to legalize the plat of Gallaher's addition to the town (now city) of Jefferson, Iowa.

House File No. 458, by Ingwersen of Clinton, a bill for an act to repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement of the code, 1913, relating to compensation of deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.

House File No. 459, by Kane of Dubuque, a bill for an act to repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a11 (2727-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or the secretary thereof, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit.

House File No. 462, by Brammer of Polk, a bill for an act relating to the equipment of street cars and maintenance of toilet facilities for street car employes, amendatory of section seven hundred sixty-eight (768), supplement to the code, 1913, and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions.

House File No. 464, by Witthauer of Audubon, a bill for an act to create a free employment bureau in the office of commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics.

House File No. 469, by Schmedika of Hardin, a bill for an act to legalize and cure the acts and proceedings of the independent consolidated school district of New Providence, Hardin county, Iowa, preliminary to a certain bond issue voted September 5, 1914, and to legalize and validate such bond issue.

House File No. 475, by Murray of Buena Vista, by request, a bill for an act to amend section thirteen hundred four (1304), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of certain property from taxation.

House File No. 478, by Slaughter of Wapello, a bill for an act to amend title twenty-four (XXIV), chapter eleven (11) of the code, 1897, relating to offenses against public policy.

House File No. 479, by Klinker of Crawford, a bill for an act to regulate political advertising and to provide penalties for the breach thereof.

House File No. 484, by Wilson of Louisa, a bill for an act relating to levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, additional to chapter two (2), title ten (X), of the code, and amendments thereto, and to chapter two-a (2-a), title ten (X), supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, and amending section one thousand nine

hundred eighty-five-a (1985-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and amending section one thousand nine hundred eight-six (1986), supplement to the code, 1913, and amending and additional to section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a-52f (1989-a-52f), supplement to the code, 1913, and additional to section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a-52d (1989-a52d), supplement to the code, 1913.

House File No. 485, by Kane of Dubuque and Kimberly of Scott, a bill for an act to amend section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the limitation of the number of saloons in cities and towns acting under special charter.

House File No. 495, by committee on insurance, a bill for an act relating to insurance, providing for the supervision and examination of insurance rating bureaus by the commissioner of insurance; providing for an inspection and survey by such bureaus of all insurance risks specifically rated; requiring insurance concerns to adopt insurance bureau ratings, or to maintain or co-operate in maintaining and operating insurance rate making bureaus; authorizing a hearing upon and review of the rates fixed by any such bureau for insurance upon property within the state of Iowa; prohibiting discrimination in fixing and collecting insurance rates, and also rebates of premiums paid under such rates, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act.

House File No. 503, by committee on judiciary, a bill for an act to amend section three thousand five hundred fifty-eight (3558) of the code relating to copies of pleadings.

House File No. 504, by Barry of Linn, a bill for an act creating the state board of audit and defining its powers and duties.

House File No. 516, by McFarlane of Black Hawk, a bill for an act relative to the issuance of policies of fire insurance, prohibiting false or misleading representations by advertisements, and providing a penalty for its violation.

House File No. 517, by McFarlane of Black Hawk, a bill for an act to amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section seven hundred fifty-eight (758), of the code, sections seven hundred fifty-eight-a (758-a), seven hundred fifty-eight-d (758-d), and seven hundred fifty-eight-e (758-e) of the supplement to the code, 1913.

House File No. 524, by Horchem of Dubuque, a bill for an act to empower school boards, under stated conditions, to purchase or lease for stated educational purposes tracts of land and to improve the same for the purpose of establishing thereon summer homes or school for children who desire to continue their studies in useful pursuits throughout the year, and to define the purposes, functions and objects of such schools.

House File No. 542, by Sawyer of Lee, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-six (726), of the code relating to municipal bonds.

- House File No. 543, by Swain of Mills, a bill for an act to repeal section eighteen hundred seventy-five (1875) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of bank examiners, their salaries, and fees of banks, and enacting a substitute therefor.
- House File No. 564, by Wilson of Louisa, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirty-six (836), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters.
- House File No. 565, by Gray of Calhoun, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a twelve (1989-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of costs and damages for the construction of levees, ditches, drains and drainage districts.
- House File No. 566, by Gray of Calhoun, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred sixty-three-1 (2963-1), supplement to the code, 1913, legalizing certain conveyances made by an executor, administrator, trustee, guardian, referee or commissioner.
- House File No. 572, by Ring of Linn, by request, a bill for an act to repeal sections twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-j (2881-j), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-k (2881-k), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-l (2881-l), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-m (2881-m), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-n (2881-n) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the care and permanent preservation of the public archives and fixing and defining the authority and responsibilities of administration, care and custody thereof.
- House File No. 576, by Bingham of Emmet, a bill for an act to provide for joint action between the duly constituted authorities of this state having jurisdiction of drainage proceedings and like authorities of adjoining states, with a view to joint and equitable drainage of lands of both states, and to provide for the procedure in such cases.
- House File No. 587, by Moore of Guthrie, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty (2730), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tax that may be levied for the support of county high schools in the state of Iowa, and to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three one-a (2733-1-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tuition to be paid high schools in counties where county high schools are maintained.
- House File No. 594, by committee on retrenchment and reform, a bill for an act creating the office of state document editor, prescribing the method of selecting the state document editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties.
- House File No. 596, by committee on board of control, a bill for an act to amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-a (2692-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-six

hundred ninety-two-c (2692-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of state agents and providing for compensation for same.

House File No. 597, by committee on board of control, a bill for an act to amend chapter eleven-d (11-d) of title XIII of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment, maintenance and management of the state hospital and colony for epileptics, and making an appropriation therefor.

House File No. 600, by committee on drainage, a bill for an act to amend chapter two-a (2-a) of title (X), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto the following provisions for transferring the care of certain drainage ditches to local boards of trustees.

House File No. 603, by committee on animal industry, a bill for an act to appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed or to be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease; and to defray the expense of quarantine, care, destruction or burial of stock within any quarantined district.

House File No. 610, by committee on insurance, a bill for an act to amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the amount of insurance to be required on improvements included in loans made by insurance companies.

House File No. 615, by committee on claims, a bill for an act appropriating the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, to indemnify A. H. Kellogg for personal injuries sustained by him while employed in the Iowa state industrial school for boys at Eldora, Iowa.

House File No. 616, by committee on claims, a bill for an act to reimburse William Lester Alery for injuries received while an inmate in the soldiers' orphans' home, and for loss of wages and expenses incurred because of said injuries, at Davenport, Iowa, September 23, 1913.

House File No. 618, by sifting committee, a bill for an act to legalize the acts and proceedings of the electors and officers of the independent school district of Hawkeye, Iowa, at the special meeting of said electors held on the eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1914, relative to the issuing of bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a schoolhouse in said district.

House File No. 619, by sifting committee, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the independent school district of Fort Atkinson, in the county of Winneshiek and state of Iowa, on the 16th day of November, A. D., 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said independent school district to be voted upon by them the question of issuing bonds in the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars for the purpose of constructing and equipping schoolhouses in said independent school district, and to validate and legalize the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.

House File No. 620, by sifting committee, a bill for an act to legalize the special election held in the city of Cresco, Howard county, Iowa, on March 10, 1915, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said city the question of issuing city water bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the purpose of erecting a new water tower in said city, and purchasing grounds upon which to erect the same; to legalize the acts of the city council in respect to said election, canvassing the returns of said election and declaring the result thereof, and ordering the issuance of bonds thereunder; and to legalize the bonds issued in pursuance thereof.

House File No. 626, by sifting committee, a bill for an act to amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a-twenty-six (1056-a26), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the appointment of police judges in cities of the first and second class.

House File No. 628, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act to repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory as the same appears in section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a eleven (5718-a 11), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.

House File No. 630, by sifting committee, a bill for an act to legalize certain warrants of the city of Iowa City, Iowa.

House File No. 633, by sifting committee, a bill for an act to amend sections eleven hundred one (1101), eleven hundred four (1104), and eleven hundred five (1105) of the code, relating to the time of filing withdrawals, certificates, petitions and nominations of candidates for public offices.

House File No. 634, by committee on retrenchment and reform, a bill for an act relative to disposition of fees paid to the governor, additional to chapter one (1), title one (I) of the code, and amendments thereto.

House File No. 635, by committee on appropriations, a bill for an act amending the law as it appears in section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts and the number of judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial district.

House File No. 637, by committee on retrenchment and reform, a bill for an act to repeal sections one hundred thirty-eight (138) and one hundred forty-one (141), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor, relating to compensation for state printing and binding.

House File No. 638, by sifting committee, a bill for an act to legalize the action of the independent school district of Dallas Center, Dallas county, Iowa, in voting bonds at an election held on the 10th day of April, 1915, and legalizing the bonds to be issued by said district under said election.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

House Joint Resolution No. 8, by Klinker of Crawford, joint resolution agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section seven (7) of article two (2) of said constitution and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections.

House Joint Resolution No. 9, by Brady of Dallas, approving estimates of cost, plans and specifications for buildings at the state university of Iowa, Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the Iowa state teachers college.

House Joint Resolution No. 11, by committee on appropriations, House joint resolution approving plans and specifications for buildings and improvements at the state hospital and colony for epileptics at Woodward, Iowa.

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<p>2—By Chase. To repeal chapter two-b (2-b), title fourteen (XIV) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the drainage, sale and leasing of meandered lake beds within the state, and for the conservation of Iowa lakes and lake beds.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 119</p> <p>Reported with amendments. 501</p> <p>Amendments filed.....710, 711</p> <p>Report adopted..... 745</p> <p>Amendments adopted..... 745</p> <p>Lease printed..... 745</p> <p>Further amended.....747, 748</p> <p>Consideration deferred..... 749</p> <p>Roll called second time on motion to defer..... 756</p> <p>Motion to defer lost..... 756</p> <p>Considered 757</p> <p>Motion to re-refer withdrawn..... 758</p> <p>Motion to re-refer lost..... 759</p> <p>Further amended.....759, 760</p> <p>Pending amendments withdrawn..... 769</p> <p>Further amended.....769, 770</p> <p>Title amended..... 770</p> <p>Passed..... 771</p> <p>Passed house.....1380</p> <p>Enrolled.....1416</p> <p>Signed by president.....1432</p> <p>Sent to governor.....1438</p> <p>Approved by governor.....1506</p>		<p>5—By Chase. To repeal section twenty-one hundred fifty-one (2151) of the code, relative to the transportation of railroad commissioners and enact a substitute therefor.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 119</p> <p>Reported with amendments. 971</p> <p>Re-referred 971</p> <p>Reported unfavorably.....1179</p> <p>Report adopted, indefinitely postponed1179</p> <p>Motion to reconsider filed..1228</p> <p>Motion called up1749</p> <p>Prevailed1749</p> <p>Report of committee rejected1749</p> <p>Amended1750</p> <p>Failed to pass.....1750</p>	
<p>3—By Chase. To punish the drainage of meandered lakes or bodies of water within this state and provide a penalty therefor.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 119</p> <p>Reported 500</p> <p>Amendment filed..... 711</p> <p>Report adopted..... 771</p> <p>Amendment withdrawn..... 771</p> <p>Amended 771</p> <p>Passed 771</p> <p>Passed house.....1380</p> <p>Enrolled.....1415</p> <p>Signed by president.....1432</p> <p>Sent to governor.....1438</p> <p>Approved by governor.....1506</p>		<p>6—By Larrabee. To repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-eight (2478) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the appointment of mine inspectors, fixing their term of office, and making certain requirements of said appointees.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 119</p> <p>Reported with substitute... 240</p> <p>Report adopted..... 252</p> <p>Substitute adopted..... 252</p> <p>Title amended..... 252</p> <p>Passed 253</p> <p>Passed house.....504, 505</p> <p>Enrolled 646</p> <p>Signed by president..... 647</p> <p>Sent to governor..... 656</p> <p>Approved by governor..... 729</p>	
		<p>7—By Clarkson. To repeal sections twenty-four thirty-two (2432) to twenty-four sixty-one (2461) inclusive of the code, 1897, and acts amendatory thereof, ex-</p>	

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cept certain sections or acts, relating to mulct tax.		shipments and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act.	
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 23—By Crist. Authorizing and empowering the board of railroad commissioners to prescribe and establish joint service between telephone lines or systems and to fix the terms and conditions under which the same shall be rendered and limit the rates or tolls to be charged therefor, and prescribe penalties for violations of orders of such board.	
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25—By Francis. To invest the district courts of the state of Iowa with jurisdiction and authority to restrain violations of any law heretofore or hereafter enacted to protect the public and trade and commerce against unlawful restraints, trusts, conspiracies, combinations and monopolies, or unfair discrimination between different sections, communities and localities; to cause any person within the state of Iowa to be made party to an action pending in any court in this state, and to require any person, firm, association or corporation to respond to a subpoena in any court in this state, and to give testimony, and produce any books, papers or documents in any hearing, investigation, proceeding or prosecution for the violation of any laws relating to pools, trusts, conspiracies, combinations or monopolies, or prohibiting unfair discrimination between different sections, communities or localities, and to provide immunity to the person so testifying.		28—By Chase. Providing that evidence of intoxication shall not be given on the question of intent in civil and criminal cases.	
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27—By Doran. For the regulation, supervision and control of the business of banking and to provide penalties for its violation for the repeal of all acts or parts of acts in so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act.		30—By Francis. To amend section forty-seven hundred fifty-nine (4759) of the code relating to the crime of abortion.	
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 33—By Foster. Legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds.	
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 34—By Helmer. To amend section three thousand four hundred seventy-seven-a (3477-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the recovery by a woman or her estate for personal injury.	
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42—By Heald.		To provide for a creditable exhibit of re- sources of the state of Iowa in the Panama- Pacific exposition to be held in San Francisco in the year 1915.	
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44—By Whitmore.		To amend sec- tion two hundred fifty- four-a-twenty (254-a-20) of the supplement to the code, 1907, as amended by chapter thirty-one (31) of the acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly, provid- ing for the maintenance of dependent children whose mothers are widows.	
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46—By Foster.		To permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to sub- scribe for stock of federal reserve banks, and to in- vest funds therein and in- cur liability therefor, and become members thereof.	
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91—By Perkins. To create a law and legislative reference and bill drafting department of the state library; providing for a director and subordinate officers and employees thereof; prescribing the duties and fixing the salaries thereof, and making an additional appropriation therefor.	
Introduced and referred.....	154
Reported unfavorably.....	564
Placed on calendar.....	564
Report of committee rejected	773
Re-referred	773
92—By Perkins. To repeal section twenty-five hundred seventy-five (2575) of the	

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code, 1897, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the state board of health.	
Introduced and referred.....	154
Reported	970
Re-referred	977
93—By Jones. To increase the salary of the chief executive officer of the institution for feebleminded children at Glenwood, Iowa, amendatory of the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-3a (2727-3a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred.....	154
Reported unfavorably.....	853
Indefinitely postponed.....	853
94—By Allen. To amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the code, 1913, by granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise or bequest.	
Introduced and referred.....	155
Reported	251
95—By Farr. To amend sections one hundred seventy-one (171), one hundred seventy-two (172), one hundred seventy-three (173), one hundred seventy-four (174) and one hundred seventy-five-a (175-a) of chapter eight (8), title two (II), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the census.	
Introduced and referred.....	155
Reported with amendments.	315
Withdrawn from further consideration	411, 473
96—By Heald. Amending section five thousand seven hundred eighteen-a-eighteen (5718-a18) of the supplement to the code, 1913, bringing prisoners committed to the penitentiaries, serving life sentences for murder, under the jurisdiction and operation of the parole law.	
Introduced and referred.....	159
Reported	295
Report adopted.....	1156
Amendment offered.....	1156
Failed to pass.....	1157
97—By Heald. To limit and restrict the time of service per day of laborers and mechanics employed upon any public works of the state or of any political subdivision thereof, or	

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upon work done for the state or said division thereof, to prohibit violations of such limitation and restrictions, except under certain conditions, to provide for stated forfeiture on the part of contractors for the state or said divisions for violation hereof, to fix the duties of officers and agents of the state and said divisions thereof in reference hereto, to provide for the withholding of money from contractors violating the provisions hereof, to fix the punishment for violations hereof, to prohibit employers of labor upon public works from taking any part of the wages due or to become due to laborers so employed, and to punish such taking, and to punish such employers for exacting any sum of money from such laborers as a condition to employing them.		Amended and passed house.	1686
Introduced and referred....	159	Considered	1778
Reported unfavorably.....	600	Senate concurs.....	1779
Indefinitely postponed.....	600	Enrolled	1865, 1867
98—By Balkema. To provide for the purchase or condemnation by boards of supervisors of land for highway purposes in order to avoid unnecessarily expensive bridges or grades and to avoid railroad crossings and to straighten any road or to cut off dangerous corners on the highways or to widen any road above statutory width or for the purpose of preventing the encroachment of a stream upon a public highway, to provide for the payment of such changes, to provide for the abandonment of highways already established and to provide for the procedure therefor, and to repeal section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (1527-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.		Signed by president.....	1869
Introduced and referred....	159	Sent to governor.....	1898
Reported with amendments.	391	Approved by governor.....	1994
Amendments adopted.....	427	99—By Thompson. To amend the law as it appears in seven hundred fifteen (715) of the code, relative to the general powers of cities and towns.	
Motion to re-refer lost.....	427	Introduced and referred....	160
Amended	427	100—By Francis. Regulating the use of shore lines between high and low water marks.	
Consideration deferred.....	427	Introduced and referred....	160
Considered	469	Withdrawn from further consideration	1430
Motion to reconsider vote by which amendment was adopted, prevailed.....	470	101—By Boe. To amend the law relating to the amount of tax levy in consolidated independent school districts as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
Substitute amendment adopted	470	Introduced and referred....	160
Motion to defer lost.....	470	Reported with amendments.	586
Passed	470	Further amended.....	664
Title amended.....	471	Amendments adopted.....	664
		Passed	665
		Passed house	900
		Enrolled	939
		Signed by president.....	939
		Sent to governor.....	953
		Approved by governor.....	1011
		102—By Kimball. To provide for the exemption from taxation of fire proof buildings used for hotel purposes.	
		Introduced and referred....	161
		Reported unfavorably.....	419
		Indefinitely postponed.....	419
		103—By Kimball. Amending chapter 2-a of title six of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to primary elections and nominations of candidates for office and the election of the delegates to various party conventions and the regulation of such party conventions, the selection of the committeemen, the filing of nomination papers, the preparation and form of the primary ballot and the count and canvass of the vote at such election and the certification thereof; provision for deciding a tie vote and for vacancy in nomination and for repeal of sections in conflict therewith.	
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Considered	1785
Substitute adopted.....	1788
Passed	1789
104—By Arney. To provide that owners of threshing, hulling, bailing, shelling or shredding machinery shall have a lien upon the material threshed, hulled, shelled, bailed or shredded therewith for the charge made for such services.	
Introduced and referred....	161
Reported unfavorably.....	564, 565
Indefinitely postponed.....	565
105—By Fralley. In relation to semi-monthly payment of wages and salaries by railway corporations and providing a penalty for violation thereof.	
Introduced and referred....	161
Reported with amendments.	566
Amendments adopted.....	775
Passed	775
Passed house.....	1336
Enrolled	1416
Signed by president.....	1432
Sent to governor.....	1439
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106—By Foster. To amend section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the code, 1897, relating to the salaries of railroad commissioners.	
Introduced and referred....	164
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Substitute adopted.....	665
Passed	665
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Sent to governor.....	1432
Approved by governor.....	1439
107—By Foster. To amend section one thousand three hundred and twenty-three (1323) of the code, 1897, relating to the assessment for taxation of shares of corporation stock and to prevent duplicate assessment of corporation property.	
Introduced and referred....	164
Reported	909
Report adopted.....	1275
Passed	1275
House indefinitely postpones	1750
108—By Taylor. To repeal sections ten hundred ninety-three (1093) and eleven hundred thirty (1130) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and section eleven hundred and thirty-eight (1138) of the code, and to enact substitutes	

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therefor, relating to boards of election and the manner of canvassing the ballots.	
Introduced and referred....	164
109—By Ream. Appropriating the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) to indemnify J. L. Davis for personal injury sustained by him while employed by the state of Iowa in tearing down a building on the capitol ground.	
Introduced and referred....	165
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Title amended.....	1162
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110—By Ream. To abolish the office of school district treasurer, and to provide that the county treasurer shall receive and disburse the moneys of all school districts.	
Introduced and referred....	165
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111—By Thomas. To protect the lives, health, morals, of women and minors, providing for the fixing of minimum wages and the standard conditions of labor for such workers, limiting the hours of labor, and providing penalties for violations of the same.	
Introduced and referred....	165
Reported with amendments.	1008
Amendments adopted..	1433, 1434
Further amended	1435
Failed to pass.....	1436
112—By Thomas. To provide for the general distribution of the senate journal and the house journal and fixing the subscription charge to be made therefor.	
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Approved by governor.....	1820

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113—By Kimball. To amend section 1099 of the code of 1897 and sections 1106, 1150, 1151 and 1173 of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the election of presidential election and of vote therefor and removal of names from official ballot.		118—By Whitmore. To amend section seven hundred ninety-two (792) of the Iowa code of 1897 relating to assessing cost of improvements.	
Introduced and referred....	166	Introduced and referred....	167
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Passed	1790, 1791		
114—By Kimball. Creating a commission to prepare plans and specifications for the erection of a temple of justice building, and for an appropriation therefor.		119—By Whitmore. To amend section thirty-three (33) of chapter seventy-two (72) of the acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly, relating to the apportionment of motor vehicle fees, county motor vehicle road fund and expenditure of same.	
Introduced and referred....	166	Introduced and referred....	167
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Re-referred to sifting committee	1506	Indefinitely postponed.....	1404
115—By Kimball. Creating the office of editor of the Iowa statutory law and the Iowa supreme court reports, defining the duties of said office, the manner of appointment to such office, and providing for compensation therefor, and for the repealing of all acts relating to the office of supreme court reporter.		120—By Sheean. Authorizing the issuance of a patent to J. G. Sutter and James W. McAleer conveying the south west one-quarter (¼) of the northeast one-quarter (¼) of section sixteen (16) in township eighty-five (85), north of range one (1) west of the fifth P. M., Iowa.	
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		Passed house.....	367
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		Senate concurs.....	755, 756
		Enrolled	841
		Signed by president.....	841
		Sent to governor.....	858
		Approved by governor....	884
116—By Whitmore. To amend chapter fifty-two (52) of the acts of the thirty-third general assembly by repealing the same and adopting the following in lieu thereof prohibiting the use of electric passenger street and interurban cars not equipped with power brakes and sand appliances.		121—By Helmer. To amend section three thousand two hundred eighty-three (3283) of the code of Iowa, 1897, relating to the trial of actions to contest the probating of wills.	
Introduced and referred....	166	Introduced and referred....	170
Reported unfavorably.....	1147	Reported	564
Indefinitely postponed.....	1147	Report adopted.....	1140
		Amended	1141
		Title amended.....	1141
		Passed	1141
117—By Whitmore. To amend section seven hundred ninety-two-g (792-g) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and authorizing cities to create paving districts for street improvements and to spread assessment over such district.		122—By Taylor. To amend section one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three-b (1783-b) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to medical examination for life insurance.	
Introduced and referred....	166	Introduced and referred....	170
Reported unfavorably.....	679		
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123—By Foster. To provide for the dragging of dirt and graveled roads.	
Introduced and referred....	171
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124—By Thomas. To legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Diagonal, Ringgold county, Iowa.	
Introduced and referred....	171
Reported with amendments.	310
Report adopted.....	393
Amendments adopted.....	393
Further amended.....	393
Passed	393, 394
Passed house.....	552
Enrolled	617
Signed by president.....	619
Sent to governor.....	633
Approved by governor.....	670
125—By Doran. For the identification of persons inspecting shipments of freight in transit in the state of Iowa for the purpose of fixing their classification, for requiring signed notices by mail to the board of railroad commissioners, the shipper and consignee of any alteration of classification and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions.	
Introduced and referred	171, 172
Reported unfavorably.	1406, 1407
Indefinitely postponed.....	1407
126—By Francis. Amending the law as it appears in section two thousand four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, making any person found to be a hootlegger guilty of committing a misdemeanor.	
Introduced and referred....	172
Reported	691
Report adopted.....	785
Passed	786
Passed house.....	1362
Enrolled	1469
Signed by president.....	1472
Approved by governor.....	1520
127—By Francis. Amending section four thousand six hundred and sixty (4660) of the code, relating to the distance witnesses may be compelled to travel upon subpoena from district and superior courts.	
Introduced and referred....	172
Re-referred to sifting committee	1506
128—By Whitmore. To amend section thirty-eight hundred eighty-five (3885) of the code, by dispensing	

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with the requirements for attachment bond where the defendant is a non-resident.	
Introduced and referred....	172
Reported unfavorably.....	724
Indefinitely postponed.....	724
129—By Whitmore. To amend section one hundred ninety-eight (198) of the code and requiring all causes to be decided by the supreme court within six months after submission.	
Introduced and referred... ..	172
Reported unfavorably	259
Indefinitely postponed.....	259
130—By Kimball. To fix and declare the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume of said reports and the terms and conditions thereof, to provide for the copyrights of said reports; to provide for the preparation, printing, binding and certification of the acts of the general assembly and the form and number thereof, to provide for the annotations of the laws of the state and the supplement embracing the same, to provide for the contents of the volumes containing said acts and laws, to provide for a revision of the laws of the state; to fix the salary of the reporter of the supreme court, to make annual appropriation for said work, and to repeal chapter four (4) of title three (3), section thirty-eight (38), section thirty-nine (39), section forty (40) and section one hundred thirty-three (133), of the code.	
Introduced and referred... ..	172
Reported with request that it be withdrawn.....	968
Withdrawn from further consideration	968
131—By White of Iowa. Making appropriation for the payment of loss by hog cholera during quarantine for the hoof and mouth disease.	

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Introduced and referred....	173	emption of property from taxation.	
Re-referred to sifting committee	1613	Introduced and referred..	180
Reported and re-referred...1652		Reported	374
Withdrawn from further consideration	1722	Report adopted	413
		Amended	413
132—By Gillette. To amend the law as it appears in section two thousand three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the issuance of certificates of soundness by the secretary of the state board of agriculture to owners or keepers of stallions and jacks.		Passed	414
Introduced and referred....	173	Title amended	414
Reported unfavorably.....	893	House indefinitely postpones	947
Indefinitely postponed.....	893		
133—By Green. To fix, limit and determine the maximum number of hours per day during which females may be employed or permitted to work, and the terms and conditions and limitations thereof, to provide for the posting of information of the terms of this act and of schedules of time such employes may be required to labor, to fix and determine the duties and powers of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics in reference to this act, to prescribe the duties of employers of such labor and to prescribe penalties and punishment for violations of this act.		137—By Parker. To regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a board of examiners for the licensing of persons to carry on such practice, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of barber shops, schools and colleges in which the occupation of barbering is taught and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases through such occupation.	
Introduced and referred.....	180	Introduced and referred..	180
Reported	1829	Reported with amendments.	848
Report adopted.....	1882	Amendments adopted.1300, 1301	
Amended	1883	Re-referred	1302
Passed	1883	Reported unfavorably	1373
Motion to reconsider filed..	1908	Placed on calendar	1373
Motion called up.....	1930	Considered	1700, 1701
Motion Lost	1931	Report of committee re-jected	1701
134—By Allen. To establish and maintain the Iowa child welfare research station and making an appropriation therefor.		Failed to pass.....	1701, 1702
Introduced and referred... 180			
135—By White of Benton. Defining the number of men to constitute a crew on light engines.		138—By Gillette. To repeal section two thousand three hundred forty-one-s (2341-s) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the lien on the progeny of stallion and enacting a substitute therefor, fixing lien on progeny and on mother of such progeny for service of stallion or jack.	
Introduced and referred..	180	Introduced and referred ...	181
Reported unfavorably.....	971	Reported unfavorably	979
Indefinitely postponed.....	971	Indefinitely postponed	979
136—By Parker. To amend the law as it appears in section thirteen hundred and four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the ex-		139—By Caswell. Prescribing the damages that may be recovered for publication of libelous matter in newspapers.	
		Introduced and referred... 181	
		Reported	830
		Report adopted	1238
		Consideration deferred....	1238
		Amendment filed	1239
		Considered	1297
		Amended	1297, 1298
		Passed	1298
		Passed house.....	1805
		Enrolled	1895, 1896
		Signed by president	1900
		Sent to governor	1906
		Approved by governor	1994
		140—By Balkema. To amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s five (1527-s-5), section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-eight	

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(1527-s-8), section one thousand five hundred twenty - seven - s - twelve (1527-s-12), section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven - s - fourteen (1527-s-14), and section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-sixteen (1527-s-16) all of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal paragraph three (3) of section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-two (1527-s-2) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute in lieu of the paragraph so repealed, all relating to highways and the duties of public officers in relation thereto.		Amended	604
Introduced and referred....	181	Consideration deferred....	605
Withdrawn from further consideration	1430	All amendments ordered printed in journal.....	605
141—By Balkema. To provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to provide the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof.		Considered	619
Introduced and referred....	181	Pending amendments withdrawn	619, 620
Withdrawn	1430	Further amendments offered	620
142—By Whitmore. To amend section thirty-three hundred ten (3310) of the code and prohibiting the closing of any estate until inventory has been filed and accepted.		Substitute amendments adopted	649
Introduced and referred....	182	Amended	650, 655
Reported unfavorably.....	526	Title amended.....	656
Indefinitely postponed.....	526	Passed	656
143—By Farr. Authorizing cities having a population of forty-five thousand or more to construct, repair, improve and reconstruct paved roadways along streets, avenues and highways constituting main traveled ways into and out of such cities, to establish paving districts, the lots and tracts of land within which may be assessed to pay all or a portion of the cost of such improvement and providing for the levying of a general municipal tax to defray any balance thereof. (Additional to chapter 7 of title 5 of the code and amendments thereto.)		Passed house.....	934
Introduced and referred....	182	Enrolled	1010
Reported	481	Signed by president.....	1018
Considered	604	Approved by governor.....	1045
		144—By Francis. To amend section two hundred and seven (207) of the code relative to the salary of the deputy clerk of the supreme court.	
		Introduced and referred....	182
		Reported	230
		Considered	245
		Passed	245
		Passed house	1269
		Enrolled	1417
		Signed by president.....	1432
		Sent to governor.....	1440
		Approved by governor.....	1506
		145—By Francis. To amend section seven hundred twenty-two-a (722-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to acquisition by cities and towns of heating plants, water works, gas works and power plants by condemnation proceedings.	
		Introduced and referred....	182
		Reported	230
		Considered	242
		Passed	243
		Amended and passed house	400, 405
		Senate concurs.....	473
		Enrolled	530
		Signed by president.....	531
		Sent to governor.....	547
		Approved by governor.....	566
		146—By Francis. To amend section two hundred fifty-four-a-twelve (254-a-12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the management, control and investment of funds donated for cemetery purposes.	
		Introduced and referred ..	182
		Reported	230
		Report adopted	244
		Passed	244
		Passed house	368
		Enrolled	424
		Signed by president.....	425
		Sent to governor	431
		Approved by governor	432

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147—By Francis. To amend section nine hundred thirty-two-c (932-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the investment of the firemen's pension fund.		Signed by president.....	1138
Introduced and referred ..	182	Sent to governor.....	1148
Reported	230	Approved by governor.....	1214
Report adopted	244		
Passed	245	152—By Hagemann. To amend section 590 of chapter 9 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of township trustees.	
Passed house.....	367	Introduced and referred....	200
Enrolled	424	Re-referred to sifting committee	1507
Signed by president	425		
Sent to governor	432	153—By Eversmeyer. To repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-fifty-two-a (1989-a-52-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches, and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Approved by governor	432	Introduced and referred....	200
		Withdrawn from further consideration	1259
148—By Francis. To amend section two hundred fifty-six-a (256-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and terms of judges of the superior court.		Referred to sifting committee	1507
Introduced and referred... 183			
Reported	230	154—By Doran. Defining the number of employees necessary to constitute a full crew for railroads on freight and passenger trains, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.	
Report adopted.....	243	Introduced and referred....	200
Passed	243	Reported unfavorably.....	1408
Indefinitely postponed by house	504	Indefinitely postponed.....	1409
		Motion to reconsider filed..	1481
149—By Francis. To repeal section thirty-six-a (36-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the distribution of laws becoming effective by publication.			
Introduced and referred... 183		155—By Foster. To amend section thirty-four hundred and ninety-nine (3499) of the code, relative to the places where suit may be brought against insurance companies, and providing for the revocation of the authority of any foreign insurance company to transact business in this state, that shall commence or remove any suit or proceeding brought by or against it in any state court to any federal court.	
Reported with amendments.1066		Introduced and referred....	200
Amendments adopted.....	1498	Reported unfavorably.....	284
Passed	1499	Indefinitely postponed.....	284
Passed house	1803		
Enrolled	1895, 1896	156—By Jackson. To amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred fifty-seven (2757) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to meetings of boards of directors of school districts, and organization thereof.	
Signed by president.....	1900	Introduced and referred....	200
Sent to governor.....	1906	Reported	310
Approved by governor...1994		Report adopted.....	426
		Amended	426
150—By Kimball. To provide for the levy of a tax for the improvement of certain parks and directing the expenditure thereof.		Passed	426
Introduced and referred... 183			
Reported with substitute.. 313			
Substitute adopted.....	394		
Further amended.....	395		
Passed	395		
Amended and passed house 1444			
Senate concurs.....	1526		
Enrolled	1632, 1633		
Signed by president.....	1652		
Sent to governor.....	1653		
Approved by governor.....	1711		
151—By Grout. To amend section five hundred eighty-seven (587) of the code, relating to regulations for cemeteries.			
Introduced and referred.. 200			
Reported	390		
Report adopted.....	428		
Passed	428		
Passed house.....	1084		
Enrolled	1135		

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Amended and passed house	889, 893
Senate concurs.....	1082, 1083
Enrolled	1206
Signed by president.....	1207
Sent to governor.....	1210
Approved by governor.....	1268
 157—By Clarkson. Authorizing a patent to issue for the southeast quarter (¼) of the southwest quarter (¼) of section sixteen (16), township seventy-three (73), north of range eighteen (18), west of the fifth P. M., Monroe county, Iowa.	
Introduced and referred....	201
Reported with amendments	501, 502
Amendments adopted.....	551
Further amended.....	551
Title amended.....	552
Passed	552
Passed house.....	933
Enrolled	1009
Signed by president.....	1018
Approved by governor.....	1061
 158—By Clarkson. To make an appropriation for Harry B. Moore on account of injury received by him at the Iowa Soldiers' Home at Marshalltown.	
Introduced and referred....	201
Reported without recommendation and re-referred...	599
Reported unfavorably.....	1730
Indefinitely postponed.....	1731
 159—By Clarkson. To authorize, direct and enable W. S. Allen, secretary of state to execute and deliver to George W. Scribner and Deborah Scribner patent to certain lands.	
Introduced and referred..	201
Reported	311
Report adopted	351
Passed	352
Passed house.....	505
Enrolled	780
Signed by president.....	797
Sent to governor.....	802
Approved by governor.....	818
 160—By Whitmore. To repeal section twenty-four hundred ninety-five-b (2495-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, providing for the employment and examination of shot examiners and shot firers and defining their duties.	
Introduced and referred... 201	
Reported with amendments. 485	
Amendments adopted..... 543	
Further amended..... 543	
Passed	543, 544
Title amended..... 545	

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161—By Perkins. To repeal sections sixteen hundred eighty-three-k (1683-k) and sixteen hundred eighty - three - l (1683-l) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, and to amend section sixteen hundred eighty - three - b (1683-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to corporations for the improvement of agriculture, animal husbandry and horticulture.	
Introduced and referred... 201	
Reported unfavorably..... 501	
Placed on calendar..... 501	
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(No amendments noted in house message.)	
Senate concurs in house amendment	1466
Enrolled	1524
Signed by president.....	1548
Sent to governor.....	1550
Approved by governor....	1595
223—By Crist. To amend the law as same appears in section eight hundred thirteen (813) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to bids for street improvements.	
Introduced and referred....	301
Reported with amendments	813, 814
Amendments adopted.....	1163
Passed	1163, 1164
Passed house.....	1888
Enrolled	1953, 1955
Signed by president.....	1960
Sent to governor.....	1963
224—By Hagemann. Amending the law as it appears in section 254-a-46 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the enticing away of children, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.	
Introduced and referred....	302
Reported with substitute	1191, 1192
Substitute adopted.....	1573
Passed	1579
225—By Arney. To amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-a (1661-a) of the supple-	

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ment to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies.	
Introduced and referred....	302
Withdrawn from further consideration	1506
226—By Parker. To amend section one thousand six hundred fourteen-f (1614-f) and section one thousand six hundred fourteen-g (1614-g) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to annual reports by corporations, by striking out certain words therein and substituting other words in lieu thereof, and, by adding to said section.	
Introduced and referred....	302
Re-referred to sifting committee	1670
227—By Parker. To amend section one thousand six hundred thirty-seven (1637) of the supplement to the code, 1913, by striking out certain words contained therein which relate to qualification of foreign corporations to transact business in this state.	
Introduced and referred....	302
Re-referred to sifting committee	1670
228—By Parker. To repeal section one thousand six hundred twenty-eight (1628) of the code, relating to non-user of franchise by corporations.	
Introduced and referred....	302
Re-referred to sifting committee	1670
229—By Caswell. To amend sections twenty-nine hundred five (2905), twenty-nine hundred six (2906), twenty-nine hundred seven (2907), twenty-nine hundred eight (2908), and twenty-nine hundred ten (2910), of the code, relating to the transfer of personal property.	
Introduced and referred....	302
Reported unfavorably....	812
Indefinitely postponed	812
230—By Caswell. An act to amend section four hundred ninety-eight (498) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the county recorder, and providing for filing of chattel mortgages.	
Introduced and referred....	303
Reported unfavorably	812
Indefinitely postponed.....	812

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231—By Kimball. To repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, qualification, and compensation of deputy treasurers and other assistants in the office of the county treasurer, and to enact a substitute therefor.		Passed house	1775
		Enrolled	1826, 1827
		Signed by president	1839
		Sent to governor.....	1960
		Approved by governor....	1994
Introduced and referred....	303		
Reported unfavorably.....	1450	236—By Heald. To foster and approve in the standard colleges of Iowa departments of education, agriculture, household arts, manual training, and commerce, under the supervision of the state, through the board of educational examiners, and appropriating out of any funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, a sum sufficient for the support of such departments for the next biennium.	
Indefinitely postponed.....	1450		
232—By Kimball. To repeal section four hundred ninety (490) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the county treasurer and to enact a substitute therefor.		Introduced and referred... 308	
Introduced and referred..	303	Reported unfavorably.....	998
Reported unfavorably.....	1450	Indefinitely postponed.....	998
Indefinitely postponed.....	1450	237—By Doran. To amend the law relating to the appointment of assistant state veterinary surgeons as it appears in section twenty-five hundred thirty-three (2533), supplement to the code, 1913.	
233—By Grout. To encourage the draft horse industry of the state of Iowa and to aid in promoting methods for the production of draft horses and making an appropriation therefor.		Introduced and referred....	308
Introduced and referred... 303		Reported unfavorably.....	830
Reported unfavorably.....	565	Indefinitely postponed.....	830
Placed on calendar.....	565	238—By Doran. To repeal the taxation of moneys and credits, bank stocks, and banking capital law as the same appears in chapter sixty-three laws of the thirty-fourth general assembly.	
234—By Foskett. To repeal the law as it appears in section two thousand five hundred and seventy-five-a-52 (2575-a-52) supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, making annual appropriation for carrying on the work of the state entomologist.		Introduced and referred... 309	
Introduced and referred... 303		Reported unfavorably.....	706
Reported with amendments	1425	Placed on calendar.....	706
Re-referred	1551	Report of committee rejected	1025
Reported	1631	Failed to pass.....	1026
Report adopted	1767	239—By Henigbaum. To grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) or over, and organized under title five (5), chapter fourteen (14), of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission in such cities the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines and inside the curb lines and upon the public streets, to determine the location of permanent sidewalks and to assume charge, custody and control of all trees, shrubbery, flow-	
Passed	1767, 1768		
Passed house.....	1926		
Enrolled	1930		
Signed by president.....	1981		
Sent to governor.....	1982		
235—By Schrup. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-a (2911-a), and in section twenty-nine hundred eleven-b (2911-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of stocks of goods, wares or merchandise in bulk.			
Introduced and referred....	304		
Reported with amendments	1064		
Report adopted	1495		
Passed	1495, 1496		

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ers and grass and the planting and maintenance thereof on the public streets; and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof. Additional to chapter fourteen (14), title five (5) of the code.	
Introduced and referred....	309
Reported	855
Withdrawn	1576
240—By White of Benton. To amend section twenty-six hundred and six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the admission of soldiers' wives and widows to the soldiers' home.	
Introduced and referred....	309
Reported	576
Report adopted.....	776
Passed	777
Passed house (message states S. F. 340, evidently an error)	1637
Enrolled	1713
Signed by president.....	1722
Sent to governor.....	1736
Approved by governor....	1820
241—By Savage. Providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement, and equipment of buildings for the state university of Iowa, the Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the Iowa state teachers college.	
Introduced and referred...	309
242—By Savage. Making appropriations for the state university of Iowa, the Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the Iowa state teachers college, and the college for the blind.	
Introduced and referred...	309
Amendment filed.....	1620
Reported	1634
Made special order.....	1635
Considered	1688
Amendment adopted.....	1689
Title amended.....	1689
Passed	1689
Passed house	1873
Enrolled	1952, 1954
Signed by president.....	1960
Sent to governor.....	1964
243—By Kimball. Regulating the sale of live stock remedies and stock foods; defining the same; providing for the labeling, registration and inspection of the same; providing for affixing of labels and a	

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means of identification of registration license and inspection; providing for an inspection fee and its collection; prohibiting the sale of fraudulent, injurious, deleterious and adulterated remedies and stock foods; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and repealing laws in conflict therewith.	
Introduced and referred....	311
Reported without recommendation	1422
Made special order.....	1560
Considered	1650
Amendment offered	1650
Laid on table.....	1652
Considered	1754
Withdrawn from further consideration	1754
244—By Kimball. Regulating the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs, defining the same, providing for their labeling, the collection of an inspection fee, fixing penalties for the violation of its provisions and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.	
Introduced and referred....	311
Reported	1155
Made special order.....	1560
Report adopted	1649
Amended	1649
Failed to pass.....	1650
245—By Kimball. To regulate the sale of agricultural seeds, defining same, providing for their inspection, fixing fees and providing penalties for violation of this act.	
Introduced and referred....	311
Reported	883
Made special order.....	1560
Amendment filed.....	1616-1619
Considered	1644
Amendment adopted.....	1644-1648
Passed	1648, 1649
246—By Frailay. To repeal section six hundred seventy-four (674) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the compensation of city and town assessors and their deputies and clerks and to fix the salaries of such assessors, deputies and clerks and to provide for the appointment of deputy assessors and clerks.	
Introduced and referred....	320
Re-referred to sifting committee	1508

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247—By Thomas. To repeal the law as it appears in chapter (13-b) title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee.		tions, sub-station, and power houses belonging to and operated by public utility companies operating under state or city charters and franchises for the prevention of damage to life and property caused by fire due to defective wiring, to determine the qualifications and provide for the examination thereof; to provide for the removal of electric light and power wiring, electrical fixtures and appliances installed in violation of the manner prescribed and to impose penalties for a violation of ordinances enacted under this act, and to provide for a state electric inspector to be under the jurisdiction of the office of the state fire marshal, and prescribe his duties and jurisdiction under the authority granted in this act.	
Introduced and referred....	320	Introduced and referred....	321
Reported	743, 744	Reported with amendments	896, 897
Report adopted	1048	Amendments adopted.....	1322
Motion to make special order lost	1048	Passed	1322, 1323
Amendment offered....	1048, 1049	Title amended.....	1323
Considered and deferred....	1071	Amended and passed house.	1773
Amendment withdrawn....	1093	Senate concurs.....	1779, 1780
Further amendment filed....	1093	Enrolled	1865, 1867
Considered	1103	Signed by president.....	1869
Amendment withdrawn....	1104	Sent to governor.....	1899
Re-referred	1105	Approved by governor....	1994
Amendment filed.....	1211		
Reported with amendments	1228, 1229	250—By Kimball. To punish the fraudulent giving of checks or drafts upon any bank or banking association and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith.	
Deferred and made special order	1232	Introduced and referred....	321
Withdrawn from further consideration	1366	Reported	420
		Amended	491
248—By Kimball. To repeal section fourteen hundred and seven (1407) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of a delinquent tax collector and providing a method of payment thereof, and to enact a substitute therefor.		Motion to re-refer lost....	491
Introduced and referred....	320	Consideration deferred....	491
Reported with amendments.	678	Considered	594
Amendments adopted.....	787	Amended	595
Further consideration deferred	787	Passed	595, 596
Considered	831	Title amended.....	596
Amendment withdrawn....	831		
Amended	832	251—By Taylor. To repeal section twenty-two hundred sixty-one (2261) of the code, relating to the board of county commissioners of insanity, and enact a substitute therefor, making the county auditor and county attorney members of said board; and to amend section twenty-two hundred sixty-two (2262) of the code, relating to the clerk of said board.	
Consideration deferred....	832	Introduced and referred....	321
Amendment withdrawn....	989	Reported unfavorably.....	999
Amended	990	Indefinitely postponed.....	1000
Laid on table.....	990		
249—By Kimball. Granting to cities and towns power to license and regulate electricians and electrical contractors and power to regulate the installation of electric light and power wiring, fixtures, apparatus, and appliances on and in all buildings, tents and other structures in the state of Iowa excepting such central sta-			

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252—By Taylor. To amend section fourteen hundred seven (1407), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment and compensation of delinquent tax collector, and to repeal section fourteen hundred seven-one-a (1407-1a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of said collector.	
Introduced and referred....	321
Re-referred to sifting committee	1507
253—By Taylor. To amend sections fourteen hundred fifty-eight (1458) and fourteen hundred sixty-one (1461), of the code, relating to the settlement with the county treasurer.	
Introduced and referred....	322
Reported	420
Report adopted	506
Passed	506
House indefinitely postponed	1013
254—By Taylor. To repeal section fourteen hundred nine (1409) of the code, relating to the certification of taxes to another county, and enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	323
Reported	862
Report adopted	1315
Passed	1315
Passed house	1804
Enrolled	1895, 1896
Signed by president.....	1900
Sent to governor.....	1906
Approved by governor.....	1994
255—By Taylor. To repeal section fourteen hundred fifteen (1415), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the apportionment of taxes and interest, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	322
Reported with amendments. 863	
Amendments adopted.....	1316
Passed	1316, 1317
256—By Balkema. To amend the law relating to sanitation in food producing establishments as the same is found in section two thousand five hundred twenty-seven-a (2527-a) to section two thousand five hundred twenty-seven-o (2527-o), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	322
Reported with amendments.1155	
Amendments adopted 1561, 1562	
Passed	1562

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257—By Savage. Making appropriation for The Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts in lieu of the provisions of the special appropriations specified in section fourteen hundred-si (1400-si) chapter one-a (1-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	322
Withdrawn from further consideration	1736
258—By Arney. To amend the law as it appears in section six hundred and ninety-five (695) of the code, relating to the rights, powers, privileges and jurisdiction of cities and towns, including cities under commission government and cities under special charter.	
Introduced and referred....	323
Reported with amendments.1101	
Amendments adopted.....	1500
Failed to pass.....	1501
259—By Whitmore. To legalize all the elections of the town of Blakesburg, in the county of Wapello and state of Iowa, and all acts performed and proceedings held or undertaken, and all ordinances and resolutions, or amendments thereto, passed by the town council of said town, and all the official acts of the town officers of said town, since the passage of an act relating to the organization of cities and towns and known as chapter twenty-six (26) of the acts of the thirty-second general assembly; and defining the terms of office of the councilmen and officers of said town, and providing for future elections therein.	
Introduced and referred.342,	343
Reported	502
Considered	554
Amended	554
Passed	554
Passed house.....	833
Enrolled	857
Signed by president.....	858
Sent to governor.....	858
Approved by governor.....	884
260—By Hagemann. To amend section one thousand eight hundred twenty two-a (1822-a), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to beneficiary associations composed of the members of any one religious denomination and	

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<p>permitting any corporation heretofore organized whose membership and plan of business permits, to bring its business under chapter nine (9), title nine (9), of the code.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 344 Reported with amendments. 529 Amendments adopted..... 558 Passed..... 558 Passed house.....1444 Enrolled.....1523 Signed by president.....1548 Sent to governor.....1549 Approved by governor....1595</p>		<p>area that may be placed under quarantine by the commission of animal health, and prescribing the method of quarantine.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 344 Reported..... 893 Report adopted.....1528 Amended.....1528 Passed.....1529 Amended and passed house.....1686, 1687 Senate concurs.....1795 Enrolled.....1866, 1869 Signed by president.....1869 Sent to governor.....1899 (Vetoed by Governor Clarke on May 15, 1915.)</p>	
<p>261—By White of Benton. To provide for the organization of an Iowa State League of County Poultry Associations and to provide aid to the poultry industry by making an appropriation therefor.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 344 Re-referred.....1508 Reported and re-referred...1668 Reported unfavorably.....1731 Indefinitely postponed.....1731</p>		<p>265—By Crist. To amend the law as it appears in chapter thirteen (13), title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the dairy and food commissioner, providing license for emulsifying devices, and to adopt and establish a state trade mark for butter.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 345 Reported with amendment.. 722 Re-referred..... 722 Reported with amendment..1727 Report adopted.....1782 Amendments adopted.....1784 Passed.....1784, 1785 Amended and passed house.1914 Senate concurs.....1938-1940 Enrolled.....1984, 1987 Signed by president.....1989 Sent to governor.....1992</p>	
<p>262—By Robinson. To safeguard water supplies to prevent the discharge of sewage or the deposit of garbage into lakes, ponds, natural or artificial depressions or reservoirs, rivers or other water courses or upon land subject to overflow; to provide a plan for enabling cities and towns to provide sewage treatment for existing sewer systems, and to provide for the supervision, direction and care of sanitary installations.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 344 Reported..... 742 Report adopted.....1102 Amended.....1102, 1103 Passed.....1103 Failed to pass house.....1522 House requested return...1571 Senate returns.....1627 House Indefinitely postponed.....1805</p>		<p>266—By Foster. To provide for the issuance of county bonds for highway improvement.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 352 Reported with amendments. 878 Motion to make special order lost..... 977 Amendments adopted.....1317 Failed to pass.....1317 Motion to reconsider filed..1329 Motion to reconsider pre- vailed.....1338 Amended.....1338 Passed to third reading...1338 Reconsidered.....1338 Adoption of amendment re- considered.....1338 Deferred.....1338 Amendment withdrawn....1351 Amended.....1351 Passed.....1351, 1352</p>	
<p>263—By Helmer. To repeal the law as it appears in chapter twelve-A (12-A), title twenty-five (XXV), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to prosecutions on information filed by the county attorney.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 344 Reported unfavorably..... 527 Indefinitely postponed..... 527</p>		<p>267—By Farr. To amend chapter seventy-five (75), acts of the thirty-fifth (35th) general assembly, relating to streets and public grounds.</p> <p>Introduced and referred.... 352 Withdrawn from further consideration.....1612</p>	
<p>264—By Hilsinger. To amend section two thousand five hundred thirty-eight-s of the supplement to the code, 1913, specifying the</p>			

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268—By Perkins. To amend the law as it appears in title VII, chapter four (4), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment and collection of a tax on collateral inheritance of estates, annuities, legacies, bequests, gifts and transfers; repealing certain parts thereof and providing substitutes therefor; and making provision for better and more uniform enforcement thereof.	
Introduced and referred....	352
Reported with amendment..	1403
Amendments adopted 1705, 1706	
Passed	1706
269—By Enger. To amend the law as it appears in section 2575-a9, chapter 16-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to annual appropriation for bacteriological laboratory.	
Introduced and referred....	356
Reported and re-referred....	970
270—By Enger. To provide for the immediate registration of all births and deaths throughout the state of Iowa by means of certificates of births and deaths, and burial or removal permits; to require prompt returns to the bureau of vital statistics at the capital of the state, as required to be established by the state registrar of vital statistics; to insure the thorough organization and efficiency of the registration of vital statistics throughout the state; to provide certain penalties; to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, and to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	356
Reported with substitute and re-referred	846, 847
271—By Wilson. To provide for the assessment and taxation of osage, willow and other hedge fences adjacent to public highways.	
Introduced and referred....	356
Reported with amendments	743
Amendments adopted.....	1046
Amended	1046, 1047
Passed	1047
272—By Kimball. To amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h) of the supplement to the code, 1913,	

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relating to the appropriation for the Iowa library commission.	
Introduced and referred....	356
Reported with amendment..	831
Re-referred	831
Reported with amendment..	1331
Amendment adopted..	1547, 1548
Passed	1548
Passed house.....	1702
Enrolled	1799
Signed by president.....	1800
Sent to governor.....	1807
Approved by governor.....	1994
273—By Robinson. Making appropriations for furniture, construction, repair, improvement and contingent funds for the Iowa soldiers' home, Iowa soldiers' orphans' home, school for the deaf, institution for feeble-minded children, state sanatorium for the treatment of tuberculosis, industrial schools, state hospitals, state hospitals for inebriates, penitentiary and reformatory.	
Introduced and referred....	357
Reported and re-referred..	853
Reported	1064
Report adopted.....	1497
Amended	1497
Passed	1498
Passed house.....	1773
Enrolled	1827, 1828
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1960
Approved by governor.....	1994
274—By Foster. To amend section twenty-one hundred twenty-one (2121) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the board of railroad commissioners.	
Introduced and referred....	357
Reported unfavorably.....	973
Indefinitely postponed.....	973
275—By Perkins. To authorize the appointment of special agents to aid in the detection, identification, capture and conviction of criminals, delinquents and defectives, and to require the co-operation and assistance of all sheriffs, police and peace officers and all other officers charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, delinquents or defectives.	
Introduced and referred....	357
Re-referred	1507
276—By Heald. To amend the law relating to pure food as the same appears in sections forty-nine hun-	

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dred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one (4999-a31), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one-c (4999-a31-c), forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a thirty-one-e (4999-a31-e) and forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-one-f (4999-a31-f), supplement to the code, 1913.		280—By White of Iowa. Making appropriation for the payment of loss by hog cholera during quarantine for the hoof and mouth disease.	
Introduced and referred....	357	Introduced and referred....	358
Reported with substitute....	881	Re-referred	1613
Re-referred	881	Re-referred	1652
Re-referred	1238	Withdrawn from further consideration	1722
Reported with substitute	1628, 1629		
Substitute adopted.....	1766	281—By Larrabee. Providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state, and for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, and for appurtenances and connections thereto, as shall be determined upon by the board of control of state institutions for the Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, State Colony for Epileptics, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and additional custodial farms when same shall have been authorized by law, and for the purchase of land, live stock and equipment, and to develop and maintain industries and parts of acts in conflict with this act. (Additional to section one hundred seventy-b (170-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the state tax levy.)	
Passed	1767	Introduced and referred....	358
Passed house.....	1926	Reported unfavorably....	680
Enrolled	1986, 1987	Indefinitely postponed.....	680
Signed by president.....	1989		
Sent to governor.....	1994	282—By Jones. To repeal the law relating to the appropriation for state aid to the consolidated schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
277—By Doran. To amend section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a twenty-one (1989-a21) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the jurisdiction of boards of supervisors over drains, and to provide for the termination of the jurisdiction of boards of supervisors over drains, and to provide for the method of terminating such jurisdiction.		Introduced and referred....	359
Introduced and referred....	358	Reported with amendments and re-referred	585
Reported unfavorably....	421	Reported with amendments	802, 803
Placed on calendar.....	421	Amendments adopted.....	1164
Considered	506	Passed	1164
Indefinitely postponed.....	507	Amended and passed house.....	1666
278—By Balkema. To amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-eleven (1527-s11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to culvert and bridge construction and other highway construction.		Senate concurs.....	1715
Introduced and referred....	358		
Reported	42		
Report adopted.....	57		
Passed	579, 580		
Failed to pass house.....	1687		
279—By Jackson. To appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars (\$2,575.00) to indemnify Wm. H. Niemann for personal injuries sustained by him caused by the Iowa National Guard.			
Introduced and referred....	277		
Reported and re-referred....	997		
Reported	1333		
Report adopted.....	1653		
Passed	1658, 1659		
Passed house.....	1847		
Enrolled	1894, 1896		
Signed by president.....	1909		
Sent to governor.....	1905		
Approved by governor.....	1994		

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Enrolled	1792
Signed by president.....	1800
Sent to governor.....	1807
Approved by governor.....	1994
293—By Jones. To amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-three (1527-s3) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the employment of county engineers, and fixing their terms of office and bonds.	
Introduced and referred....	359
Reported with amendments.	811
Report adopted.....	1165
Consideration deferred.....	1165
Considered	1574
Amendments adopted	1574
Passed	1574, 1575
284—By Jones. To amend the law as it appears in section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-nineteen (1527-s-19) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to final designation of county roads.	
Introduced and referred....	359
Reported	811
Report adopted	1575
Passed	1575
285—By Jones. To amend section one thousand five hundred twenty-seven-s-seventeen (1527-s17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to removal of obstructions from highways and notice thereof.	
Introduced and referred....	359
Reported	811
Report adopted.....	1165
Passed	1165, 1166
286—By Arney. To encourage corn and small grain growing in the state of Iowa and to aid in conducting an exposition and convention of the grain growers of the state and to make an appropriation therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	360
Reported with amendments.	1372
Re-referred	1372, 1700
287—By Foster. To amend section twelve hundred ninety-a (1290-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers appointed to appraise property for the assessment of collateral inheritance tax.	
Introduced and referred....	360
Reported unfavorably.....	648
Indefinitely postponed.....	648

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288—By Jones. Making annual appropriations to the State University, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, and Iowa State Teachers College.	
Introduced and referred....	364
Amendment filed	1621
Reported	1634, 1635
Made special order.....	1635
Report adopted.....	1682
Amendment adopted.....	1684
Passed	1685, 1686
Title amended.....	1686
Passed house.....	1873
Enrolled	1952, 1954
Signed by president.....	1960
Sent to governor.....	1964
289—By Clarkson. To amend sections three thousand nine-a to three thousand nine-r (3009-a to 3009-r), supplement to the code, 1913, establishing legal weights and measures, providing for the inspection of same, punishing the keeping or using of false or incorrect weights and measures, placing the enforcement of said act in charge of the dairy and food commissioner; and repealing sections three thousand and twenty-nine-a (3029-a), three thousand twenty-nine-b (3029-b), three thousand twenty-nine-c (3029-c), three thousand twenty-nine-d (3029-d) and other acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith.	
Introduced and referred....	364
Reported with amendments.	883
Re-referred	1257
Reported with amendments.	1372
Amendments filed.....	1504
Report adopted.....	1519
Committee amendments lost	1519
Amended	1519, 1520
Motion to reconsider vote by which committee amendments were lost, filed....	1520
Consideration deferred....	1520
Consideration resumed....	1521
Amended	1521, 1522
Passed	1522
Passed house.....	1703
Enrolled	1792
Signed by president.....	1800
Sent to governor.....	1807
Approved by governor.....	1994
290—By Foster. To amend the law as it appears in section twelve hundred fifty-eight-c (1258-c) and twelve hundred fifty-eight-h (1258-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of city, county and township officers, and the right of such officers to thereafter	

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hold office within this state.	
Introduced and referred....	368
Reported	862
Report adopted.....	1314
Passed	1314, 1315
291—By Farr. To amend section two thousand seventeen (2017), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the right to raise or lower highways where they are crossed by railroads.	
Introduced and referred....	368
Reported	602
Report adopted.....	669
Passed	669
Amended and passed house.	1574
Senate concurs.....	1738, 1731
Enrolled	1792
Signed by president.....	1800
Sent to governor.....	1807
Approved by governor.....	1994
292—By Jones. To authorize cities and towns to regulate, license and tax livery stables and garages.	
Introduced and referred....	369
Reported	813
Report adopted	1166
Amended	1166
Passed	1167
293—By Allen. To amend section fifty hundred forty (5040) of the code with reference to breach of Sabbath by increasing the penalty provided for a breach thereof.	
Introduced and referred....	375
Reported unfavorably.....	646
Placed on calendar.....	646
Considered	782
Indefinitely postponed.....	783
294—By Allen and Whitmore. To amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419) of the code, and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor.	
Introduced and referred....	385
Reported unfavorably.....	612
Placed on calendar.....	612
Made special order.....	858
Withdrawn from further consideration	919
295—By Whitmore. Making it an offense to bring false charges against employees.	
Introduced and referred....	385
Reported unfavorably.....	1407
Indefinitely postponed.....	1408
Motion to reconsider filed.	1432
Motion to reconsider prevailed	1513
Committee report rejected.....	1513
Amended	1513, 1514

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Title amended.....	1514
Passed	1515
Passed house.....	1805
Enrolled	1895, 1896
Signed by president.....	1900
Sent to governor.....	1906
Approved by governor.....	1994
296—By Helmer. To amend the law as it appears in section one thousand four hundred nineteen (1419) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation for publication of notice of the time and place of tax sales.	
Introduced and referred....	385
Reported	706
Report adopted	1019
Amended	1019
Motion to reconsider vote by which amendment was adopted, prevailed.....	1019
Amendment withdrawn.....	1019
Amended	1019
Passed	1020
297—By Doran. To provide for the organization and management of local road districts in this state, and providing bounties for all permanent roads constructed in accordance with all the provisions of this act.	
Introduced and referred....	386
Reported unfavorably.....	1413
Indefinitely postponed.....	1413
298—By Kimball. To amend section six hundred seventy-nine-b (679-b) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the board of police and fire commissioners.	
Introduced and referred....	386
Reported unfavorably.....	767, 768
Indefinitely postponed.....	768
299—By Balkema. To amend the law as the same appears in section one thousand five hundred seventy (1570) of the code, relating to trimming hedges.	
Introduced and referred....	386
Reported and re-referred..	564
Reported	811
Report adopted	1167
Passed	1167, 1168
300—By Balkema. To legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon, in Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon.	
Introduced and referred.	386, 387
Reported unfavorably.....	894
Indefinitely postponed.....	894
301—By Grout. To amend the law relating to the salary of deputy sheriffs, as the	

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same appears in section five hundred ten-b (510-b), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	387
Reported unfavorably.....	1450
Indefinitely postponed.....	1450
302—By Grout. To amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	387
Reported	643
Report adopted	718
Passed	718
Motion to reconsider vote by which bill passed....	720
Motion to reconsider vote by which bill passed to third reading.....	720
Placed on calendar.....	720
Passed	779
Passed house	1667
Enrolled	1713
Signed by president.....	1722
Approved by governor.....	1820
303—By Grout. To amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	388
Reported	768
Withdrawn from further consideration	1121
304—By Gillette. To amend section two thousand six hundred six (2606) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the rules of admission to the Iowa Soldiers' home.	
Introduced and referred....	388
Reported	854
Report adopted	1258
Passed	1258
Amended and passed house.	1805
Senate concurs.....	1893
Enrolled	1971, 1979
Signed by president.....	1976
Sent to governor.....	1973
305—By Gillette. To amend section thirteen (13) of the code relative to compensation to be paid officers and employees of the general assembly.	
Introduced and referred....	388
Re-referred	1670
306—By Parker. To repeal section four hundred ninety-six (496) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact and substitute	

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therefor, relating to deputies in the office of county recorders.	
Introduced and referred....	403
Reported with amendment...	863
Amendments adopted.....	1263
Passed	1263, 1264
307—By Parker. To amend section four hundred and forty-one (441), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to official newspapers.	
Introduced and referred....	403
Reported unfavorably.....	1452
Indefinitely postponed.....	1452
308—By Grout. To repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-h (2341-h), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend sections twenty-three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g), twenty-three hundred forty-one-i (2341-i), twenty-three hundred forty-one-k (2341k), twenty-three hundred forty-one-m (2341-m), twenty-three hundred forty-one-o (2341-o), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-q (2341-q), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept for public service.	
Introduced and referred....	403
Reported with amendment..	1152
Withdrawn from further consideration	1563
309—By Allen. To provide for the incorporation of cooperative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state.	
Introduced and referred....	403
Reported with amendments.	979
Amendments adopted.....	1561
Further consideration deferred	1561
Withdrawn from further consideration	1755
310—By Heald. To amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m twenty-three (1571-m 23), supplement to the code, 1913, changing the offense of a person operating a motor vehicle while in an intoxicated condition from a misdemeanor to a felony	

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		and providing punishment therefor.	
	Introduced and referred....	403	
	Reported unfavorably.....	526	
	Placed on calendar.....	526	
	Indefinitely postponed.....	718	
311—By Perkins.	To repeal section four hundred thirty (430) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors, marines and their indigent wives, widows and minor children and the erection of monuments for soldiers and sailors.		
	Introduced and referred....	415	
	Reported and re-referred..	743	
	Re-referred to sifting committee	1506	
	Withdrawn from further consideration	1506	
312—By Perkins.	Providing for evidence and clue to the detection and arrest of chicken or fowl thieves.		
	Introduced and referred....	415	
	Reported with substitute.....	1295, 1296	
	Substitute adopted	1700	
	Failed to pass.....	1700	
313—By Kimball.	To provide for the appointment of a commission to select jurors, including grand jurors, petit jurors and talesmen in all counties of the state of Iowa having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or over, and in which there is any city with a population of ten thousand (10,000), or over, and fixing the time for which jurors may be required to serve, prescribing the duties thereof, and fixing penalties for the violation of this act; also providing for the repeal of section three hundred and thirty-four (334) of the code of Iowa, and enacting a substitute therefor, and providing for the repeal of chapter seventeen (17) of the acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly of Iowa.		
	Introduced and referred....	415	
	Reported unfavorably.....	864	
	Placed on calendar.....	864	
	Indefinitely postponed.....	1316	
314—By committee on appropriations.	Making an appropriation to enable the state railroad commission to investigate, prepare and prosecute cases in resistance to advances asked by the carriers in		
		the western advance rate case before the interstate commerce commission.	
	Introduced and placed on calendar	418	
	Considered	507	
	Amended	507	
	Passed	507, 508	
	Passed house	1013	
	Enrolled	1073, 1074	
	Signed by president.....	1075	
	Sent to governor.....	1087	
	Approved by governor.....	1109	
315—By Crist.	To amend section twenty-four hundred eighty-ten-a (2480-10a), on page nine hundred seventy-four (974), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to telephone systems in mines.		
	Introduced and referred....	418	
	Reported	648	
	Report adopted.....	719	
	Passed	719	
	Failed to pass house (Engrossing books show this to be an error).....	1751	
	Enrolled	1866, 1868	
	Signed by president.....	1869	
	Sent to governor.....	1898	
	Approved by governor.....	1994	
316—By Crist.	To amend section three thousand and sixty-one hundred twenty (3060-a120), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the discharge of a person secondarily liable on a negotiable instrument.		
	Introduced and referred....	418	
	Reported	502	
	Considered	561	
	Passed	562	
	Passed house.....	1069	
	Enrolled	1135	
	Signed by president.....	1138	
	Sent to governor.....	1148	
	Approved by governor.....	1177	
317—By Crist.	To amend section ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-one (1087-a21), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the canvass of primary election returns.		
	Introduced and referred....	418	
	Reported	501	
	Report adopted.....	581	
	Passed	581	
	Passed house.....	1269	
	Enrolled	1416	
	Signed by president.....	1432	
	Sent to governor.....	1433	
	Approved by governor.....	1506	
318—By Crist.	To amend the law relating to the location of school house sites in certain school corporations as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-three		

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(2773), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	418
Re-referred	1507
319—By Gillette. To amend section twenty-nine hundred-a-seven (2900-a7), supplement to the code, 1913, respecting the sale of abandoned river channels, sand bars or islands.	
Introduced and referred....	435
Reported	527
Report adopted.....	559
Passed	559
Passed house.....	1115
Enrolled	1206
Signed by president.....	1207
Sent to governor.....	1210
Approved by governor.....	1268
32 ^a —By Ream. Appropriating the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) to indemnify W. D. Atchison, who was an inmate of the State Institution for Inebriates at Knoxville when he was injured, for injuries sustained by him while working under orders of the superintendent of said institution.	
Introduced and referred....	435
Reported with amendments.	599
Re-referred	599
Reported with amendments.	983
Amendments adopted.....	1477
Passed	1477
Amended and passed house.	1772
Senate concurs.....	1794, 1795
Enrolled	1865, 1867
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1897
Approved by governor.....	1994
321—By Perkins. Establishing a medical department of the state library, to provide for the cataloging and shelving of books thereof, making appropriation therefor, and providing for an assistant librarian therein and fixing the salary of such assistant.	
Introduced and referred....	435
322—By Thomas. To amend section four hundred twenty-three (423), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements.	
Introduced and referred....	435
Reported unfavorably.....	812
Indefinitely postponed.....	812
323—By Thomas. To regulate the practice of civil engineering and land surveying in the state of Iowa, to create a board of examiners in civil engineering and land surveying and to fix penalties for violations	

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of the regulations provided.	
Introduced and referred....	435
Reported unfavorably.....	827
Indefinitely postponed.....	827
324—By Kimball. To provide for the construction and maintenance of union railway passenger stations.	
Introduced and referred....	436
Re-referred	1507
325—By Whitmore. Providing for the protection and safety of persons employed in or being about the construction, repairing, alteration or removal of buildings, bridges, viaducts, and other structures, providing means for the enforcement of said act, for recovery of damages by persons injured by a failure to comply with its provisions and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.	
Introduced and referred....	436
Reported with substitute....	1901
Report adopted.....	1378
Passed	1379
Failed to pass house.....	1804
House requests return of....	1836
Senate returns.....	1900
Failed to pass house.....	1945
326—By Francis. To legalize the proceedings under which the consolidated independent school district of Superior township, Dickinson county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school building purposes.	
Introduced and referred....	436
Withdrawn from further consideration	1172
327—By Francis. Authorizing counties containing not less than 20 square miles of lake surface to issue bonds for not more than sixty thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a public highway around such lakes; authorizing levy of tax to meet interest on said bonds and for payment of said bonds; authorizing construction of said highway under supervision of the state highway commission; providing for use of a portion of the funds placed at the disposition of said commission in	

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		construction of said highway, and directing payment to such county for use in construction of said highway, of proceeds in state treasury arising from sale of lake beds situated within such county.	
	438	Introduced and referred....	
	877	Reported	
	1517	Report adopted	
	1517	Amended	
	1518	Title amended.....	
	1518	Passed	
	1751	House strikes out enacting clause	
328—By Sheean.		Conferring upon the board of railroad commissioners the power to regulate the location, construction and maintenance of electric wires, poles and other fixtures, along and across the public lands, highways and streams of this state, except within the corporate limits of any city or town; and to confer upon the board of railroad commissioners the power to review, by appeal, ordinances, resolutions, rules and regulations of any city or town regulating the construction and operation of electric wires, poles and other apparatus within such cities or towns, including cities acting under special charter and cities organized under the commission form of government; and to repeal sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-c (1527-c) and fifteen hundred twenty-seven-d (1527-d), supplement to the code, 1913.	
	438	Introduced and referred....	
	1407	Reported with amendments....	
	1506	Re-referred	
	1731, 1732	Reported and re-referred.. ..	
329—By Allen.		To enjoin and abate houses of lewdness, assignation and prostitution, to declare the same to be nuisances, to enjoin the persons who conduct and maintain the same, and the owner or agent of any building used for such purposes, and to assess a tax against the person maintaining said nuisance and against the ground, the building and owner or agent thereof.	
	443	Introduced and referred....	
	565	Reported with amendments....	
	776	Amndments adopted.....	
	776	Amended	
	776	Made special order.....	
	800	Considered	
	800	Motion to defer lost.....	
		Passed	801
		Passed house	1126
		Enrolled	1207
		Sent to governor.....	1210
		Approved by governor.....	1268
		Signed by president.....	1207
330—By Farr.		To amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s2 (1527-s2), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the duties of the state highway commission.	
		Introduced and referred....	460
		Reported	601
		Report adopted	711
		Passed	711
331—By Farr.		To amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven -s11 (1527-s11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standard specifications.	
		Introduced and referred....	460
		Reported	601
		Report adopted	712
		Passed	712
332—By Farr.		To provide funds for assisting in eliminating dangers at railroad crossings.	
		Introduced and referred....	460
		Reported with amendments....	602
		Amendments adopted	713
		Amended	713
		Passed	713
		House strikes out enacting clause	1703
333—By Chase.		To amend chapter 8-a, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability and workman's compensation, repealing section two thousand four hundred forty-seven-m nine (2447-m9) and subdivision thereof and inserting a substitute therefor.	
		Introduced and referred....	460
		Reported unfavorably.....	878
		Indefinitely postponed.....	878
		Motion to reconsider filed....	901
		Motion prevailed	925
		Placed on calendar.....	925
		Considered	1385
		Report of committee rejected	1385
		Motion to defer lost.....	1386
		Amended	1386
		Amendments filed.....	1386, 1387
		Consideration deferred.....	1387
		Amendments filed.....	1395-1397
		Consideration resumed.....	1430
		Amendments withdrawn.....	1431
		Amended	1430, 1431
		Failed to pass.....	1432
334—By Farr.		To provide for the terms and conditions under which claims of registers of voters may be audited and paid, to provide for inspection of the	

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registration list of voters and to provide the punishment of attempts to prevent such inspection, to provide for a registry of signatures of voters at elections and to punish the making of false signatures, to provide for the formation of election precincts and the size thereof in certain cities, and to amend section one thousand seventy-six (1076), section one thousand seventy-seven (1077) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section one thousand seventy-nine (1079), section one thousand eighty (1080), section one thousand eighty-two (1082), section one thousand eighty-four (1084) of the code, and to repeal section one thousand eighty-three (1083) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the registration of voters.	
Introduced and referred....	462
Reported	941
Considered	1083
Consideration deferred	1083
Consideration resumed	1278
Amended	1279
Passed	1279
335—By Thomas. To repeal the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred fifty-six (4756) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to rape and providing a punishment therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	463
Reported with substitute..	1072
Amendment filed	1504
Amendment adopted.....	1663
Further amended.....	1663, 1664
Failed to pass.....	1664
Motion to reconsider filed..	1670
Motion lost	1715
336—By Savage. Making appropriation for the purchase of twenty thousand (20,000) copies of the railroad commissioners' official maps to be distributed by the railroad commission.	
Introduced and referred....	463
Reported	798
Report adopted	798
Considered	1223
Passed	1223, 1224
Passed house	1598
Enrolled	1672, 1674
Signed by president.....	1679
Sent to governor.....	1705
Approved by governor.....	1749
337—By Fellows. To classify one room rural schools and provide state aid for those	

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meeting certain requirements, and making an appropriation therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	463
Reported unfavorably.....	1005
Indefinitely postponed	1005
338—By Grout. Relating to fees of clerks of district court acting as referees in probate under appointment by a judge of the district court.	
Introduced and referred....	463
Reported unfavorably.....	726
Indefinitely postponed.....	726
339—By Enger. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty-four-a (2634-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of the secretary of the educational board of examiners.	
Introduced and referred....	463
Reported	1061
Re-referred	1064
Reported with amendments..	1333
Amendments adopted.....	1610
Passed	1610
Passed house	1913
Enrolled	1985, 1988
Signed by president	1989
Sent to governor.....	1993
340—By Taylor. To repeal section four hundred seventy-nine (479), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county auditors, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section twenty-eight hundred fifty (2850) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees for school fund loans.	
Introduced and referred....	464
Reported with amendment..	851
Made special order.....	853
Amendment adopted.....	942
Amended	942
Passed	943
Motion to reconsider filed..	961
Motion to reconsider withdrawn	976
Passed house	1926
Enrolled	1974, 1975
Signed by president	1976
Sent to governor.....	1976
341—By Taylor. To repeal section four hundred ninety (490), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county treasurers and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	464
Reported with amendments..	850
Made special order.....	853
Amendments adopted.....	935
Amended	935
Passed	937
Motion to reconsider filed..	949

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Motion to reconsider withdrawn	976	of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof. This act being additional to title V of the code.	
Amended and passed house.....	1304	Introduced and referred...	475
Senate concurs.....	1893, 1894	Withdrawn from further consideration	1551
Enrolled	1971, 1972		
Signed by president	1976		
Sent to governor.....	1973		
342—By Taylor. To amend section four hundred eighty-one (481) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county auditors.		347—By Foster. To repeal section four hundred ninety-six (496), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to appointment and compensation of deputy county recorders, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	464	Introduced and referred....	475
Reported	852	Reported unfavorably.....	1451
Made special order.....	853	Indefinitely postponed.....	1451
Report adopted	948		
Amended	948		
Failed to pass.....	949	348—By Heald. To provide for the permanent improvement of portions of the public highway outside the limits of cities and towns, and adjacent thereto, to create districts for such purpose, to provide for the voting of taxes to pay for such improvement, to provide for plans and specifications for said improvement and the manner for constructing the same, to provide for the issuance of bonds in anticipation of taxes so voted, to provide for receiving donations in aid of such improvement, and to provide for the maintenance of such improvement after the construction thereof.	
Motion to reconsider filed..	949	Introduced and referred....	475
Motion prevailed	976	Reported with amendments. . . .	877
Passed to third reading....	976	Amendments adopted	1318
Amendment withdrawn	976	Passed	1318, 1319
Passed	977		
Passed house	1925	349—By Farr. To amend section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s-eight (1527-s8), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to road funds.	
Enrolled	1974, 1975	Introduced and referred....	476
Signed by president.....	1976	Reported	601
Sent to governor.....	1976	Report adopted	777
		Passed	778, 779
343—By Taylor. To amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of the board of supervisors, by providing that no claim shall be allowed or paid unless it bears a reference to the law under which it is claimed.		350—By Fralley. To repeal the law as it appears in chapter two (2), three (3), and four (4), title six (6), of the code, and chapter two-A (2-A), excepting sections ten hundred eighty-seven-a one (1087-a1), ten hundred eighty-seven-a two (1087-a2), ten hundred eighty-seven-a three (1087-a3), ten hundred eighty-seven-a four (1087-a4), ten hundred eighty-seven-a ten	
Introduced and referred....	464		
Re-referred	1507		
344—By Taylor. To repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491) of the code, relating to the appointment and compensation of deputy county treasurers, and to enact a substitute therefor.			
Introduced and referred....	464		
Reported	853		
Made special order.....	853		
Report adopted.....	987		
Amended	988		
Passed	988		
Passed house.....	1966		
Enrolled	1986, 1987		
Signed by president.....	1989		
Sent to governor.....	1994		
345—By Thompson. To authorize the board of supervisors of Des Moines county to transfer all or part of an unexpended balance from the permanent road fund to the general county fund.			
Introduced and referred....	464		
346—By Grout. Providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan			

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(1087-a10), ten hundred eighty-seven-a eleven (1087-a11), ten hundred eighty-seven-a twenty-four-a (1087-a24-a), ten hundred eighty-seven-a thirty-six (1087-a36), ten hundred eighty-seven-a thirty-seven (1087-a37) ten hundred eighty-seven-a thirty-eight (1087-a38), ten hundred eighty-seven-a thirty-nine (1087-a39), ten hundred eighty-seven-a forty-two (1087-a42), ten hundred eighty-seven-a forty-six (1087-a46), and chapter three-A (3-A), title six (6), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor, relating to the method and conduct of elections.	
Introduced and referred....	476
Reported unfavorably.....	880
Indefinitely postponed.....	880
351—By Crist. To amend section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-one (2727-a-1), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the salary of members of the board of control.	
Introduced and referred....	481
Reported unfavorably.....	941
Indefinitely postponed.....	941
352—By Crist. Relative to certain public utilities, defining their duties, providing for a court procedure for the determination of controversies relative to their duties and their rights to operate in municipalities, and making provision for securing certain facts relative to services rendered by such public utilities and the cost thereof, and providing for the use of such facts by municipalities, etc.	
Introduced and referred....	481
Reported with substitute....	1052
Withdrawn from further consideration	1800
353—By Gillette. To prohibit the operation of trains of more than one-half mile in length, in railroad traffic, upon lines operated within the state of Iowa, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof.	
Introduced and referred....	481
Reported unfavorably.....	1409
Indefinitely postponed.....	1409
354—By Grout. Amending sections sixteen hundred eighty-three-a (1683-a), sixteen hundred eighty-three-c (1683-c), and repealing section sixteen	

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hundred eighty-three-e (1683-e), and enacting a substitute therefor, and repealing section sixteen hundred eighty-three-q (1683-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and authorizing the establishment of schools for teaching the science of agriculture, animal industry, horticulture, and domestic science in the counties of the state.	
Introduced and referred..	481, 482
Reported with amendments.....	855, 856
Amendments adopted	1259
Passed	1260
Passed house	1837
Enrolled	1895, 1896
Signed by president	1900
Sent to governor.....	1906
Approved by governor.....	1994
355—By Parker. Providing for the dismissal of actions and the right to bring the same a second time.	
Introduced and referred....	482
Reported unfavorably.....	865
Indefinitely postponed.....	865
356—By Parker. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-one hundred fifty-seven-g (2157-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to persons entitled to free transportation.	
Introduced and referred....	482
Reported unfavorably.....	566
Indefinitely postponed.....	566
357—By Hagemann. To repeal section two hundred ninety-seven (297), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	482
Reported with substitute..	849
Made special order.....	853
Considered	935
Made special order	935
Substitute adopted	973
Passed	975, 976
358—By Kimball. To amend section four thousand eleven (4011) relating to the exemption of personal earnings and to prevent garnishment of wages and regulating the same and providing a forfeiture for garnishment of wages without notice and while the debtor is paying any other judgment, and providing a method of procedure without costs in wage exemption cases.	

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Introduced and referred.	492, 493	363—By Thomas. To regulate the charging of demurrage by common carriers.	
Reported unfavorably.....	940	Introduced and referred....	495
Indefinitely postponed.....	941	Reported unfavorably.....	970
359—By Savage. To amend the law relating to the subjects to be taught in the public schools, as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-five-a (2775-a), supplement to the code, 1913.		Indefinitely postponed.....	970
Introduced and referred....	493	364—By Thomas. To amend section twenty hundred seventy-seven (2077) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to rates which may be charged by railway companies for transportation of passengers.	
Reported	1249	Introduced and referred....	496
Report adopted	1605	Reported unfavorably.....	972
Passed	1605	Indefinitely postponed.....	972
Passed house	1887	365—By Perkins. Repealing section two thousand seventy-seven (2077) of the code, as amended by chapter one hundred two (102) of the acts of the thirty-second general assembly, increasing passenger rates in the state of Iowa, and granting to the Iowa board of railroad commissioners additional powers as to fixing and determining the passenger rates for railroad carriers in Iowa	
Enrolled	1953, 1955	Introduced and referred....	496
Signed by president	1960	Re-referred	1507
Sent to governor.....	1963	366—By Chase. To amend section forty-six hundred three (4603) of the code by providing for the cross-examination of the adverse party to the record of any civil action or proceeding, or the agent or employee of said party or one in privity with such party, or a person for whose benefit an action or proceeding is prosecuted or defended, or directors, officers, superintendent, or managing agents of any corporation which is a party to the record, and providing that the party calling such witness shall not be bound by his testimony, and that the testimony of such witness may be rebutted by the party calling such witness by other evidence; all relating to evidence in civil actions and proceedings.	
360—By Henigbaum. To amend section five thousand seventy-one (5071) of the code, relating to the unlawful wearing of badges.		Introduced and referred....	496
Introduced and referred....	495	Reported unfavorably.....	1191
Reported	575, 576	Indefinitely postponed.....	1191
Report adopted	665	367—By Chase. To repeal section forty-six hundred sixty (4660) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the	
Passed	665, 666		
361—By Kimball. Providing for the construction by the board of control of extension of street paving of the city of Council Bluffs through the grounds of the Iowa school for the deaf.			
Introduced and referred....	495		
Reported with amendments.	1468		
Amendments adopted.....	1709		
Passed	1709		
House indefinitely postpones	1847		
362—By Allen. Providing for the organization and incorporation of home banks incorporated, defining the powers of the directors, specifying the nature and character of the investments to be made, limiting the liabilities of the stock holders, limiting the salaries to be paid its officers, limiting the dividends to be paid the stock holders, providing for the disposition of the surplus, making provision for the encouragement of home ownership and providing funds with which to make chattel loans and that class of loans now made by loan sharks.			
Introduced and referred....	495		
Reported unfavorably.....	1062		
Placed on calendar.....	1062		
Considered	1488		
Committee report rejected.	1488		
Passed	1489		
Failed to pass house.....	1887		

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distance witnesses in civil cases can be compelled to go to attend district or superior courts of the state.	
Introduced and referred....	497
Re-referred	1506
368—By Fleck. To amend the law as it appears in chapter one hundred thirty-eight (138) of the acts of the thirty-third general assembly, defining what constitutes a tight partition fence.	
Introduced and referred....	497
Reported with substitute....	1154
Substitute adopted.....	1563
Passed	1564
369—By Allen. To provide for submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval.	
Introduced and referred....	508
Reported	880
Made special order	1518
Withdrawn from further consideration	1658
370—By White of Iowa. To amend the law as it appears in section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judicial districts and the number of judges therein and to provide for two judges in the eighth judicial district.	
Introduced and referred....	509
Reported	983
Re-referred	983
Reported	1179
Withdrawn from further consideration	1430
371—By Wilson. To repeal section three thousand two hundred eighty-one (3281) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the disposition of property where the devisee dies before the testator.	
Introduced and referred....	509
Reported unfavorably.....	827
Indefinitely postponed.....	827
372—By Crist. To repeal section thirteen (13) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the compensation of the officers and employes of the general assembly, and providing for the number which may be employed.	
Introduced and referred....	514
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373—By Darrah. Relating to the erection of soldiers' monuments in parks or public squares.	
Introduced and referred....	514
Re-referred	1508
374—By Darrah. Enabling any elector to vote at any general, special, primary, county, city, or town election, when absent, or anticipating being absent, on the day of such election from the county in which he is an elector, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.	
Introduced and referred....	514
House requested to return.1288 (Evidently an error. Should be H. F. 374.)	
Re-referred	1508
375—By Whitmore. To amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-twenty-four (2215-f24), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-twenty-five (2215-f25), and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f-twenty-seven (2215-f27) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.	
Introduced and referred....	514
Reported with amendments. 909	
Amendments adopted	1276
Passed	1277
Passed house.....	1483
Enrolled	1564, 1566
Signed by president.....	1576
Sent to governor.....	1602
376—By Whitmore. To amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f ten (2215-f10), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f fifteen (2215-f15), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f seventeen (2215-f17), and to repeal section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f forty-three (2215-f43) and to enact a substitute therefor, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.	
Introduced and referred....	514
Reported with substitute....	908
Substitute adopted.....	1278
Passed	1278
Passed house	1484
Enrolled	1565, 1566
Signed by president.....	1576
Sent to governor.....	1602
Approved by governor.....	1652
377—By Whitmore. To amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f four (2215-f4) and section two thousand two hundred fif-	

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teen-f fourteen (2215-f14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.		sections twenty-seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), twenty-seven hundred sixty-eight (2768), and twenty-seven hundred sixty-nine (2769) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to abolish the office of school treasurer and provide that the county treasurer shall perform the duties of said officer.	
Introduced and referred....	515	Introduced and referred....	516
Reported	576	Reported with amendments. 750	
Report adopted.....	666	Amendments adopted.....	1117
Passed	666	Failed to pass.....	1117
Passed house.....	1243	Motion to reconsider filed..	1117
Enrolled	1417		
Signed by president.....	1432		
Sent to governor.....	1438		
Approved by governor.....	1506		
378—By Whitmore. To amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f thirty-one (2215-f31) and two thousand two hundred fifteen-f thirty-six (2215-f36), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.		381—By Heald. Empowering and directing the railroad commission of the state of Iowa to appoint an inspector; defining the duties of such inspector and fixing the salary.	
Introduced and referred....	515	Introduced and referred....	519
Reported with substitute... 741		Reported unfavorably.....	973
Substitute adopted.....	1047	Indefinitely postponed.....	973
Passed	1048		
Passed house.....	1237		
Enrolled	1417		
Signed by president.....	1432		
Sent to governor.....	1439		
Approved by governor.....	1506		
379—By Whitmore. To amend section two thousand two hundred fifteen-f forty-two (2215-f42), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.		382—By Heald. Legalizing the acts, contracts and proceedings of the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in relation to the location, construction of a dam, raceway and power house, in the Cedar river in said city.	
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Reported	983	Report adopted	1024
Report adopted.....	1277	Passed	1024
Passed	1277	Passed house	1098
Passed house	1598	Enrolled	1135
Enrolled	1672, 1673	Signed by president.....	1138
Signed by president.....	1679	Sent to governor.....	1148
Sent to governor.....	1701	Approved by governor.....	1177
Approved by governor.....	1749		
380—By Ream. To amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-seven hundred thirty-nine (2739), twenty-seven hundred fifty-four (2754), twenty-seven hundred sixty-two (2762), twenty-eight hundred and eight (2808), twenty-eight hundred and twelve-f (2812-f), and twenty-eight hundred and twenty-f (2820-f) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and sections twenty-seven hundred fifty-nine (2759), twenty-seven hundred sixty (2760), twenty-seven hundred sixty-six (2766), and twenty-eight hundred eleven (2811) of the code, and to repeal section twenty-eight hundred ten (2810) of the code, and		383—By Francis. To amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa.	
		Introduced and referred....	520
		384—By Lindly. To amend section six hundred sixty-nine (669) of chapter two (2) of the code, relative to salaries of councilmen, mayors, town clerks, city clerks and city auditors in cities of the first and second class and in towns.	
		Introduced and referred....	520
		Reported unfavorably.....	855
		Indefinitely postponed.....	855

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385—By Chase. To amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-eight (728) of the supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the number of library trustees, and reducing the number thereof from nine (9) to six (6).	
Introduced and referred....	521
Reported with amendments.	926
Amendments adopted. 1279,	1280
Passed	1280, 1281
Passed house	1712
Enrolled	1864, 1865
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1898
Approved by governor.....	1994
386—By Whitmore. To repeal section fifty-seven hundred nine (5709) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to insane criminals in the state penitentiaries.	
Introduced and referred....	539
Reported	927
Report adopted.....	1384
Amended	1384
Passed	1384
Passed house	1773
Enrolled	1827, 1828
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1960
Approved by governor.....	1994
387—By Whitmore. Appropriating \$336.79 in favor of D. A. Emery for expenses incurred by him in discharge of his duties while secretary of the state board of education and member of the finance committee, from September, 1909, to June, 1910, inclusive.	
Introduced and referred....	539
Re-referred	1507
388—By Wilson. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred fifty-four (2754), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the time of filing petitions for directors of school boards.	
Introduced and referred....	539
Reported with amendments	751
Amendments adopted.....	1076
Passed	1077
389—By White of Benton. To amend the law as it appears in title XII, chapter fourteen (14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the state veterinary surgeon.	
Introduced and referred....	539
390—By Hagemann. To provide for the acquisition of water supply for power house purposes by condemnation by interurban	

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railways, and making applicable to interurban railways sections nineteen hundred ninety-six (1996) and nineteen hundred ninety-seven (1997) of the code.	
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Motion to reconsider and lay on table lost....	1534
Motion to reconsider filed..	1620
Held out of order.....	1654
Passed house	1927
Enrolled	1975
Signed by president.....	1976
Sent to governor.....	1976
391—By Enger. To amend the law relating to the duties and compensation of the civil and sanitary engineer member of the state board of health as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-four (2564) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	539
Re-referred	1506
392—By Wilson. To amend section four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a five (4999-a5) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal of safety appliances on machinery.	
Introduced and referred....	547
Reported	744, 745
Report adopted	1026
Passed	1027
Passed house	1599
Enrolled	1672, 1674
Signed by president	1679
Sent to governor.....	1705
393—By Wilson. To amend section two thousand four hundred seventy (2470) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to amend section two thousand four hundred seventy-three (2473) of the code, relating to the duties of the commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics and relating to the meaning or definitions of the terms "factory," "mill," and other like terms.	
Introduced and referred....	547
Reported	744
Report adopted	1027
Passed	1027, 1028
Passed house.....	1598
Enrolled	1672, 1674
Signed by president.....	1679
Sent to governor.....	1704
Approved by governor.....	1749

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384—By Foster. To require railway corporations to use diligence in running trains in accordance with published schedules and time cards, and to require said corporations, operators, agents or person in charge of railroad, telegraph or telephone stations to report delayed trains, prescribing the method thereof, and providing penalties.		all sheriffs, police and peace officers, and all other officials charged with the care, supervision and jurisdiction over criminals, dangerous defectives and delinquents, in the collection of fingerprints and data relating to them.	
Introduced and referred....	548	Introduced and referred....	571
Re-referred	1507	Reported and re-referred	996, 997
		Reported unfavorably.....	1469
		Indefinitely postponed.....	1469
395—By Caswell. To repeal section forty-seven hundred seventy-five-3a (4775-3a), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact the following substitute therefor relating to the carrying of concealed weapons.		399—By Taylor. To amend section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a-eighty-four (2727-a-84), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the payment of expenses of patients of the sanatorium for tuberculosis.	
Introduced and referred....	548	Introduced and referred....	571
Reported	646	Reported with amendments.	863
Report adopted	719	Amendments adopted.1313, 1314	
Passed	720	Passed	1314
Approved by governor....	1749		
(Evidently an error.)		400—By Taylor. To repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to appointment and compensation of deputy clerks of the district court, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
396—By Taylor. To repeal sections thirteen hundred ninety-six (1396) and thirteen hundred ninety-seven (1397) of the code, relating to the county treasurer giving information as to taxes due, and to enact substitutes therefor.		Introduced and referred....	571
Introduced and referred....	548	Reported	852
Reported	813	Made special order.....	853
Report adopted	1081	Report adopted	985
Passed	1082	Amended	985, 986
		Passed	986, 987
397—By Taylor. To repeal sections thirteen hundred thirty-eight (1338) of the code, and thirteen hundred thirty-c (1330-c), and thirteen hundred forty-six-g (1346-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levy and collection of taxes on railroad, telegraph and telephone and express companies, and to enact substitutes therefor.		401—By Greene. To repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298) of the code supplement, 1913, relating to compensation of the deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	548	Introduced and referred....	571
Reported	1404	Reported unfavorably.....	1449
Report adopted.....	1706	Indefinitely postponed.....	1449
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398—By Sheean. To establish a bureau for the registration of criminals, dangerous defectives and delinquents by the finger-print method of identification, to provide for the employment of an operative skilled in the classification and filing of the same, and to require the co-operation and assistance of		402—By Gillette. To repeal sections two hundred fifty-four-a twenty (254-a20) and two hundred fifty-four-a twenty-a (254-a20a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the maintenance of dependent children, and providing for the payment of certain sums of money to the mother of such children when such mother is a widow, fixing certain restrictions regarding payment and creating a committee on supervision of applications	

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Reported without recommendation	1423
Withdrawn from further consideration	1576
403—By White of Iowa. To amend the law relating to the establishment of ditches, tile and other underground drains through the lands of others, as the same appears in section nineteen hundred fifty-nine (1959), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	572
Reported unfavorably.....	1429
Indefinitely postponed.....	1429
404—By Foster. To amend the law as it appears in section three hundred and eight (308) and three hundred and eight-a (308-a), supplement to the code, 1907, relating to the compensation of county attorneys.	
Introduced and referred..	572
Reported unfavorably.....	1450
Indefinitely postponed.....	1450
405—By Nye. To legalize certain warrants of the town of Lenox, Iowa.	
Introduced and referred.....	572, 573
Reported	831
Report adopted.....	1021
Passed	1021
Passed house.....	1084
Enrolled	1135
Signed by president.....	1138
Sent to governor.....	1148
Approved by governor.....	1177
406—By Whitmore. Adopting the "supplement to the code of Iowa, 1913", as the official publication of the laws of the state therein contained.	
Introduced and referred..	574
Reported unfavorably..	827, 828
Indefinitely postponed	828
407—By Whitmore. Authorizing the use of photographic processes in the making and copying of public records in the public offices of this state.	
Introduced and referred..	574
Reported	966
Report adopted.....	1363
Amended	1363
Failed to pass.....	1364
Motion to reconsider and lay on table lost.....	1365
Motion to reconsider filed..	1373
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408—By Kimball. To amend section seven hundred fifty-one (751) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to extension, improvement, and repair of streets, highways, avenues, alleys, public grounds, wharves, landings and market places and to the payment of the cost thereof.	
Introduced and referred...	583
Reported	1428
409—By Kimball. To amend the law as it appears in section ten hundred fifty-six-a-eleven (1056-a11) and ten hundred fifty-six-a-twelve (1056-a12), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to municipal accounting.	
Introduced and referred..	583
Reported	855
Report adopted	1260
Amended	1260, 1261
Passed	1261
410—By Larrabee. To repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven a-11 (2727-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or its secretary, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit.	
Introduced and referred...	583
Reported	941
Report adopted.....	1281
Passed	1281
Motion to reconsider filed..	1296
Withdrawn from further consideration	1296
411—By Larrabee. To amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a8 (1989-a8), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the letting of work for the construction of levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, and providing for bonds as protection for payment for same.	
Introduced and referred....	584
Reported	864
Report adopted.....	1262
Passed	1262, 1263
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Enrolled	1565, 1566
Signed by president.....	1576
Sent to governor.....	1602
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412—By Larrabee. To amend section fifty-six hundred sixty-three (5663), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to number of guards employed at the reformatory at Anamosa and the penitentiary at Fort Madison.	
Introduced and referred....	584
Re-referred	1506
413—By Chase. Relating to the burden of proof as to contributory negligence.	
Introduced and referred....	584
Reported	910
Amendment filed.....	1329
Amendments adopted.....	1529
Passed	1530
Passed house.....	1804
Enrolled	1894, 1896
Signed by president.....	1900
Sent to governor.....	1906
Approved by governor.....	1994
414—By Chase. To require all county engineers, employed in drainage or road work, and their assistants to file an itemized statement, under oath, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.	
Introduced and referred....	584
Reported with amendments.	981
Report adopted	1984
Passed	1285
Amended and passed house	1886
Senate concurs	1891, 1892
Enrolled	1971, 1972
Signed by president.....	1976
Sent to governor.....	1973
415—By Chase. To pension the survivors of the northern border brigade, providing the amount of said pensions, the method of payment, and making appropriation therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	584
416—By Perkins. Creating the state board of audit and defining its powers and duties.	
Introduced and referred..	584
Reported	967
Withdrawn from further consideration	1363
417—By Perkins. Prohibiting the sale, manufacturing for sale within this state, keeping for sale, having in possession, or soliciting orders for the sale of gambling devices, and providing a punishment therefor.	
Introduced and referred..	585
Reported unfavorably.....	866
Indefinitely postponed	866

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418—By Whitmore. Requiring common carriers of intoxicating liquor to keep a daily record of such shipments; prohibiting the delivery of such shipments unless so recorded; providing for inspection of such records by certain public officers designated; and making the failure to comply with the requirements of this act a misdemeanor.	
Introduced and referred..	592
Reported unfavorably.....	805
Placed on calendar.....	805
Made special order.....	858
Report of committee rejected	898
Amended	898
Passed	899
Passed house.....	1483
Enrolled	1565, 1566
Signed by president.....	1576
Sent to governor.....	1602
Approved by governor.....	1652
419—By Allen and Whitmore. To amend section twenty-four hundred nineteen (2419) of the code, and providing for seizure and confiscation of vehicles used in the transportation of intoxicating liquors for illegal purposes, and for forfeiture of such liquor.	
Introduced and referred..	592
Reported unfavorably	805
Placed on calendar.....	805
Made special order.....	858
Considered	899
Consideration deferred.....	899
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Report of committee rejected	912
Amended	912- 916
Passed	916
House strikes out enacting clause	1774
420—By Whitmore. Making it a misdemeanor for persons other than common carriers for hire to carry intoxicating liquors upon passenger vehicles, etc.	
Introduced and referred... 593	
Reported unfavorably	806
Placed on calendar.....	806
Made special order.....	858
Considered	922
Motion to lay on table lost	923
Committee report rejected.	923
Amended	923
Title amended	924
Passed	924
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Amended and passed house	1349, 1350
Senate concurs	1463
Enrolled	1524, 1525
Signed by president	1548
Sent to governor.....	1549
Approved by governor.....	1595

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421—By Whitmore. Providing punishment for persistent violators of the prohibitory liquor law.	
Introduced and referred..	593
Reported with amendments	806
Made special order	858
Amendments adopted.....	919
Passed	919
Amended and passed House	1350
Senate concurs	1464
Enrolled	1523, 1524
Signed by president.....	1548
Sent to governor.....	1549
Approved by governor.....	1595
422—By Whitmore. To amend section twenty-four hundred seven (2407) of the code, relating to injunctions and contempt proceedings for violations of the prohibitory liquor law.	
Introduced and referred....	593
Reported unfavorably.....	806
Placed on calendar.....	806
Made special order.....	858
Report of committee rejected	920
Passed	920
Amended and passed house	1350
Senate concurs	1465
Enrolled	1523, 1524
Signed by president.....	1548
Sent to governor.....	1549
Approved by governor.....	1595
423—By Whitmore. To amend section twenty-four hundred five (2405) of the code, relating to actions to abate and enjoin liquor nuisances.	
Introduced and referred....	593
Reported	807
Made special order.....	858
Report adopted.....	921
Passed	921
Amended and passed house	1050
Senate concurs.....	1462, 1463
Enrolled	1524, 1525
Signed by president.....	1548
Sent to governor.....	1549
Approved by governor.....	1595
424—By Whitmore. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-three hundred eighty-two (2382), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale, etc., of intoxicating liquors.	
Introduced and referred....	593
Reported unfavorably.....	807
Placed on calendar.....	807
Made special order.....	858
Report of committee rejected	875
Amended	875
Title amended.....	875
Passed	875
Passed house.....	1350
Enrolled	1469
Signed by president.....	1472
Approved by governor.....	1520

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425—By Wilson and Whitmore. Prohibiting the collection of, or attempt to collect, or solicitation for, payment within this state, for intoxicating liquor sold or shipped within this state for illegal purposes.	
Introduced and referred....	593
Reported	807, 808
Made special order.....	858
Report adopted.....	873
Passed	873, 874
Passed house.....	1350, 1351
Enrolled	1469
Signed by president.....	1472
Approved by governor.....	1520
426—By Whitmore. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-a (2461-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and extending the term "boot-legger" to include those who solicit, take, or accept orders for the sale, shipment, or delivery of intoxicating liquors contrary to law.	
Introduced and referred....	593
Reported unfavorably.....	808
Placed on calendar.....	808
Made special order.....	858
Considered	876
Consideration deferred	876
Committee report rejected..	897
Amended	898
Passed	898
Amended and passed house	1351
Senate concurs.....	1466
Enrolled	1523
Signed by president.....	1548
Sent to governor.....	1550
Approved by governor.....	1595
427—By Whitmore. To repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred thirty-five (2435), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to mulct tax, statement by citizens and enacting a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	594
Reported unfavorably.....	808
Placed on calendar.....	808
Made special order.....	858
Report of committee rejected	921
Amended	922
Passed	922
Passed house.....	1351
Enrolled	1470
Signed by president.....	1472
Approved by governor.....	1520
428—By Hagemann. To amend section thirteen hundred ten (1310), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the taxation of moneys and credits.	
Introduced and referred....	596
Reported unfavorably.....	1188
Indefinitely postponed.....	1188

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429—By Hagemann. Relating to the receiving and giving of tips or gratuities, and providing a penalty therefor.		433—By Balkema. To amend section twenty-two hundred forty-three (2243), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the appointment and compensation of stewards of county homes.	
Introduced and referred..	586	Introduced and referred..	597
Reported without recommendation	1004	Reported unfavorably.....	998
Considered	1381	Indefinitely postponed.....	999
Amended,	1381, 1382		
Passed	1382	434—By Wilson. To provide for the safety of people employed or assembling in certain buildings, and to charge owners and others with duties with reference thereto.	
Title amended	1382	Introduced and referred....	605
Motion to reconsider laid on table	1382	Reported	1008
Motion to reconsider filed	1456		
Motion to reconsider withdrawn	1506	435—By Eversmeyer. To amend section six hundred fifty-four (654), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of police matrons.	
Passed house.....	1687	Introduced and referred... 607	
Enrolled	1713	Reported	814
Signed by president.....	1722	Report adopted	1234
Sent to governor	1737	Passed	1234, 1235
Approved by governor....	1820		
430—By Thomas. To amend the law as it appears in section five thousand twenty-eight-b (5028-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to unfair discrimination between different sections, localities, communities, cities or towns in this state in any article of commerce.		436—By Savage. To repeal the law as it appears in sections one hundred forty-five (145), one hundred forty-six (146) and one hundred fifty-four (154) of the code relating to the office of custodian of public buildings and property, and to amend the law, as it appears in section one hundred forty-seven (147) of the code and section twenty-two hundred fifteen-f14 (2215-f14), twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-15 (2215-f-15) and twenty-two hundred fifteen-f-16 (2215-f-16), supplement to the code, 1913, to impose upon the adjutant general the powers and duties heretofore required to be exercised by the custodian of public buildings and property and to provide additional compensation for the adjutant general.	
Introduced and referred... 596		Introduced and referred..	629
Reported unfavorably.1411, 1412		Reported with amendments. 798	
Indefinitely postponed.....	1412	Amendments adopted.....	1022
		Amended	1022
431—By Savage. To repeal the law as it appears in sections twenty - five twenty-eight-e (2528-e), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e1 (2528 - e1), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e2 (2528 - e2), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e3 (2528-e3), twenty-five hundred twenty-eight - e4 (2528 - e4) and twenty-five hundred twenty-eight-e5 (2528-e5), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the sale of calcium carbide.		Reconsidered vote by which bill passed to third reading	1022
Introduced and referred.. 597		Amended	1023
Reported without recommendation	1422	Passed	1023
		Title amended	1023, 1024
432—By White of Benton. To amend section forty-eight hundred fifty-two (4852) of the code relating to the disposing of mortgaged property and providing a penalty for selling, concealing or otherwise disposing of property purchased under a conditional contract of sale.		Passed house.....	1399
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Signed by president.....	1679	Introduced and referred..	630
Sent to governor.....	1705	Reported unfavorably.....	1504
Approved by governor....	1749	Indefinitely postponed.....	1504
437—By Hagemann. To amend the law as it appears in sections ten hundred seventy-two (1072) and twenty-seven hundred forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election and compensation of a county superintendent of schools.		441—By Thompson. Relating to levees, drains, ditches, and water courses, additional to chapter two (2), title ten (X), of the code, and amendments thereto, and to chapter two-a (2-a), title ten (X), supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto and amending section one thousand nine hundred eighty-five-a (1985-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and amending section one thousand nine hundred eighty-six (1986) supplement to the code, 1913, and amending and additional to section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a52f (1989-a52f) supplement to the code, 1913, and additional to section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a52d (1989-a52d) supplement to the code, 1913.	
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Reported with amendments.	1248	Reported with amendments.	999
Amendments adopted.....	1607	Withdrawn from further consideration	1555
Passed	1607, 1608	442—By Ream. To legalize the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Wright, Mahaska county, Iowa.	
Title amended.....	1608	Introduced and referred	630-632
438—By Perkins. To amend section four thousand two hundred twenty-seven (4227), chapter four-a (4-a) of title twenty-one (21), supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a paragraph providing for payment of costs and expenses of restoring missing public records.		Reported unfavorably.....	910
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Reported	967	443—By Taylor. To repeal section two hundred ninety-six (296), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fees of the clerk of the district court, and enact a substitute therefor.	
Report adopted	1365	Introduced and referred....	632
Passed	1365, 1366	Reported unfavorably.....	1230
Amended and passed house.	1637	Indefinitely postponed.....	1230
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Enrolled	1713	Introduced and referred....	632
Signed by president.....	1722	Re-referred	1507
Sent to governor.....	1737	445—By Caswell. To amend sections twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b (2734-b), and twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b1 (2734-b1), supplement to the	
Approved by governor....	1820		
439—By Kimball. To amend section one hundred thirty-six (136) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the publication of the Iowa academy of sciences.			
Introduced and referred..	630		
Reported	980		
Report adopted	1285		
Passed	1285		
Passed house	1888		
Enrolled	1953, 1955		
Signed by president.....	1960		
Sent to governor.....	1963		
440—By Kimball. To authorize boards of park commissioners of cities having a population of over twenty-five thousand (25,000) to locate and acquire single blocks of ground in different parts of such city for public play grounds and public squares for park purposes; to establish a park district comprising property benefited thereby			

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code, 1913, relating to qualifications of county superintendents, and the method of filling vacancies in the office of county superintendent.	
Introduced and referred....	632
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 446—By Arney. To amend section twenty-six hundred-1 (2600-1), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of dentistry.	
Introduced and referred....	633
Reported with amendments	846
Amendments adopted.....	1511
Failed to pass.....	1511
Motion to reconsider filed..	1551
 447—By committee on fish and game. To repeal the law relating to the care and propagation of fish and the protection of birds and game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), twenty-five hundred forty-a (2540-a), twenty-five hundred forty-four (2544), twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), twenty-five hundred fifty-four (2554), twenty-five hundred fifty-five (2555), twenty-five hundred fifty-six (2556), twenty-five hundred fifty-nine (2559), twenty-five hundred sixty-two (2562) and twenty-five hundred sixty-two-a (2562-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	636, 637
Considered	785
Amended	785
Referred	785
Reported with amendment.	967
Amendments adopted	1265, 1266
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Enrolled	1865, 1867
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1897
Approved by governor.....	1994
 448—By Schrup. To amend section four hundred ten (410), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors.	
Introduced and referred..	637
Reported	1230
Report adopted.....	1587
Passed	1587
Passed house.....	1889
Enrolled	1953, 1954
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449—By Hagemann. Authorizing the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, prescribing the method of granting the authority therefor, the regulation of such traffic, and the punishment for the violation of the provisions of this act.	
Introduced and referred...	637
Reported	809
Report adopted.....	1510
Motion to defer lost.....	1510
Failed to pass.....	1511
 450—By Allen. To amend the law as it appears in section two thousand ninety-one-c (2091-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of districts and the voting of taxes to construct any trolley, or electrified railroad, or to electrify any steam railroad.	
Introduced and referred...	637
Reported	1040
Report adopted	1387
Failed to pass	1388
 451—By Crist. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the organization of consolidated independent districts.	
Introduced and referred..	638
Reported and re-referred..	1005
Reported unfavorably.....	1253
Indefinitely postponed.....	1254
 452—By Crist. To amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the approval of securities to be deposited with the commissioner of insurance.	
Introduced and referred..	638
Reported with amendments.	879
Amendments adopted.....	1271
Passed	1271, 1272
Passed house.....	1751
Enrolled	1865, 1867
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1897
Approved by governor.....	1994
 453—By Doran. To protect the live stock interests of this state against the spread of infectious, contagious, or other diseases among live stock.	
Introduced and referred....	638
Reported unfavorably.	828, 829
Placed on calendar.....	829
Considered	1298
Report of committee re-jected	1299

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454—By Perkins. To amend section twenty-eight hundred twelve-c (2812-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to school funding bonds.	
Introduced and referred...	638
Reported	752
Report adopted.....	1045
Passed	1046
455—By Francis. To legalize the construction of a combined municipal electric light and water works system in and by the town of Lu Verne, Iowa, and bonds issued for that purpose and the resolution, acts and proceedings relating to the authorization of the construction of such plant and the issuing of such bonds.	
Introduced and referred....	639
Reported	894, 895
Report adopted.....	1273
Passed	1273
Passed house.....	1572
Enrolled	1673, 1674
Signed by president.....	1679
Sent to governor.....	1705
Approved by governor.....	1749
456—By Francis. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-eight (2578), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the cancellation of certificates of physicians for unprofessional conduct and defining the same.	
Introduced and referred....	640
Reported	970
Report adopted.....	1286
Passed	1286, 1287
457—By Francis. To prescribe the conditions and restrictions under which public vaults, crypts or mausoleums for the permanent entombment of human bodies, may be constructed, and fixing penalties for failure to comply therewith.	
Introduced and referred....	640
Reported unfavorably..	854, 855
Indefinitely postponed.....	855
458—By Foskett. To amend section two hundred sixty-one (261), chapter six (6), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to changes of venue from superior courts, on grounds of non-residence.	
Introduced and referred....	640
Re-referred	1506

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459—By Taylor. To repeal the law as the same appears in section 409-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the care of charity patients in the advanced stages of tuberculosis, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	657
Reported unfavorably.....	1451
Indefinitely postponed.....	1451
460—By Helmer. To authorize soldiers' relief commissions to procure and furnish metal markers for the graves of soldiers, sailors or marines, and to pay for the same out of the soldiers' relief funds.	
Introduced and referred....	657
Reported	909
Report adopted.....	1274
Passed	1274
Passed house.....	1925
Enrolled	1986, 1987
Signed by president.....	1989
Sent to governor.....	1993
461—By White of Benton. To amend section one hundred sixty-four (164), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the executive council.	
Introduced and referred... 657	
Reported and re-referred..	1333
Re-referred	1506
462—By Grout. To amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section seven hundred fifty-eight (758) of the code, and sections seven hundred fifty-eight-a (758-a), seven hundred fifty-eight-d (758-d) and seven hundred fifty - eight - e (758-e) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred... 657	
Reported	1146
Withdrawn from further consideration	1558
463—By Kimball. To amend the law relating to the duties of county attorneys as the same appears in section three hundred one (301) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred.. 657	
Reported unfavorably.....	1036
Indefinitely postponed.....	1036
464—By Kimball. To amend section three hundred eight (308) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and relating to the compensation of county attorneys.	

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Introduced and referred..	657	Enrolled	1986, 1987
Reported unfavorably.....	1451	Signed by president.....	1989
Indefinitely postponed.....	1451	Sent to governor....	1994
465—By Darrah. To repeal the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred thirty - four - b - six (2634-b6), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the examination of candidates for graduation from the normal training course.		470—By Lindly. To amend section three hundred and thirty-three (333) of the code relative to exemption from jury duty.	
Introduced and referred...	658	Introduced and referred...	659
Reported	751	Reported unfavorably.....	826
Considered	1075	Indefinitely postponed.....	826
Passed	1076	471—By Lindly. To amend section one thousand and seventy-two (1072), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the election of coroner.	
Passed house	1294	Introduced and referred....	659
Enrolled	1416	Reported	862
Signed by president.....	1432	Report adopted.....	1261
Sent to governor.....	1439	Failed to pass.....	1261, 1262
Approved by governor....	1506	472—By Lindly. To amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of board of supervisors.	
466—By Fralley. To amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-six (726) of the code relating to municipal bonds.		Introduced and referred... 659	
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Reported	814	Report adopted.....	1262
Withdrawn from further consideration	1224	Withdrawn from further consideration	1262
467—By Fralley. To legalize the incorporation acts and proceedings of the Baker-Dodge Theatre company of Keokuk, Lee county, Iowa.		473—By Eversmeyer. To amend section two hundred twenty-seven (227), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the division of the state into judicial districts and the election of judges.	
Introduced and referred 658, 659		Introduced and referred....	673
Reported	895	Re-referred	1506
Report adopted	1083	474—By Kimball. To amend an act of the Thirty-sixth General Assembly, entitled an act to amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred thirty-seven (937) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities, being house file forty-five (45).	
Amended	1083	Introduced and referred....	674
Passed	1083, 1084	Reported	768
Passed house.....	1398	Report adopted.....	1121
Enrolled	1523	Laid on table.....	1121
Signed by president.....	1548	475—By Crist. Requiring manufacturers and dealers selling road building machinery and equipment, and metal culverts, and all other road building material, not of a general character, to townships and counties of Iowa, to take out a license; and to authorize the state high-	
Sent to governor	1549		
Approved by governor....	1595		
468—By Thomas. To amend section six hundred eighty-three (683) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the adoption of ordinances and resolutions.			
Introduced and referred....	659		
Re-referred	1508		
469—By Thomas. Amending section one thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (1258) code of 1897, relating to removal of municipal officers.			
Introduced and referred..	659		
Reported	828		
Report adopted.....	1077		
Amended	1077		
Passed	1078		
Title amended.....	1078		
Passed house.....	1949		

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way commission to grant such license, and to fix the fees therefor, and the terms and conditions of such license.	
Introduced and referred....	674
Withdrawn from further consideration	1430
 476—By Thompson. To provide for the branding and labeling of mattresses and comforts, and to provide against the use of unsanitary, unhealthy, old or second-hand material in the manufacture of mattresses and comforts and to provide against the sale of mattresses or comforts containing such unsanitary, unhealthy, old or second-hand material.	
Introduced and referred....	674
Reported	1447
 477—By Larrabee. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred eighty - nine - twelve - a (2489-12a), supplement to the code, 1913, requiring the owner, lessee, operator or person in charge of a mine to file annual reports of accidents.	
Introduced and referred..	674
Reported	1055
Report adopted	1440
Passed	1440, 1441
Title amended.....	1440
Passed house.....	1914
Enrolled	1985, 1988
Signed by president.....	1989
Sent to governor.....	1993
 478—By Thomas. To amend the law relating to the voting of taxes in aid of railroads, as the same appears in sections two thousand ninety - one - b (2091-b) and two thousand ninety-one-c (2091 -c), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred...	674
Reported unfavorably.....	971
Indefinitely postponed.....	971
 479—By Foster. To amend the law relating to the powers of banks and trust companies, as the same appears in section eighteen hundred eighty-nine-d (1889-d), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred...	695
Reported	744
Report adopted	1079
Passed	1079, 1080
Passed house.....	1399
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Signed by president.....	1548
Sent to governor.....	1549
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 480—By Perkins. To repeal section ten hundred fifty-six-a eleven (1056-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to examiners of municipal accounts.	
Introduced and referred...	695
Re-referred	1612
 481—By Perkins. To amend sections one hundred-a (100-a), one hundred-b (100-b), one hundred-c (100-c), and one hundred-d (100-d), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to state examiners for counties and municipalities, examination of offices and accounts, and uniform systems of accounting for counties and municipalities.	
Introduced and referred....	695
Reported unfavorably.....	1425
Indefinitely postponed.....	1426
 482—By Voorhees. To require railway companies to protect pedestrians and others traveling in the streets and public highways crossing the track of said railway company at grade.	
Introduced and referred...	695
Re-referred	1507
 478—By Thomas. To amend the as it appears in section four hundred forty-eight (448) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the rate of tax for the erection of public buildings.	
Introduced and referred....	696
Reported	883
Report adopted.....	1319
Passed	1319
Passed house.....	1687
Enrolled	1713
Signed by president.....	1722
Sent to governor.....	1737
Approved by governor.....	1820
 484—By Francis. To regulate the sale of alcohol to registered pharmacists, physicians, veterinarians, hospitals, colleges and certain manufacturers and repealing sections 2385, 2387, 2389, 2391, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399 and 2401 of the code and the law as it appears in sections 2386, 2388, 2390, 2393, 2394, 2400, 2401, 2401-a, 2401-b, 2401-c,	

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2401-d, 2401-e, and 2401-f of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the issuance of permits to registered pharmacists for the sale of intoxicating liquors.		489—By Francis. To legalize the acts and proceedings of the city council of the city of Emmetsburg, Iowa, relative to the permanent improvement of certain streets therein and the contract entered into for said improvement, and assessment of benefits to be made against property benefited thereby.	
Introduced and referred...	696	Introduced and referred.	726-728
Reported unfavorably.....	1171	Reported	896
Placed on calendar.....	1171	Report adopted.....	1020
Motion to make special order lost	1470	Passed	1020
Made special order.....	1567	Passed house.....	1098
Considered	1659	Enrolled	1206
Report adopted	1659	Signed by president.....	1207
Indefinitely postponed.....	1659	Sent to governor.....	1210
Motion to reconsider filed..	1670		
485—By retrenchment and reform committee. Creating the office of state document editor prescribing the method of selecting the state document editor, fixing his salary and defining his duties.		490—By Francis. Regulating the sale and use of certain habit forming drugs; defining the same; prohibiting unlawful possession of the same; providing for the keeping of records and making report; providing for labelling of containers; providing for issuing of licenses; providing for issuing prescriptions by health physicians; providing for the commitment and treatment of drug patients to public hospitals; providing for the revoking of licenses of licensees who are addicted to the use of the drugs mentioned or for violations of this act; providing for the enforcing of this act; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act and repealing laws in conflict therewith.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	706	Introduced and referred....	728
H. F. 594 substituted for S. F. 485	1044	Re-referred	1506
Withdrawn from further consideration	1367		
486—By Thomas. To amend section twenty-five hundred ninety-six (2596) of the code, relating to the practice of pharmacy.		491—By Hagemann. Regulating the appointment of receiver for a fraternal beneficiary society.	
Introduced and referred ..	706	Introduced and referred....	733
Reported	1405	Reported	1034
Report adopted	1877	Report adopted.....	1485
Passed	1878	Passed	1485
487—By Thomas. To amend section twenty-seven hundred ninety-four-a (2794-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to formation of consolidated school districts.		Amended and passed house.	1774
Introduced and referred....	706	Senate concurs.....	1797, 1798
Reported unfavorably.....	1005	Enrolled	1865, 1867
Indefinitely postponed.....	1005	Signed by president.....	1869
		Sent to governor.....	1897
488—By Jones. To amend paragraph nine (9) of section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.		Approved by governor.....	1994
Introduced and referred....	726		
Reported	998	492—By Hagemann. To amend section seventeen hundred ninety-eight-b (1798-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to fraternal beneficiary societies.	
Report adopted.....	1086	Introduced and referred....	733
Further consideration deferred	1086	Reported	1034
Consideration resumed.....	1383	Report adopted.....	1441
Amended	1383	Passed	1441
Passed	1383		
Passed house.....	1803		
Enrolled	1895, 1896		
Signed by president.....	1900		
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Enrolled	1953, 1955
Signed by president.....	1960
Sent to governor.....	1963
 493—By Jackson. To establish the standard width and to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of standard width draft sleighs, and to provide penalty for violation thereof.	
Introduced and referred....	733
Reported unfavorably....	981, 982
Indefinitely postponed.....	982
 494—By Foskett. To amend section forty-seven hundred sixty (4760) of the code relating to enticing a female child for the purpose of prostitution.	
Introduced and referred....	733
Reported	830, 831
Report adopted.....	1255
Passed	1256
 495—By Foskett. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred eighty (2780), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the system of the common school and requiring monthly publication of expenditures made by certain schools.	
Introduced and referred....	733
Reported with substitute....	1249
Substitute adopted.....	1603
Passed	1603
Title amended.....	1603
 496—By White of Benton. To legalize the acts of the incorporated town of Gladbrook, Iowa, in voting to purchase or erect an electric light and power plant in said town and as a part thereof, a transmission line from the incorporated limits of said town to a junction with the High Potential Transmission Line of the Iowa Railway and Light Company extending between the towns of Marshalltown and Tama; to issue the bonds of said town in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of procuring funds for the purchase or erection of such light and power plant and transmission line; and to sell such plant to the Iowa Railway and Light Company.	
Introduced and referred. 734-	737
Reported	896
Report adopted.....	1081
Passed	1081
Passed house.....	1269
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Signed by president.....	1432
Sent to governor.....	1438
Approved by governor.....	1506
 497—By Helmer. To restrict and regulate the use of hog cholera virus or blood drawn from an animal suffering from hog cholera or swine plague; to provide for the quarantine of premises where hog cholera virus has been used in the simultaneous treatment for hog cholera or swine plague; to provide for the quarantining of premises where hog cholera or swine plague has been found to exist within the limits of the state of Iowa.	
Introduced and referred....	737
Re-referred	1613
 498—By Crist. To validate the organization of the consolidated independent school district of Norwalk, in Warren county, Iowa, and proceedings taken to authorize the issuance of bonds of said district in the amount of \$25,000.	
Introduced and referred. 737-	740
Reported	865
Report adopted	1085
Passed	1085
Passed house.....	1294
Enrolled	1416
Signed by president.....	1432
Sent to governor.....	1439
Approved by governor.....	1506
 499—By Jones. To repeal section twenty-seven forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of county superintendents.	
Introduced and referred....	763
Reported unfavorably.....	1231
Indefinitely postponed.....	1231
 500—By Clarkson. To provide for the erection of a memorial hall for the use and benefit of the members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Women's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Sons and Daughters of Veterans, the Sons and Daughters of Veterans of the American Revolution, Spanish War Veterans and other patriotic associations.	
Introduced and referred....	763
Reported unfavorably.....	1059
Indefinitely postponed.....	1060
 501—By Francis. Amending the law as it appears in sections two thousand seven hundred ninety-four-a	

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(2794-a) to two thousand seven hundred ninety-four-g (2794-g), inclusive, relating to consolidated independent school districts, extending state aid to school townships under certain conditions.		Introduced and referred....	789
		Reported unfavorably.....	1425
		Indefinitely postponed.....	1425
Introduced and referred....	788	506—By Arney. To require common carriers operating freight trains within the state of Iowa to carry passengers in cabooses on certain conditions.	
Reported unfavorably.....	1248	Introduced and referred....	789
Indefinitely postponed.....	1249	Reported with amendments.	1411
502—By Perkins. To amend section twenty-four hundred seventy-nine-a (2479-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-four hundred eighty (2480) of the code; to repeal sections twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-c (2489-c) and twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-e (2489-e), supplement to the code, 1913, to enact substitutes therefor, relating to the state board of mine examiners, their compensation, duties, powers and rules.		Amendments adopted.....	1884
Introduced and referred....	788	Passed	1885
Re-referred	1507	507—By Allen. To authorize judges of the district courts of the state of Iowa to assume jurisdiction of corporations on the showing of a minority stockholder or stockholders that the property is being wasted or managed in such manner as to interfere with the property rights of the minority stockholder.	
503—By Parker. To amend the law as it appears in chapter seventeen-b (17-b) of title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the practice of optometry, providing for the creation of a board of examiners in optometry, regulating the practice of optometry, and providing penalties for the violation of said chapter.		Introduced and referred....	795
Introduced and referred....	788	Reported unfavorably.	1334, 1335
Reported with amendments.	1039	Indefinitely postponed.....	1335
Amendments adopted.....	1479	508—By Farr. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-i (2477-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the regulation of employment agencies and bureaus.	
Passed	1479	Introduced and referred....	823
504—By Parker. Authorizing cities and towns to license, regulate, prevent or prohibit the erection, maintenance or display of sign boards, bill boards and offensive advertisements and advertising matter, and repealing section seven hundred-b (700-b), supplement to the code, 1913.		Reported	1290, 1291
Introduced and referred....	788	Report adopted	1547
505—By Parker. Authorizing the creation of an emergency street cleaning fund and the use of the same in cities of the first class, including cities acting under the commission plan of government, and providing for the levying of a tax and the issuance of certificates anticipating the same.		Passed	1547
		509—By Boe. Providing for the organization of co-operative independent school districts, providing state aid for such districts, and making an appropriation therefor.	
		Introduced and referred....	823
		Reported and re-referred.	1249
		510—By Parker. To provide for the establishment of a department of bee keeping in the department of agriculture in the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.	
		Introduced and referred.	823, 824
		Re-referred	1613
		511—By Parker. To amend sections twenty-four hundred seventy-nine-a (2479-a), twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-c (2489-c), twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-d (2489-d), twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-e (2489-e) and twenty-four hundred eighty-nine-f (2489-f), supplement to the code,	

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1913, relating to the duties, compensation, etc., of the board of examiners of engineers and firemen.	
Introduced and referred....	824
Reported unfavorably.....	1146, 1147
Indefinitely postponed.....	1147
512—By committee on public libraries. To amend section two thousand eight hundred eighty-eight-h (2888-h) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa library commission.	
Introduced and referred....	835
513—By Chase. To reimburse certain claimants for services rendered while members of the state board of health.	
Introduced and referred....	838
Reported and re-referred..	997
514—By Robinson. To repeal section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a44 (2727-a44), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to contingent funds at state institutions under the board of control.	
Introduced and referred....	838
Reported with amendments.	940
Amendments adopted.....	1281, 1282
Passed	1282
Passed house	1888
(No amendments noted in house message.)	
Senate concurs in house amendments	1931
Enrolled	1954, 1956
Signed by president	1960
Sent to governor.....	1964
515—By Arney. To make uniform the law of sales of goods.	
Introduced and referred....	838
Reported	1253
Report adopted	1595
Motion for third reading, lost	1596
516—By Voorhees. To legalize the establishment and location of the standpipe in the public street of the city of Harlan, Iowa.	
Introduced and referred....	839
Reported	1007
Report adopted	1086
Passed	1087
Recalled from house.....	1736
Received	1773
517—By Taylor. To amend section five thousand seven-c (5007-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the use of cigarettes by minors.	

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Introduced and referred....	839
Reported	1153
Report adopted	1583
Passed	1584
518—By White of Iowa. To amend the law as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred twenty-seven-h (2627-h), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the superintendent of public instruction and his deputy.	
Introduced and referred....	839
Reported unfavorably.....	1448
Indefinitely postponed.....	1448
519—By committee on retrenchment and reform. Creating a department of social progress, a department of industries, and a department of public safety, and providing for the appointment of superintendents thereof and prescribing the rights, powers, duties and compensation of the superintendents of these departments; creating a governor's advisory board and transferring to the said board all the powers, rights and duties of the executive council, abolishing the executive council, providing for the filing of reports and the editing and publishing thereof, creating an official budget, transferring to the superintendent of the department of public safety all present duties of the secretary of state relating to the registration of motor vehicles and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.	
Introduced and referred....	840
Reported unfavorably	1467
Indefinitely postponed.....	1468
520—By Crist. To legalize a certain school election held February 6, 1915, for the organization of the consolidated independent district of Beech, in Warren county, Iowa.	
Introduced and referred.	840, 841
Reported	1065
Withdrawn from further consideration	1430
521—By Kimball. To amend section thirty-two hundred seventy (3270) of the code and relating to a husband's interest in a devise of real estate by will.	
Introduced and referred....	860
Reported unfavorably.....	1189
Indefinitely postponed.....	1189

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522—By Kimball. To amend sections thirteen hundred thirty-four (1334), thirteen hundred thirty-four-a (1334-a), thirteen hundred thirty-seven (1337) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section thirteen hundred thirty-eight (1338) of the code; and to enact a substitute therefor and all relating to the assessment and taxation of railways and to requirements of railway companies and duties of officers in connection therewith.		cent per month, and to provide a penalty therefor.	
Introduced and referred.	860, 861	Introduced and referred....	883
Reported unfavorably.....	1410	Reported with amendments.	910
Indefinitely postponed.....	1410	Amendments adopted.....	1530
523—By Kimball. To put quarantine officers under the civil service law contained in chapter 2-a, title five (5) of the supplement to the code, 1913.		Amended	1530
Introduced and referred....	861	Title amended.....	1531
Reported unfavorably.....	1426	Passed	1531
Indefinitely postponed.....	1426	Amended and passed house.	1806
524—By Kimball. To prohibit a city or town from employing as an engineer any person, firm or corporation interested in the public work or improvement to which such engineering work relates.		Senate concurs.....	1899, 1900
Introduced and referred....	861	Enrolled	1985
Reported	1007	Signed by president.....	1989
Report adopted	1287	Sent to governor.....	1993
Passed	1287	528—By committee on ways and means. Creating the office of state tax commissioner; determining his powers and duties; requiring assessment reports to be made to said officer and providing the means and appropriations for expenditures incident to said office.	
525—By Perkins. To limit the compensation of public officers and employes to the salaries allowed them by law and to prevent the payment to them of additional sums and to punish the claiming or receiving of such additional sums.		Introduced and referred....	884
Introduced and referred....	861	529—By committee on ways and means. Creating the office of county assessor and defining the powers and duties of the same.	
Reported and placed on calendar	1037	Introduced and placed on calendar	884
Considered	1479	Considered	1532
Passed	1480	Failed to pass.....	1532, 1533
526—By Francis. To amend the law as it appears in section 2757 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to organization of boards of directors of consolidated independent school districts.		530—By Helmer. Providing that no contract, deed or other instrument conveying any portion of an unplatted tract within the corporate limits of any city or town shall be recorded unless a plat of said tract has been approved by the city council and recorded in the county where such real estate is situated, and providing that if any such instrument is recorded without such plat being so approved and recorded, that the same shall not be constructive notice of such instrument.	
Introduced and referred....	861	Introduced and referred....	884
Reported unfavorably.....	1006	Re-referred	1612
Indefinitely postponed.....	1006	531—By Ream. To provide for the establishment of a district custodial farm for the detention, treatment and employment of persons convicted of crime, to make provisions for the control and management thereof, including the parole of said inmates and a penalty for a violation of said parole or for escaping from said custodial farm, and further fixing a penalty for anyone who aids or assists an inmate to	
527—By Thompson. To punish loan agents and others for receiving a greater rate of interest than two per			

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escape from said custodial farm; to provide what persons convicted of crime shall be kept thereon, and to make an appropriation therefor.	
Introduced and referred...	890
532—By Parker. To amend the law fixing the highest amount of indebtedness to which corporations may become subject, as it appears in section sixteen hundred eleven (1611) of the code.	
Introduced and referred...	890
Reported	1335
Amendments filed.....	1456
Report adopted.....	1640
Amended.....	1640
Passed	1640
Passed house.....	1805
Enrolled	1895, 1896
Signed by president.....	1900
Sent to governor.....	1906
Approved by governor.....	1994
533—By committee on military affairs. The repeal the law as it appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the levying of a tax for relief of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, and their indigent wives, widows and their minor children, and the erection or maintenance of monuments or memorial halls for soldiers and sailors.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	903
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Considered	1493
Amended	1493
Passed	1494
Passed house.....	1774
Enrolled	1826, 1827
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1960
534—By Fralley. To amend section two hundred twenty-eight of the code relating to terms of the district court.	
Introduced and referred....	904
Reported	1000
Report adopted.....	1380
Passed	1381
535—By Fralley. To provide the effect of a breach of warranty in a deed or other instruments and providing a remedy and damages therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	904
Re-referred	1506

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536—By Jackson. To amend the law as it appears in section thirty-one hundred ninety-seven (3197) of the code relating to the giving of bonds by guardians and the approval of such bonds by the court.	
Introduced and referred....	904
Reported unfavorably	1253
Indefinitely postponed	1253
537—By Chase. To amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q), supplement to the code, 1913, and reduce the maximum amount of the state levies and to reduce the amount levied for capitol extension purposes by amending section fourteen hundred-t (1400-t), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Introduced and referred....	904
Reported with amendments.....	1404
Amendments filed.....	1724
538—By Chase. To amend sections thirteen hundred three (1303), twenty-two hundred forty-seven (2247), twenty-three hundred eight (2308) and fifteen hundred thirty (1530), supplement to the code, 1913, reducing the maximum of tax levies for county purposes.	
Introduced and referred....	904
Re-referred	1507
Considered	1873
Failed to pass.....	1874
539—By Chase. To repeal section one eighty-one (181), supplement to the code, 1913, in reference to the committee on retrenchment and reform and their duties.	
Introduced and referred....	905
Reported and re-referred....	975
Reported	1035
Report adopted.....	1441
Motion to defer lost.....	1441
Failed to pass.....	1442
540—By Parker. To amend section nine hundred thirty-two-n, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen.	
Introduced and referred....	905
Reported	1426
Report adopted.....	1878
Passed	1878, 187
541—By Parker. To amend section twenty-four hundred seventy-seven-m (2477-m), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability and workmen's compensation.	

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Introduced and referred....	905	Passed	1267
Reported	1034	Passed house.....	1515
Report adopted	1485	Enrolled	1632, 1633
Amended	1485	Signed by president.....	1652
Passed	1486	Sent to governor.....	1653
542—By Parker. To amend section nine hundred thirty-two-e (932-e), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to pensions for disabled and retired firemen.		Approved by governor.....	1711
Introduced and referred....	905	548—By Gillette. To repeal sec- tion twenty-five hundred fifty-one (2551), of the code, and section twenty- five hundred fifty-one (2551), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the protection of certain game, and fixing certain seasons, methods and restrictions relating to hunting and killing game, and enacting a substitute therefor.	
Re-referred	1508	Introduced and referred....	938
543—By Hagemann. To amend section five thousand five (5005) of the code, relat- ing to the sale of tobacco to minors.		549—By Clarkson. To amend sec- tion thirty-five hundred forty-three (3543), supple- ment to the code, 1913, relating to indexing the names of parties named in petitions affecting real es- tate.	
Introduced and referred....	924	Introduced and referred....	938
Reported	1153	Reported	1252
Report adopted.....	1581	Report adopted.....	1596
Passed	1582	Passed	1596
544—By Grout. To amend the law relating to normal insti- tutes as same appears in section twenty-seven hun- dred thirty-eight (2738), supplement to the code, 1913.		550—By Eversmeyer. To repeal section seven hundred forty-nine (749) of the code of 1897, and to enact a substitute therefor pro- viding for the fixing of water rates by the water works trustees and the city council.	
Introduced and referred....	925	Introduced and referred....	953
Reported	1448	Re-referred	1613
Report adopted.....	1875	551—By Taylor. To amend the law as it appears in sec- tion four hundred and eighty-b (480-b), supple- ment to the code, 1913, relating to the report of financial statistics by county auditors to the auditor of state.	
Passed	1876	Introduced and referred....	954
545—By Thomas. To amend sec- tion nineteen hundred and eighty-nine-a-two (1989- a2), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the establishment of drainage districts.		Reported unfavorably.....	1449
Introduced and referred....	925	Indefinitely postponed.....	1449
Reported unfavorably.....	1423	552—By Taylor. To amend section one hundred-a (100-a) and one hundred-d (100- d), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state examiners for coun- ties.	
Indefinitely postponed.....	1423	Introduced and referred....	954
546—By Helmer. To amend sec- tion ten hundred eighty- seven-a-ten (1087-a10), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filing of nomination papers, affi- davits, and statements by candidates for office at primary elections.		Reported with amendments.....	1421
Introduced and referred....	937	Re-referred	1421
Re-referred	1508	553—By Taylor. To amend the law as it appears in sec- tion twenty-seven hundred and forty-two (2742), supplement to the code,	
547—By Gillette. To amend an act passed by the thirty-sixth general assembly and ap- proved on the twelfth day of February, 1915, and en- titled "A bill for an act legalizing certain bonds of, and certain acts and proceedings by the board of directors of the inde- pendent school district of Cherokee, county of Cherokee, and state of Iowa."		Introduced and referred....	938
Introduced and referred....	938	Reported	1188
Reported	1188	Report adopted	1266
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1913, relating to expense of county superintendent.	
Introduced and referred.....	954
Reported	1420
554—By Chase. To repeal section forty-six hundred twenty-three (4623), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relative to the introduction of books of account, account tickets, cards of account, account slips, loose leaf accounts and any other method of keeping accounts in evidence.	
Introduced and referred....	954
Re-referred	1506
555—By committee on appropriations. To repeal the law as it appears in section fourteen hundred-r (1400-r), section fourteen hundred-r-one (1400-r1), and section fourteen hundred-r-two (1400-r2), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor making appropriation for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings, for appurtenances and connections thereto, for furniture, fixtures and furnishings, for the purchase of land, for the purchase of live stock, farm machinery and equipment, for establishing and maintaining industries, and for improvements, equipment and appliances needed in any or all of the institutions hereinafter named, to-wit: Iowa Soldiers' Home, Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' Home, School for the Deaf, Institution for Feeble-minded Children, State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis, State Industrial Schools, State Hospitals, State Penitentiary, Reformatory, Iowa Industrial Reformatory for Females, District Custodial Farm, and State Colony for Epileptics.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	954, 955
Considered	1370
Consideration deferred	1370
Consideration resumed.....	1374
Amended	1375
Passed	1375, 1376
Amended and passed house.	1666
Considered	1677
Call of the senate.....	1678
Senate refuses to concur	1678, 1679
House insists.....	1703
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pointed	1726
Reported with amendments	1915, 1916
Report adopted.....	1916
Amendments concurred in..	1917
Enrolled	1990, 1991
Signed by president.....	1991
Sent to governor.....	1992
556—By Clarkson. To amend section twenty hundred twenty-eight (2028), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to highways to lands.	
Introduced and referred....	978
Reported with amendments.	1028
Amendments adopted	1080
Passed	1080
Motion to reconsider filed..	1109
Motion to reconsider withdrawn	1612
557—By Jones. To repeal the law relating to the employment of inmates of the state penitentiary and reformatory as the same appears in section fifty-seven hundred eighteen-a-eleven (5718-a11), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and referred....	978
Reported with amendments.	1452
Withdrawn from further consideration	1919
558—By Frailey. To provide for the incorporation, regulation and supervision of mutual insurance corporations, and to amend the law as it appears in sections sixteen hundred ninety (1690), sixteen hundred ninety-two (1692), sixteen hundred ninety-three (1693), sixteen hundred ninety-four (1694), seventeen hundred (1700), seventeen hundred four (1704), seventeen hundred six (1706), seventeen hundred seven (1707), seventeen hundred eight (1708), seventeen hundred twenty-three (1723) and seventeen hundred fifty-one (1751) of the code, and sections sixteen hundred eighty-nine (1689) and seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the incorporation, regulation and supervision of such mutual insurance companies.	
Introduced and referred....	978
Reported without recommendation	1447, 1448

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559—By Fralley. Granting to cities of all classes, and towns, power to license, tax and regulate so-called "Jitney" busses, and all busses, operated upon the streets and avenues of such cities and towns, doing a business similar to that transacted by street railway companies.		(2734-c), supplement to the code, 1913, providing for an examination for teachers' certificates at the close of summer schools approved for twelve weeks of normal training.	
Introduced and referred....	984	Introduced and referred....	994
Reported with amendments....	1146	Reported.....	1061
Amendments adopted.....	1559	Report adopted.....	1494
Amended.....	1560	Passed.....	1494, 1495
Title amended.....	1560	Passed house.....	1804
Passed.....	1560	Enrolled.....	1894, 1896
Amended and passed house....	1712	Signed by president.....	1900
Senate concurs.....	1725	Sent to governor.....	1906
Enrolled.....	1792	Approved by governor.....	1994
Signed by president.....	1800		
Sent to governor.....	1807	564—By Chase. To define habitual misdemeanants, and to prescribe punishment for such habitual misdemeanants.	
Approved by governor.....	1994	Introduced and referred....	994
		Reported without recommendation.....	1252
560—By Francis. To amend the law as it appears in chapter five-B (5-B), title three (III) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers, and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act.		565—By Perkins. To repeal section twenty-five hundred eighty-three-a (2583-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend sections twenty-five hundred eighty-three-d (2583-d), and twenty-five hundred eighty-three-e (2583-e), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the practice of osteopathy and providing for a uniform standard for the practitioners of any form of the healing art without surgery or the use of drugs.	
Introduced and referred.....	984, 985	Introduced and referred....	994
Reported.....	1188	Reported without recommendation.....	1334
Report adopted.....	1580		
Amended.....	1580	566—By Grout. To amend the law relating to the lien of taxes upon real estate as the same appears in section fourteen hundred (1400), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Passed.....	1581	Introduced and referred....	995
Passed house.....	1924	Reported unfavorably.....	1190
Enrolled.....	1975	Indefinitely postponed.....	1190
Signed by president.....	1976		
Sent to governor.....	1977	567—By Committee on Highways. To repeal the law as the same appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s twelve (1527-s12), supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal the law as the same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s sixteen (1527-s16) and fifteen hundred seventy-one-m thirty-two (1571-m32), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend the law as the	
561—By Gillette. To amend section twenty-seven hundred fifty-seven (2757), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to organization of boards of school directors and the election of officers of school corporations.			
Introduced and referred....	985		
Reported unfavorably.....	1248		
Indefinitely postponed.....	1248		
562—By Thomas. Relating to acknowledgments by notaries public.			
Introduced and referred....	994		
Reported unfavorably.....	1253		
Indefinitely postponed.....	1253		
563—By Boe. To amend the law as it appears in section two thousand seven hundred and thirty-four-c			

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same appears in sections fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s (1527-s), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s two (1527-s2), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s three (1527-s3), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s seven (1527-s7), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s eight (1527-s8), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s eleven (1527-s11), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s thirteen (1527-s13), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s seventeen (1527-s17), fifteen hundred twenty-seven-s nineteen (1527-s19), supplement to the code, 1913, defining the duties of township trustees and boards of supervisors relative to marking dangerous points on highways, defining the jurisdiction of state, county, township and corporation line roads, and providing for the transfer of the unexpended balance from the drag fund to the general township road fund.

Introduced and placed on calendar1028, 1029
 Made special order.....1172
 Considered1197
 Amendments filed.....1198-1205
 Resumed consideration....1208
 Motion to defer lost.....1208
 Considered1209-1220
 Amended
1215, 1216, 1218, 1219
 Title amended.....1220
 Passed1220, 1221
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 Amended and passed house1655, 1656
 Amendments filed....1723, 1724
 Amended house amendment1739-1748
 Senate concurs in amendments as amended.....1748
 Title amended.....1749
 House concurs in amendments to house amendments1806
 Enrolled1952, 1954
 Signed by president.....1960
 Sent to governor.....1964

568—By committee on insurance. To amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the amount of insurance to be required on improvements included in loans made by insurance companies.
 Introduced and placed on calendar1031
 Withdrawn from further consideration1558

569—By Foster. To legalize certain warrants issued by the town of Bagley, in the county of Guthrie and state of Iowa.
 Introduced and referred....
1032, 1033
 Reported unfavorably.....1065
 Indefinitely postponed.....1065

570—By Sheean. To amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty (880) of the code, relating to condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, and levying a tax to pay therefor.
 Introduced and referred....1051
 Reported with amendments.1255
 Amendments adopted.1659, 1660
 Passed1660
 Passed house1774
 Enrolled1826, 1827
 Signed by president1869
 Sent to governor.....1960
 Approved by governor.....1994

571—By Farr. To amend the law as it appears in chapter eight-a (8-a), title XII, supplement to the code, 1913, relating to employers' liability for personal injury sustained by employees in line of duty, fixing compensation therefor, securing the payment thereof, providing for the appointment of a commissioner and defining his duties.
 Introduced and referred....1051
 Reported with amendments.1405
 Amendments adopted.....1879
 Amended1879
 Failed to pass.....1881

572—By Kimball. To provide for and regulate public warehouses, the warehousing, shipping, weighing and inspection of grain, and to repeal acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.
 Introduced and referred....1051
 Re-referred1613

573—By Kimball. To amend section eight hundred nine (809) of the code, relating to the putting in of water works connections before permanent improvement of the street, alley or public place where the same is located and the taxing of the cost of same to the property benefited if the property owner fails and neglects to put in the same and pay the cost thereof.
 Introduced and referred....1051
 Reported1145
 Report adopted1546
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574—By Clarkson. To provide the conditions on which corporations, associations or companies, issuing policies of insurance of any character and not organized or existing pursuant to the laws of this state, shall transact business in this state.		Introduced and referred....	1057
		Reported with substitute...	1250
		Substitute adopted.....	1601
		Passed	1601
		Motion to reconsider filed..	1670
Introduced and referred....	1051, 1052	578—By Eversmeyer. To amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirty-six (836), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters.	
Reported	1267	Introduced and referred....	1057
Report adopted	1604	Reported	1427
Amended	1604	Withdrawn from further consideration	1581
Failed to pass.....	1604	579—By Grout. To amend the law relating to protection against fire as it appears in sections forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a six (4999-a 6) and forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a seven (4999-a 7), supplement to the code, 1913.	
575—By Allen. To amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-17 (1989-a-17) of supplement to the code, 1913, relating to a re-levy of special assessments in certain cases.		Introduced and referred....	1058
Introduced and referred....	1052	Re-referred	1507
Re-referred	1507	580—By Gillette. To amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-two-b (2562-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the issuance of licenses permitting certain persons to engage in the business of raising and selling certain game birds, and fixing the ownership and title to such game.	
576—By Kimball. To repeal sections four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-6 (4999-a-6), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-7 (4999-a-7), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-8 (4999-a-8), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-9 (4999-a-9), four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-10 (4999-a-10), and four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine-a-11 (4999-a-11) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting a substitute therefor relating to fire escapes, stairways and means of escape from buildings, structures or enclosures and protection against fire and providing for the inspection of such means of protection of buildings, and the duties of commissioner of labor and other officers in relation thereto.		Introduced and referred....	1058
Introduced and referred....	1057	Reported	1214
Reported with substitute...	1180	Report adopted	1593
Amendment to substitute filed	1505	Passed	1593
Substitute adopted	1588	Passed house	1962
Amendment adopted	1588	Enrolled	1986, 1987
Substitute as amended adopted	1589	Signed by president.....	1989
Passed	1589	Sent to governor.....	1994
Passed house	1888	581—By Gillette. To amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-one (2561), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to taking, killing, or having in possession certain birds other than game birds.	
Enrolled	1952, 1954	Introduced and referred....	1058
Signed by president.....	1960	582—By Parker. To require all contractors entering into contracts with counties, townships, cities, towns, school districts or other municipalities for the building of public improvements or the construction of public buildings, to furnish security bonds.	
Sent to governor.....	1965	Introduced and referred....	1058
577—By Doran. Amending chapter two (2) of the code of 1897, relating to the membership of the board of educational examiners.		Re-referred	1507

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583—By committee on appropriations. To appropriate money for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the tenth (10) senatorial district, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contest.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1070
Considered	1501
Passed	1502
Amended and passed the house	1772
Senate concurs	1796
Enrolled	1863, 1867
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1898
Approved by governor....	1994
584—By committee on appropriations. To appropriate money for the purposes of defraying the expenses incurred in the election contest from the thirty-eighth (38) senatorial district of Iowa, and to pay sundry persons for services, mileage, and other expenses incurred in connection with said election contests.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1070
Considered	1502
Passed	1502, 1503
Amended and passed house.....	1775
Senate concurs	1797
Enrolled	1864, 1866
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1898
Approved by governor....	1994
585—By committee on appropriations. Making an appropriation for extra clerical assistance and help in the office of the secretary of state.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1070
Considered	1503
Passed	1503
Passed house	1772, 1773
Enrolled	1826, 1828
Signed by president.....	1869
Sent to governor.....	1960
Approved by governor....	1994
586—By Caswell. To legalize the proceedings under which the independent school district of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa, was established, and to legalize the establishment thereof and to legalize the election of directors and officers thereof and to legalize the issuance of the bonds of said district for school funding and school building purposes.	
Introduced and re-	

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ferred	1088, 1092
Reported	1189
Report adopted	1225
Passed	1226
Passed house	1484
Enrolled	1632, 1633
Signed by president.....	1652
Sent to governor.....	1652
Approved by governor....	1711
587—By Heald. To amend the law as the same appears in sections four hundred (400) and four hundred two (402), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the removal and relocation of the county seat in any county in this state.	
Introduced and referred....	1092
Re-referred	1507
Reported	1668
Report adopted	1871
Passed	1871
588—By Crist. Amending section seven hundred twenty-five (725), supplement to the code, 1913, giving to cities and towns power to require gas, water, electric and power companies to furnish service to certain persons.	
Introduced and referred....	1095
Reported	1145
Report adopted	1559
Passed	1559
589—By Kimball. Authorizing independent school districts having a population of ten thousand (10,000) or more to retire public school teachers upon an annuity, creating a fund for such purpose and a board of trustees to administer the same.	
Introduced and referred....	1096
Re-referred	1507
590—By Quigley. Allowing mutual fire insurance companies, or associations, to form an underwriter's syndicate and issue policies.	
Introduced and referred....	1122
Reported	1405
Report adopted	1831
Amended	1831
Passed	1832
591—By Frailey. To amend the law as it appears in section four thousand eight hundred ninety-seven-b (4897-b), of the supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a provision for the payment of fees for county attorney for the prosecution of persons escaping from the prison as therein set forth.	
Introduced and referred....	1122
Re-referred	1506

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592—By Allen. To legalize the action of the board of supervisors of Humboldt county, Iowa, in the passing of a resolution providing for the payment of engineers in drainage districts on an acreage and percentage basis, and legalizing the acts of the said board of supervisors in making payments in accordance with the said resolution.		Introduced and referred	1131
Introduced and referred	1122, 1123	Reported without recommendation	1406
Reported	1412	Amendment filed	1456
Report adopted	1536	Considered	1510
Passed	1536, 1537	Made special order	1510
Passed house	1751	Considered	1500
(No amendments noted in house message.)		Amended	1568-7
Senate concurs in house amendment	1930	Passed	1571
Enrolled	1971, 1972		
Signed by president	1976	598—By Darrah. To regulate the purchase and sale of eggs as an article of food additional to chapter ten-A (10-A), title twenty-four (XXIV), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Sent to governor	1973	Introduced and referred	1131
593—By Kimball. Authorizing the giving of annuities to retired public school teachers, fixing the term of service and the manner of retirement, and authorizing a tax levy to provide the necessary funds.		Reported without recommendation	1421
Introduced and referred	1126		
Re-referred	1507	599—By Darrah. To amend the law as it appears in chapter one hundred four (104), acts of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly of the state of Iowa, relating to the non-partisan nomination and election of the judges of the supreme, district and superior courts of Iowa.	
594—By Chase. To prevent increases of salary from taking effect during the term for which incumbent of office is elected.		Introduced and referred	1131
Introduced and referred	1126	Reported	1391
Re-referred	1506	Report adopted	1694
Reported	1680	Consideration deferred	1694
Report adopted	1829	Consideration resumed	1696
Passed	1829, 1830	Amended and deferred	1696
595—By Heald. To punish the crime of compounding misdemeanors and to declare the elements of such offense, and to provide the punishment therefor.		600—By Darrah. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-eight (2738), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to normal institutes.	
Introduced and referred		Introduced and referred	1131
Reported unfavorably	1126, 1127	Re-referred	1507
Indefinitely postponed	1295		
Indefinitely postponed	1295	601—By Foskett. To legalize certain acts and proceedings of the board of supervisors of the county of Fremont in the matter of establishing the Waubesa drainage district, locating a drainage ditch therein, apportioning costs and benefits thereunder and issuing bonds against said district for funds to construct said ditch.	
596—By Clarkson. To repeal the law as the same appears in section five hundred thirty (530), title four (IV), chapter seven (7) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to fees of witnesses and jurors in coroner's inquest.		Introduced and referred	1133
Introduced and referred	1127	Reported	1188
Reported unfavorably	1424	Report adopted	1288
Indefinitely postponed	1424	Passed	1288
597—By Crist. Relative to certain public utilities, defining their rights, powers, reme-		Passed house	1572
Relative to certain public utilities, defining their rights, powers, reme-		Enrolled	1672, 1673
Relative to certain public utilities, defining their rights, powers, reme-		Signed by president	1679
Relative to certain public utilities, defining their rights, powers, reme-		Sent to governor	1704

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602—By Larrabee. To legalize the actions of the board of directors of the consolidated independent school district of Lanyon, in the counties of Webster and Greene, state of Iowa, relative to the issuance of certain bonds of said consolidated independent school district.	
Introduced and referred	1133, 1134
Reported	1422
Report adopted	1541
Passed	1541, 1542
Passed house	1928
Enrolled	1989, 1990
Signed by president	1991
Sent to governor	1992
603—By White of Iowa. To amend chapter four (4), title seven (7), of the code, relating to the collection of a tax upon inheritances.	
Introduced and referred	1134
Re-referred	1758
604—By Chase. To amend section fifteen hundred sixty-nine (1569), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to vehicles approaching from the rear.	
Introduced and referred	1135
Re-referred	1758
605—By committee on appropriations. To amend section twenty-five hundred eighty-four (2584) of the code; and to repeal sections twenty-five hundred eighty-seven (2587) and twenty-five hundred eighty-nine-a (2589-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to provide an appropriation for reciprocal arrangements, all relating to the practice of pharmacy.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1144
Considered	1638
Passed	1639
Passed house	1775
Enrolled	1827
Signed by president	1869
Sent to governor	1959
Approved by governor	1994
606—By committee on retrenchment and reform. To amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-two (1571-m-2), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-five (1571-m-5), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-six (1571-m-6), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-fifteen (1571-m-15), fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-seven	

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(1571-m-7), and to repeal section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-twelve (1571-m-12) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the registration of motor vehicles.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1145
Amendment filed	1724
Considered	1758
Amended	1759-1761
Title amended	1762
Passed	1762
Passed house	1913
Enrolled	1985, 1988
Signed by president	1989
Sent to governor	1993
607—By Parker. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-twenty (2575-a-20), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to erection, establishment or maintenance of maternity hospitals.	
Introduced and referred	1145
Re-referred	1508
608—By committee No. 1 on judiciary. Confirming the title of Margaret Murphy to certain meandered lands in section number twenty (20), township number ninety-seven (97), north of range number thirty-five (35), west of the fifth (5th) principal meridian, in Clay county, Iowa, and authorizing and directing the issuance of a patent therefor.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1192
Considered	1589
Passed	1590
Passed house	1803
Enrolled	1895, 1896
Signed by president	1900
Sent to governor	1907
Approved by governor	1994
609—By committee No. 1 on judiciary. To legalize satisfactions of school fund mortgages where such satisfactions were executed or entered on the margin of the record by county auditors prior to July 4, 1894.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1192
Considered	1590
Passed	1590, 1591
610—By committee on ways and means. Providing for the reporting and taxation of electric transmission lines and properties.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1193
Amendment filed	1613-1616

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Considered	1641
Amendment adopted..	1641-1643
Passed	1644
Passed house.....	1914
Enrolled	1985, 1988
Signed by president.....	1989
Sent to governor.....	1993
611—By committee on retrenchment and reform. To repeal section thirteen (13) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to general assembly employees and their compensation.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1215
Considered	1654
Passed	1654, 1655
Motion to reconsider filed.	1722.
612—By committee on public schools. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred forty-two (2742), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of the county superintendent of schools.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1242
Considered	1593, 1594
Passed	1594
613—By committee on cities and towns. To repeal section seven hundred seventy-nine, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1242
Considered	1594
Failed to pass.....	1594, 1595
614—By committee on cities and towns. Amending section one thousand fifty-six-a twenty-eight (1056-a28) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of city officers in certain cities.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1242
Considered	1595
Failed to pass.....	1595
615—By committee No. 1 on judiciary. To amend the law relating to interference with the veterinary surgeon and his assistants in quarantine matters, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred thirty-one (2531) of the code.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1307
Considered	1693
Passed	1693, 1694

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616—By committee No. 1 on judiciary. To amend section four thousand one hundred twenty (4120) of the code and relating to the dismissal of actions in the supreme court where the transcript of the reporter's notes have not been filed.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1307, 1308
Considered	1691
Passed	1691, 1692
617—By committee No. 2 on judiciary. To provide the conditions under which boards of supervisors may exclude lands from a drainage district after the establishment thereof.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1308
Considered	1542, 1543
Passed	1543
618—By committee No. 1 on judiciary. To legalize the special election held in the incorporated town of Charter Oak, Iowa, on the third day of August, 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said town the question of erecting, building and furnishing an electric light and power plant, and also the question of the issuance of bonds in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00) for electric light and power plant purposes, and to validate and legalize the proceedings of the town council had in relation to said special election preliminary to the holding thereof, and to legalize the ballots used at said special election and to legalize the bonds to be issued in pursuance thereof.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1308-1310
Considered	1339
Passed	1339
Passed house.....	1483
Enrolled	1564, 1565
Signed by president.....	1576
Sent to governor.....	1602
Approved by governor....	1652
619—By committee No. 1 on judiciary. To provide for the holding, management and loaning of moneys left by gift or devise, for charitable or educational purposes where no trustee is named, and making the county auditor the trustee and manager of said funds.	

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Introduced and placed on calendar	1310
Considered	1692
Passed	1692

620—By committee on public health. To amend the law as it appears in sections twenty-five hundred fourteen-p, twenty-five hundred fourteen-s and twenty-five hundred fourteen-t, supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the inspection of hotels.

Introduced and placed on calendar	1330
Considered	1703
Amended	1703
Passed	1703
Passed house	1927
Enrolled	1989, 1990
Signed by president	1991
Sent to governor	1992

621—By committee on fish and game. To amend the law relating to the trapping and hunting of animals, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred fifty-three (2553) of the code and section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a one (2563-a1), supplement to the code, 1913.

Introduced and placed on calendar	1401
Considered	1810
Amended	1810, 1811
Passed	1811
Passed house	1914
Enrolled	1985, 1988
Signed by president	1989
Sent to governor	1993

622—By committee on fish and game. To amend the law relating to the protection of game as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by senate file number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly.

Introduced and placed on calendar	1401
Considered	1708
Passed	1708
Passed house	1887
Enrolled	1952, 1954
Signed by president	1960
Sent to governor	1964

623—By committee on fish and game. To amend section twenty-five hundred sixty-three-a 4 (2563-a4), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to license fees for the issuance of licenses to hunt.

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Introduced and placed on calendar	1401
Considered	1808
Passed	1809
Passed house	1889
Enrolled	1953, 1955
Signed by president	1960
Sent to governor	1963

624—By committee on fish and game. To amend the law relating to the care, protection and propagation of fish, birds and game, as the same appears in section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code, section twenty-five hundred forty (2540), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by senate file number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly, section twenty-five hundred thirty-nine (2539), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-five hundred fifty-two (2552), supplement to the code, 1913, as re-enacted by senate file number four hundred forty-seven (447) of the acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly.

Introduced and placed on calendar	1401
Considered	1809
Amended	1809, 1810
Passed	1810
Passed house	1913
Enrolled	1970, 1971
Signed by president	1976
Sent to governor	1973

625—By committee on cities and towns. To confer certain powers on cities having a population of not to exceed twelve thousand and not less than five thousand, organized under chapter two, title five, of the code, relating to the organization, equipment and operation of fire departments and providing for the levy and collection of special tax for the use and benefit of such fire departments and granting power to anticipate said tax and to issue fire fund certificates or bonds.

Introduced and placed on calendar	1401
Considered	1881
Passed	1882

626—By committee No. 2 on judiciary. To legalize ordinance No. 533 of the ordinances of the city of Fort Dodge, Iowa, relative to an ordinance adopted March 29, 1913,

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fixing the salary of the mayor and the members of the city council of said city.		the state railroad commission to investigate and prosecute interstate cases before the interstate commerce commission and intrastate cases and service.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1402	Introduced and placed on calendar	1628
Considered	1535	Considered	1769
Passed	1536	Amended	1771
Amended and passed house.	1889	Consideration deferred	1772
Senate concurs	1907	Consideration resumed	1816
Enrolled	1970, 1972	Amendments pending	1816
Signed by president	1976	Call of senate	1816
Sent to governor	1973	Amendments lost	1818
627—By committee No. 2 on judiciary. Legalizing assignments of mortgages and other recorded liens made upon the margin of the records and making such assignments admissible in evidence.		Enrolled	1819
Introduced and placed on calendar	1402	Passed	1819
Considered (S. F. No. 27 noted in journal, evidently an error)	1811	Motion to lay motion to reconsider on table, lost.	1819
Passed	1811, 1812	Motion to reconsider vote by which title was agreed to prevailed	1825
Passed house	1925	Title amended	1826
Enrolled	1980, 1981	Motion to reconsider vote by which senate voted to reconsider	1826
Signed by president	1981	Point of order raised	1832
Sent to governor	1982	Motion to reconsider filed	1836
628—By committee No. 2 on judiciary. Relating to the assignment of mortgages.		Motion prevailed	1857, 1858
Introduced and placed on calendar	1402	Call of senate	1859
Considered	1812	Amendment lost	1863
Passed	1812	Passed	1863, 1864
629—By committee on retrenchment and reform. To repeal section three hundred ninety-two (392) of the code and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to the fees of commissioners appointed for other states and the record of their appointment.		Title amended	1864
Introduced and placed on calendar	1453	Passed house	1926
Considered	1919	Enrolled	1979, 1981
Passed	1919, 1920	Signed by president	1981
630—By sifting committee. To amend the law relating to the duration of school bonds, as the same appears in section twenty-eight hundred twelve-e (2812-e), supplement to the code, 1913.		Sent to governor	1982
Introduced and placed on calendar	1610	632—By committee on appropriations. Making appropriation for carrying out the provisions of section twenty-five hundred sixty-nine-a (2569-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the enforcement of sanitary conditions by the state board of health.	
Considered	1814	Introduced and placed on calendar	1628
Amended	1815	Considered	1768
Passed	1815	Passed	1768
Passed house	1924	House indefinitely postponed	1847
Enrolled	1980, 1981	633—By sifting committee. Legalizing the acts and proceedings of the mayor and city council of the city of Marshalltown, Iowa, in fixing the salary of the mayor and council of said city.	
Signed by president	1981	Introduced and placed on calendar	1668-1670
Sent to governor	1983	Considered	1692
631—By committee on appropriations. Making appropriation of funds to enable		Passed	1693
		Passed house	1887
		Enrolled	1953, 1956
		Signed by president	1960
		Sent to governor	1964
		634—By committee on retrenchment and reform. To repeal the law as it appears	

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in sections twenty-five hundred seventy-three (2573), twenty-five hundred seventy-four (2574), and twenty-five hundred seventy-five (2575) of the code, twenty-five hundred sixty-four (2564), twenty-five hundred sixty-four-a (2564-a), twenty-five hundred seventy-two (2572) and twenty-five hundred seventy-four (2574), supplement to the code, 1913, and enacting substitutes therefor and creating a state board of health, fixing its powers and duties.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1714, 1715
Considered	1856
Failed to pass	1856
635—By appropriations committee. To require the auditor of state to furnish to the auditors of the different counties a statement of the amount of money appropriated for different state purposes and the approximate millage levy required to raise said amounts to be printed upon the back of the tax receipt for the information of tax payers.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1732
Referred	1736
636—By committee on retrenchment and reform. To repeal sections one hundred thirty-eight (138) and one hundred forty-one (141), supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute therefor, relating to compensation for state printing and state binding.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1732
637—By committee on retrenchment and reform. To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-seven (2575-a7) and twenty-five hundred seventy-five-a-nine (2575-a9), chapter sixteen-a (16-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the bacteriological laboratory.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1785
Considered	1846
Passed	1846
Passed house	1946
Enrolled	1990, 1991
Signed by president	1991
Sent to governor	1992
638—By committee on appropriations. To indemnify and pay to E. O. Sherman the	

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sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) for the loss and damage sustained by him in the death of his son, Ralph Sherman, caused by being killed on the campus of the state college of agriculture at Ames, December 6, 1914.	
Introduced and placed on calendar	1870
Considered	1917
Passed	1917, 1918
House indefinitely postpones	1948
639—By committee on appropriations. Amending section five thousand and seventy-seven-a-twenty-four (5077-a24), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to standardization of agricultural seeds, and eliminating appropriation to the state food and dairy commission in connection therewith.	
Introduced	1957
Rules suspended	1957
Passed	1957, 1958
Passed house	1977
Enrolled	1989, 1991
Signed by president	1991
Sent to governor	1992
640—By committee on appropriations. To make appropriation for the payment of state and judicial officers, state and other expenses.	
Introduced	1961
Rules suspended	1961
Considered	1961
Passed	1961
Passed house	1977
Enrolled	1990, 1991
Signed by president	1991
Sent to governor	1992
641—By committee on ways and means. To provide for the levying of a tax for the support of the state university of Iowa, Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, the state teachers college and the state college for the blind to be expended as provided in senate file number two hundred eighty-eight (288), acts of the thirty-sixth general assembly for the years 1915 and 1916, and to provide for the levy of a tax for general state purposes for the years 1915 and 1916.	
Introduced	1978
Rules suspended	1978
Passed	1979
Passed house	1984
Enrolled	1989, 1990
Signed by president	1991
Sent to governor	1991

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1—By Wilson. Proposing to amend the constitution so as to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage within this state.		ing for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state.	
Introduced and referred....	118	Introduced and referred....	160
Withdrawn from further consideration	1102	Reported without recommendation	325
2—By Thomas. To amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale, of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, within this state.		Amendment offered.....	326
Introduced and referred....	118	Consideration deferred....	326
Withdrawn from further consideration	1102	Amendment lost.....	326
3—By committee on additional help. Relating to the selection of additional employes of the thirty-sixth general assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties.		Passed	327
Introduced and passed on file	125, 126	Passed house	492, 498
Considered	142	Enrolled	563
Passed	143	Signed by president.....	566
House concurs	144	Sent to governor.....	583
Enrolled	150	Approved by governor.....	603
Signed by president.....	150	7—By Allen. Agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa by repealing section one (1) of article two (2) of said constitution and the enactment and adoption of a substitute therefor, relating to the right of suffrage.	
Sent to governor.....	155	Introduced and referred.....	197, 198
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4—By Whitmore. Instructing the state printer to print in pamphlet form the committee appointments.		Report adopted.....	338
Introduced and referred....	141	Passed	339
Withdrawn from further consideration	156	Passed house	489, 498
5—By Boe. Providing for the preparation and printing of a classified index of legislative bills.		Enrolled	563
Introduced and referred....	147	Signed by president.....	566
Reported	184	Sent to governor.....	583
Report adopted	206	Approved by governor.....	603
Passed	221	8—By committee on retrenchment and reform. Relating to the selection of additional employes of the thirty-sixth general assembly, fixing their compensation and defining their duties.	
Passed house	300	Introduced and passed on file	214
Enrolled	323, 326	Rules suspended, considered, report adopted....	216
Signed by president.....	338	Referred to special committee	215
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Approved by governor.....	365	Substitute offered.....	429
6—By Wilson and Thomas. To amend article one (1) of the constitution of Iowa by adding thereto a provision prohibiting the manufacture, sale or keep-		Placed on calendar.....	430
		Considered	441
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		Substitute adopted.....	503
		Motion to lay motion to refer on table, lost.....	500
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- By Gillette. Requesting secretary of state to furnish additional copies of supplement. Offered and adopted, 388; house concurs, 434.
- By Farr. Joint convention to investigate fire protection and repairs of capitol. Offered and adopted, 439; house concurs, 490, 498.
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- By Eversmeyer. Relative to adjournment on April 3. Offered and passed on file, 467; considered, amendment offered, made special order, 489; consideration postponed, 770; consideration resumed, 772; amended, 772; adopted, 772; motion to reconsider filed, 772; withdrawn, 1873; house concurs, 1914.
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- By Chase. Relative to Hon. W. P. Hepburn preparing written review for archives. Offered and adopted, 722; house concurs, 809.
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- By Arney. Relative to the death of Carl Peters. Offered and adopted, 1060; house concurs, 1069.
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- By Ream. Excusing of pages. Offered and adopted, 1457; house concurs, 1515.
- By Kimball. Weight of parcel post packages. Offered, 1550, 1551; adopted, 1553, 1555; house concurs, 1712.

By Kimball. Telegram of congratulation to be sent to Hon. Grenville M. Dodge. Offered and adopted, 1576; house concurs, 1598.

By Allen. Holding joint session for election of state printer and binder. Offered and adopted, 1753; house concurs, 1820.

By Perkins. Furnishing supplement to Senator Kimball. Offered and adopted, 1798; house amends and concurs, 1927; senate concurs in house amendments, 1950.

By Savage. Requiring certain officers to remain after adjournment. Offered and adopted, 1806; house concurs, 1928.

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By Wilson. Relative to purchase of chairs for president and speaker. Offered and adopted, 1834; house concurs, 1915.

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1—To repeal the non-partisan judiciary law as the same appears in chapter two-b (2-b), title six (VI), supplement to the code, 1913, and to restore the previous law relating to the nomination and election of judges of the supreme, district and superior courts.	
Received	1171
Referred	1213
Reported unfavorably	1390
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Report adopted, indefinitely postponed	1391
6—To amend the law relating to the qualifications of county superintendent of schools as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty-four-b (2734-b) supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	280
Referred	283
Reported	334
Report adopted	1226
Passed	1226
Motion to reconsider filed	1227
Motion withdrawn	1433
Enrolled	1509
Signed by president	1516
7—To amend the law relating to the election of county superintendent of schools as the same appears in section one thousand seventy-two (1072) supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	308
Referred	310
Reported unfavorably	751
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Considered	1128
Report adopted, indefinitely postponed	1128
8—To amend section ten hundred fifty-six-a-thirty-two (1056-a32) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment, powers and duties of the civil service commissioners in certain cities.	
Received	300
Referred	304
Reported	814
Report adopted	1225
Passed	1225
Enrolled	1348
Signed by president	1358
11—To amend the law as it appears in section one (1), chapter two hundred seventy-five (275) of the acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly relating to releases of liens by foreign administrators, executors and guardians.	
Received	179
Referred	183
Reported	502
Report adopted	555
Passed	555
Enrolled	618
Signed by president	619
12—To provide for municipal courts for certain cities and the adoption thereof by general, state, or municipal election or by special election; providing for the jurisdiction thereof, mode and manner of procedure therein; providing for the election of the judges of such munic-	

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ipal courts and defining their powers and duties; providing for the manner of preparing and who shall constitute the jury list, manner of drawing jury panels and jurors; also defining certain duties of other officials and providing penalties for the violation thereof.	
Received	345
Referred	348
Reported with amendments	724, 725
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House concurs	1361
Enrolled	1454
Signed by president.....	1455
13—To amend section one thousand and sixty-one (1061) of the code providing for proclamation of general election by the governor of the state.	
Received	227
Referred	229
Reported	880
Report adopted	880
Passed	1272
Enrolled	1376
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16—Legalizing certain acts and proceedings of the board of directors of the independent school district of Adel, county of Dallas and state of Iowa, and warrants thereof, and authorizing the issuance of bonds.	
Received	947
Referred	959
Reported	1190
Report adopted	1283
Amendment offered	1283
Passed	1283
House concurs	1361
Enrolled	1453
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24—Making an appropriation to reimburse J. M. Tannehill, an employe of the Iowa school for the deaf, for loss of wages and expenses incurred by reason of an injury sustained in connection with his employment at said school on the 31st day of December, 1912.	
Received	465
Referred	467
Reported with amendments.	599
Re-referred	600
Reported with amendments	982
Amendments adopted	1353
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House concurs	1571
Enrolled	1606
Signed by president.....	1612

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26—To amend chapter two hundred and eighty (280) of the acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly relative to the share of surviving spouse where intestate leaves no issue.	
Received	1138
Referred	1150
Reported with amendments.	1424
27—To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred seventy-eight (2778), supplement to the code, 1913, and to provide for the employment of school superintendents for a term of years.	
Received	289
Referred	292
Reported with amendments	585, 586
Amendments adopted	668
Passed	668, 669
House concurs	715
Enrolled	781
Signed by president.....	797
32—To enable electors to vote at any general, special, primary, county, township, city or town election, where the Australian ballot is used, when absent or anticipating being absent on the day of such election from the county in which they are electors, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.	
Received	732
Referred	765
Reported	879
Report adopted	1527
Passed	1528
Enrolled	1674
Signed by president.....	1679
34—To repeal sections five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-thirteen (5718-a13), five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-fourteen (5718-a14), five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-fifteen (5718-a15), five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-sixteen (5718-a16), five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-seventeen (5718-a17), five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-eighteen (5718-a18), five thousand and seven hundred and eighteen-a-nineteen (5718-a19), five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-twenty (5718-a20), five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-twenty-one (5718-a21), five thousand seven hundred and eighteen-a-twenty-two (5718-	

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36—	Providing that all common carriers operating trains within the state of Iowa and conveying live stock shall provide a car equipped with sleeping berths or bunks for the persons in charge of such live stock, and providing a penalty for failure to comply therewith.	46—	To amend section two thousand seven hundred eighty (2780), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of school treasurers.
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	Referred	Referred	892
	Reported unfavorably	Reported unfavorably	1005
	Indefinitely postponed	Indefinitely postponed	1005
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41—	To amend the law as it appears in section four thousand eighty-seven	48—	To permit state banks, savings banks and trust companies to subscribe for stock of federal reserve bank and to invest funds therein and incur liability therefor and become members thereof.
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	Indefinitely postponed	Passed	428
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42—	Authorizing the issue of bonds for the purpose of purchasing, erecting or maintaining and operating waterworks, by cities of the first class and cities acting under the commission plan of government.	49—	To amend the law as it appears in section fifteen hundred twenty-seven-b (1527-b), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the laying of water mains in public highways.
	Received	Received	289
	Referred	Referred	293
	Reported unfavorably	Reported	420
	Indefinitely postponed	Report adopted	580
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45—	To amend the law as it appears in section nine hundred and thirty-seven (937), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of alderman of special charter cities.	55—	To legalize decrees obtained prior to January first, nineteen hundred fifteen (1915), in cases against unknown claimants, defendants, where the notice was entitled in the initial or initials of the plaintiff instead of his Christian or given name.
	Received	Received	220
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	231	Enrolled	618
		Signed by president.....	619
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		Referred	406
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Passed	1366
Enrolled	1509
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Received	346
Referred	348
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Substitute adopted	1326
Passed	1326, 1327
House concurs	1361
Enrolled	1453
Signed by president.....	1455
63—To legalize the ordinances of the incorporated town of Clearfield, Taylor county, Iowa.	
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Referred	229
Reported	389
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Enrolled	469
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64—To amend section forty-nine hundred ninety-nine-a-thirty-two (4999-a32) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the sale of pure drugs.	
Received	465
Referred	467
Reported	529
Report adopted	581
Passed	582
Enrolled	680
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66—To reimburse and indemnify by way of compensation to Alfred Hansen for a personal injury sustained while working at the "spotting of cars" in the state reformatory at Anamosa, Iowa.	
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Referred	1034
Reported with amendments	1468, 1469
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Amended	1710
Passed	1711
House concurs	1872
Enrolled	1904
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68—Providing funds and making appropriations for the participation of the state of Iowa in the celebration of the semi-centennial anniversary of the act of emancipation, to be held at Chicago, Illinois, in the year 1915.	
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Received	368
Referred	369
Reported	979
Report adopted	1282
Passed	1282, 1283
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Signed by president.....	1389
75—Authorizing the issuance of a patent to the east thirty (30) acres of the south-east quarter of the north-west quarter of section twenty-three (23) in township seventy-seven (77), north of range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth P. M. of Iowa.	
Received	227
Referred	229
Reported with amendments.	830
Amendments adopted	1235
Further amended	1235
Passed	1235, 1236
House concurs	1538
Enrolled	1606
Signed by president.....	1612
79—To amend the law as it appears in section five hundred eighty-six (586) of the supplement to the code, 1913, by granting to townships the right of taxation for the necessary improvement and maintenance of public parks acquired by gift, devise or bequest.	
Received	281
Referred	283
Reported	420
Report adopted	441
Amended	441
Title amended	442
Passed	442
House concurs	504
Signed by president.....	515
Enrolled	530
81—Granting additional powers to the board of railway commissioners, in the matter of short line competition, and the movement of freight and passengers by railroads having two or more lines between the same stations.	
Received	267
Referred	274
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Reported unfavorably	1406
Indefinitely postponed	1406
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Received	355	Received	919
Considered	362	Referred	958
Amended	363	Re-referred	1506
Passed	363		
House concurs	402	96—To amend section two thousand seven hundred ninety-four (2794) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the formation of independent school districts.	
Enrolled	405	Received	401
Signed by president.....	409	Referred	405
86—To amend section one thousand five hundred and seventy-one-m-five (1571-m5) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the price of duplicate plates for automobiles.		Reported	835
Received	267	Report adopted	1257
Referred	274	Passed	1257
Reported	390	Enrolled	1376
Report adopted	411	Signed by president.....	1389
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Amended	1078	Report of committee rejected	1656
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House concurs	1125	Enrolled	1762
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88—To regulate the practice of chiropractic and to provide for the examination and license chiropractors.		110—To fix and declared the duties of the reporter of the supreme court, to provide the method and manner of publishing and distributing the reports of the supreme court, to transfer the powers and rights in the present contract for publishing said reports to the judges of the supreme court; to authorize the publication of new editions of any volume of said reports and the terms and conditions thereof, to provide for the copyrights of said reports; to provide for the preparation, printing, binding and certification of the acts of the general assembly and the form and number thereof, to provide for the annotations of the laws of the state and the supplement embracing the same, to provide for the contents of the volumes containing said acts and	
Received	834		
Referred	842		
Reported with amendments	1039		
Amendments adopted 1489, 1490	1490		
Substitute offered	1490		
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Amended	1492		
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Prevailed	1901		
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94—To repeal section two hundred fifty-four-a-nine (254-a9) of the supplement to the code of 1913, relating to the compensation of trustees of cemetery funds, and to enact a substitute therefor.			
Received	289		
Referred	292		
Reported unfavorably	812		
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95—To repeal the law as it appears in section two hundred fifty-four-a-eighteen (254-a18) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appoint-			

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laws, to provide for a revision of the laws of the state; to fix the salary of the reporter of the supreme court, to make annual appropriation for said work, and to repeal chapter four (4) of title three (3), section thirty-eight (38), section thirty-nine (39), section forty (40), and section one hundred thirty-three (133), of the code.	
Received	1063
Referred	1097, 1098
Reported and referred	1294, 1295
Reported with amendments.	1729
Amendments adopted.....	1852
Amended	1853-1855
Passed	1856
House concurs	1912
Enrolled	1962
Signed by president.....	1976
113—To amend the law relating to the compensation of township clerks as the same appears in section five hundred ninety-one (591) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
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Referred	524
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114—To amend the law as it appears in section forty-seven hundred seventy-five-twelve-a (4775-12a) supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the sale of dangerous weapons.	
Received	1712
Referred	1725
116—To amend section seventeen hundred eighty-three-b (1783-b) of the supplement to the code of 1907, relating to medical examination for life insurance.	
Received	355
Referred	361
Reported with amendments.	879
Amendments adopted	1321
Passed	1321
House concurs	1361
Enrolled	1453
Signed by president.....	1455
118—To require pawnbrokers, junk dealers or dealers in second hand goods to report to the police the purchase or receipt of certain classes of goods by such broker or dealers, and providing that certain classes of goods shall not be sold for a specified time and shall be kept where same can be seen or inspected, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions herein contained and pro-	

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viding that under certain conditions the person buying or receiving such goods shall be liable to the owner thereof for their full value.	
Received	355
Referred	361
Reported	484
Report adopted	549, 550
Passed	550
Enrolled	618
Signed by president.....	619
122—To amend section one thousand two hundred ninety-a (1290-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the compensation of appraisers.	
Received	290
Referred	293
Reported	389
Report adopted	411
Consideration postponed....	412
Considered	582
Failed to pass.....	582
Motion to reconsider filed..	583
Prevailed	602, 603
Passed to third reading....	603
Passed	603
Enrolled	680
Signed by president.....	696
124—To legalize certain proceedings for renewals of corporations for pecuniary profit.	
Received	480
Referred	482
Reported	724
Report adopted	1026
Passed	1026
Enrolled (journal states S. F. 124, evidently error) ..	1074
127—Giving legislative assent to the purposes of the congressional act of May 8, 1914, providing for co-operative extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the act of congress approved July 2, 1862, and of acts supplementary all the rights of the state thereto, and the United States department of agriculture.	
Received	401
Referred	406
Reported	979
Report adopted	1556
Passed	1556
Enrolled	1756
Signed by president.....	1758
128—To provide for the establishment of a department of bee keeping in the division of agriculture in the Iowa state college of agriculture and mechanic arts. (Additional to chapter four (4) of title thirteen (XIII) of the code relat-	

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ing to the Iowa college of agriculture and mechanic arts.)	
Received	401
Referred	405
Reported	1371
Re-referred	1371
Reported unfavorably	1732
Indefinitely postponed	1732
129—To amend the law relating to the compensation of township trustees as the same appears in section five hundred ninety (590), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	481
Referred	483
Reported unfavorably	1153
Indefinitely postponed	1153
136—Authorizing the board of health to isolate cases of whooping cough and measles.	
Received	796
Referred	825
Reported	1039
Reported adopted	1388
Passed	1388
Enrolled	1509
Signed by president	1516
139—To amend section one thousand three hundred and three (1303) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes for general county fund.	
Received	783
Considered	786
Passed	787
Enrolled	872
Signed by president	874
142—To amend section 1391 of the code of 1913 relating to the collection of penalty or interest upon delinquent taxes.	
Received	402
Referred	406
Reported	743
Report adopted	1117
Passed	1118
Enrolled	1349
Signed by president	1352
145—Limiting the time within which actions to set aside, cancel, annul, declare void or invalid, or to redeem from certain tax deeds, guardian deeds, executors deeds, administrators deeds, or trustees deeds and declaring such deeds and all proceedings upon which they are based conclusively presumed to be in all things valid and unimpeachable and effective to convey title according to the purport thereof.	

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Received	435
Referred	440
Reported with amendments	599
Amendments adopted	716
Passed	717
House concurs	948
Enrolled	1011
Signed by president	1040
146—To legalize the incorporation of the town of Melcher, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the town council of said town.	
Received	434
Referred	440
Reported	645
Report adopted	720
Passed	720, 721
Enrolled	802
147—To provide information which shall serve as a basis for legislative appropriations.	
Received	796
Referred	826
Reported	864
Report adopted	1264
Amended	1264
Passed	1264
House concurs	1293
Enrolled	1348
Signed by president	1352
152—To repeal section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-fifty-two-a (1989-a-52-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to levees, ditches and drains, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Received	513
Referred	523
Reported	827
Report adopted	1256
Passed	1256, 1257
Enrolled	1377
Signed by president	1389
153—Providing for an absolute and incontestable title to real estate, specifying the exceptions thereto, and fixing a method for preserving rights claimed in real estate by notice.	
Received	1159
Referred	1177
House requests return	1193
House reconsiders request for return	1223
Reported	1422
161—To amend paragraph five (5) of section four hundred twenty-two (422) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the building or repair of county buildings, to require advertisements, bids, written contracts, bonds, and plans and specifications in certain cases, and to fix the requirements thereof.	

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Received	290
Referred	293
Reported with amend- ments	498, 499
Amendments adopted.....	559
Further amended.....	560
Passed	560
House concurs	591
Enrolled	619
Signed by president.....	619
 165—Empowering and directing the governor and secre- tary of state to execute and deliver a quit claim deed, conveying to Addie C. Johnson all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in the west one-fourth of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of sec- tion twenty, township sev- enty-nine north, range twenty-three, west of the 5th principal meridian.	
Received	346
Referred	348
Reported	419
Considered	532
Passed	533
Enrolled	576
Signed by president.....	577
 166—To amend section thirty-four hundred and ninety-nine (3499) of the code, rela- tive to the places where suits may be brought against insurance com- panies, and providing for the revocation of the au- thority of any foreign in- surance company to trans- act business in this state, that shall commence or remove any suit or pro- ceeding brought by or against it in any state court to any federal court.	
Received	480
Referred	483
Reported unfavorably.....	1000
Indefinitely postponed.....	1000
 171—To amend the law relating to the construction of street improvements, sew- ers, etc., as the same ap- pears in section eight hundred twelve (812) of the code.	
Received	553
Referred	575
Reported unfavorably.....	940
Indefinitely postponed.....	940
 173—For the relief of Carl Persing, a student and employe of the Iowa state college at Ames, Iowa.	
Received	1400
Referred	1460
Reported and re-referred.....	1652
Reported	1870
Report adopted	1908
Passed	1908
Enrolled	1974
Signed by the president.....	1976

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174—To relinquish and quitclaim of Iowa in and to the abandoned river bed of the Des Moines river, in sec- tions twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32) and thirty- three (33), in township seventy-seven (77) north, range twenty (20) west of the fifth P. M., Marion county, Iowa.	
Received	1539
Referred	1625
 175—For the relief of the blind.	
Received	918
Referred	959
Re-referred	1507
Reported	1680
Report adopted	1875
Passed	1875
Enrolled	1922
Signed by president.....	1929
 177—To amend section one thou- sand five hundred twenty- seven-s-three (1527-s3) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the establishment of the coun- ty road system and the improvement thereof, and the construction of bridge and culvert work thereon.	
Received	610
Referred	642
Reported	1414
 181—To amend section three (3), chapter fifty-four (54), acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly relating to the government of cer- tain cities.	
Received	918
Referred	961
Reported unfavorably.....	1254
Indefinitely postponed.....	1255
 184—To repeal section twenty- nine hundred sixty-three-a (2963-a) of the supple- ment to the code nineteen hundred thirteen (1913) and to enact a substitute therefor legalizing inste- uments affecting real estate titles recorded prior to January first (1st), nine- teen hundred five (1905), the acknowledgments of which are defective or which may not have been acknowledged.	
Received	345
Referred	348
Reported with substitute...	648
Substitute adopted	721
Passed	721, 722
House concurs	948
Enrolled	1011
Signed by president.....	1040
 186—To repeal the law as it ap- pears in section fifteen hundred sixty-five-i (1565-i) of the supple-	

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ment to the code, 1913, relating to penalty for non-enforcement of the weed law by township officers.	
Received	1337
Referred	1459
192—To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-nine hundred eighty-five (2985) of the code, relating to the descent and occupancy of the homestead.	
Received	346
Referred	348
198—Amending section eight hundred twelve (812) of the code and authorizing cities under the commission plan of government to construct street improvements and sewers.	
Received	553
Referred	575
Reported unfavorably	896
Indefinitely postponed	896
201—Regulating lobbying; requiring the registration of legislative counsel and agents and regulating their activity; and prohibiting improper and corrupt lobbying.	
Received	1013
Referred	1097
Re-referred	1506
206—To establish a board of accountancy, to provide for granting certificates to those public accountants who qualify under the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.	
Received	673
Referred	675
Reported	969
Report adopted	1367
Passed	1367
Enrolled	1509
Signed by president	1516
207—To repeal sections twenty-three hundred forty-ones (2341-s), twenty-three hundred forty-one-t (2341-t), twenty-three hundred forty-one-u, (2341-u), twenty-three hundred forty-one-v (2341-v), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, providing that owners or keepers of registered stallions or jacks shall have a lien upon the mare served and the progeny of such animal for the service fee, fixing the method of enforcing the lien and providing a penalty for certain violations of the law.	
Received	732
Referred	765

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212—To repeal section 737a, of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, requiring all cities and incorporated towns, including cities of the first class, cities acting under the commission plan of government, and special charter cities, to regulate the business of plumbing; to make rules and regulations for the installation of same; to create a board of examiners; in cities having a population of 10,000 or over; to issue licenses to persons, firms or corporations desiring to engage in the business of plumbing who are properly qualified; to provide for the removal of plumbing installed in violation of the manner prescribed and providing for punishment for a violation of the terms of this act.	
Received	402
Referred	406
House recalls	644
Returned	707
213—To provide for the construction of a sewer system and the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa state fair and exposition grounds, and to make appropriations therefor.	
Received	1243
Referred	1245
Reported	1727
Report adopted	1765
Passed	1765
Enrolled	1828
Signed by president	1869
217—To provide for the drainage of public highways by the creation of drainage districts, to provide for the repairs thereof, and to provide the procedure therefor, and to provide for the payment of the cost thereof.	
Received	809
Referred	825
Reported	980
Report adopted	1326
Passed	1326
Enrolled	1453
Signed by president	1455
218—To amend section 2547-A of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the taking of fish from the waters of the Big Sioux river and that part of the Des Moines river forming the part of the boundary between the state of Iowa and the state of Missouri.	

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Received	1125
Reported	1142
Reported	1415
Report adopted	1544
Passed	1544
Enrolled	1674
Signed by president.....	1679
219—To amend section three hundred sixty (360) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the acceptance of a guaranty company as surety.	
Received	434
Referred	440
Reported	895
Report adopted	1275
Passed	1276
Enrolled	1377
Signed by president.....	1389
224—To legalize the acts and proceedings of the county treasurer, county auditor and board of supervisors of Page county, Iowa, relating to the overdrafts upon the bridge fund and county fund, and the acts and proceedings of the said county officers in relation to a certain proposed issue of county bonds for the purpose of enabling the county to pay claims for such overdrafts.	
Received	300
Referred	304
Reported	389
Report adopted	396
Passed	397
Enrolled	404
Signed by president.....	409
226—Relating to the safety of the public and requiring that any car or cars operated as a part of a street railway by any person, partnership or corporation shall be in charge of at least two competent employes and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof.	
Received	1159
Referred	1177
Reported with amendments	1427, 1428
Amendments filed	1433
233—To repeal paragraph two (2) of section three hundred one (301) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the duties of the county attorney.	
Received	401
Referred	405
Reported	643
Report adopted	1161

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Passed	1161
Enrolled	1348
Signed by president.....	1352
234—To repeal section thirteen hundred six-e (1306-e) supplement to the code, 1913, and enact a substitute in lieu thereof, relating to the issuance and payment of bonds by cities and towns.	
Received	368
Referred	369
Reported unfavorably	1007
Indefinitely postponed	1008
Motion to reconsider filed.....	1029
Motion lost	1471, 1472
239—To amend section four hundred forty-one (441) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to county official papers.	
Received	553
Referred	575
Reported	861
Report adopted	1264
Passed	1265
Enrolled	1377
Signed by president.....	1389
243—Making an appropriation for Viola Bruner on account of the death of Louis D. Bruner, caused by being injured by the falling of a building on the fair grounds, at Des Moines, Iowa.	
Received	1114
Referred	1143
Reported with amendments	1729, 1730
Amendments adopted	1777
Passed	1777, 1778
House concurs	1886
Enrolled	1922
Signed by president.....	1929
246—To repeal section four hundred ninety-one (491) of the code supplement, 1913, relating to the appointment, qualification and compensation of deputy treasurers and other assistants in the office of the county treasurer, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Received	1125
Referred	1142
Re-referred	1507
Motion to withdraw lost.....	1945
248—To amend section fourteen hundred-q (1400-q) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the levy of special taxes upon the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state for the erection, repair, improvement and equipment of buildings for the state university of	

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Iowa, the state college of agriculture and mechanic arts, and the state teachers college.		263—To legalize the transfer of the board of health fund of Washington township, Greene county, Iowa, to the township road fund of such township.	
Received	465	Received	465
Referred	467	Referred	468
Returned to house on request	471, 477	Reported	864
Received	513	Considered	1075
Referred	523	Passed	1075
Reported without recommendation	1679	Enrolled	1137
Considered	1690	Signed by president	1156
Amended	1690	264—To legalize certain warrants of the city of Bloomfield, Iowa.	
Title amended	1691	Received	505
Passed	1691	Referred	526
House concurs	1846	Reported	645
Enrolled	1905	Passed	780
Signed by president	1915	Enrolled	872
250—To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-five (2125), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to definition of switching service.		Signed by president	874
Received	1337	265—To amend the law relating to the erection of soldiers' monuments and memorial halls as the same appears in section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, and section four hundred thirty-five (435) of the code.	
Referred	1459	Received	918
Considered	1478	Referred	959
Passed	1478	Reported with amendments	1059
Enrolled	1606	267—To amend section four hundred forty-one (441) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the selection of official newspapers.	
Signed by president	1612	Received	1035
251—To amend the law as it appears in section four hundred sixty-nine (469), of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation of county supervisors.		Referred	1059
Received	1244	Reported	1452
Referred	1245	Report adopted	1928
Re-referred	1507	Passed	1928
258—To provide means for perfecting, registering and transferring titles to real estate. To be known as the "Torrens Land Titles System."		Enrolled	1970
Received	1772	Signed by president	1976
Referred	1794	268—To provide for the incorporation, establishment, regulation and control of state farm mortgage banks.	
259—To amend the law as it appears in chapter fourteen-b (14-b), sections twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w (2538-w), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w3 (2538-w3), twenty-five hundred thirty-eight-w5 (2538-w5), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the manufacture and distribution of hog cholera serum, toxins, vaccines and biological products.		Received	901
Received	1099	Referred	908
Referred	1100	Reported unfavorably	1152
Re-referred	1613	Consideration deferred	1152
Reported	1668	Report of special committee with amendments	1304, 1307
Report adopted	1857	Report adopted	1339
Passed	1857	Amended	1339-1344
Enrolled	1904	Consideration deferred	1344
Signed by president	1915	Consideration resumed	1344
		Failed to pass	1345
		269—To amend section one thousand six hundred sixty-one-a (1661-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to state aid to district or county agricultural societies.	
		Received	673
		Referred	675
		Reported with amendments	893
		Re-referred	894
		Reported with amendments	1062

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Amendments adopted.....1487
 Passed1487, 1488
 House concurs1539
 Enrolled1606
 Signed by president.....1612

270—To repeal sections five hundred ten-a (510-a) and five hundred ten-b (510-b), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact substitutes therefor, and to amend paragraph twelve (12) of section five hundred eleven (511), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to compensation and mileage charged by sheriffs.
 Received1400
 Referred1460
 Considered1831
 Passed1831
 Enrolled1904
 Signed by president.....1915

271—Empowering and directing the governor and secretary of state to execute quit claim deeds conveying all of the right, title and interest of the state of Iowa in and to the southwest quarter (sw $\frac{1}{4}$) and the southwest quarter (sw $\frac{1}{4}$) of the southeast quarter (se $\frac{1}{4}$) of section twenty (20), township seventy-nine (79), range twenty-three (23), west of the fifth p. m., Polk county, Iowa, to the successors in title of Nathaniel Rockhold and Reuben B. Ellis.
 Received 480
 Referred 483
 Reported 895
 Report adopted1273
 Passed1274
 Enrolled1376
 Signed by president.....1389

277—To grant cities under special charter, now or hereafter having a population of twenty - five thousand (25,000) or over, and organized under title five (5), chapter fourteen (14), of the code and amendments thereto, the right to place in the park commission in such cities the exclusive charge, custody and control of all property outside of the lot or property lines and inside the curb lines and upon the public streets, to determine the location of permanent sidewalks and to assume charge, custody, and control of all trees, shrubbery, flowers and grass and the planting and maintenance

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thereof on the public streets; and to provide for the payment of the costs thereof. Additional to chapter fourteen (14), title five (5) of the code.
 Received 466
 Referred 468
 Reported1187
 Report adopted.....1258
 Passed1259
 Enrolled1376
 Signed by president.....1389

280—To repeal the law as it appears in section eight hundred eighty-one (881) of the code and supplement to the code and to enact a substitute therefor relative to the condemnation and purchase of land by cities and towns, necessary to control streams and surface water flowing into sewers, for sewer outlets, garbage disposal plant, sewage disposal plant and dump grounds.
 Received 784
 Referred 795
 Reported 939, 940
 Report adopted.....1754
 Passed1755
 Enrolled1869
 Signed by president.....1869

282—To repeal chapter 1-a of title VIII, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute in lieu thereof, creating a state highway engineer, providing for his appointment, term of office, compensation, powers, and duties, providing for his removal, creating a system of county and township road, bridge and culvert construction, and maintenance, prescribing the procedure and manner of carrying on such improvement, and the rights, duties, and power of county and township officers and employes with reference thereto, providing that the board of supervisors of each county shall have full control and supervision of the county road system, providing for the registration of highway routes, together with the names, color or combinations and designs used in marking the same; prohibiting the duplications thereof, and providing penalties therefor.
 Received 886
 Referred 890, 891
 Reported unfavorably.....1413
 Indefinitely postponed.....1414

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283—To amend sections twenty-six hundred ninety-one (2691) and twenty-six hundred ninety-two (2692) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appropriation for the Iowa soldiers' orphans' home.		307—To amend section one thousand and three hundred four (1304) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the exemption of certain property from taxation.	
Received	466	Received	783
Referred	468	Referred	796
*Reported with amendments	802	Reported	1187
*Amendments adopted	1232	Report adopted	1576, 1577
*Amended	1232	Passed	1577
*Passed	1233	Enrolled	1737
(*Journal record in error, H. F. 282 noted instead of H. F. 283.)		Signed by president	1758
House refuses to concur	1361	308—To amend section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m-seventeen (1571-m17) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the operation of motor vehicles upon the public highways and requiring that certain lights on such vehicles be shaded.	
Senate insists on amendments	1454, 1455	Received	764
Conference committee appointed	1455	Referred	766
Report of conference committee	1611	Reported	1414
Adopted	1611	Report adopted	1903
Passed	1611, 1612	Passed	1903
Enrolled	1737	Motion to reconsider filed	1908
Signed by president	1753	310—To require that all unexpended balances of certain appropriations made for specific purposes, and which purposes have been fully carried out, or abandoned, be transferred to the general revenue fund of the state, and to provide the provisions which should govern such transfer.	
293—To appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars, (\$5,000.00) to indemnify T. D. Fultz for a personal injury sustained by him while employed as a carpenter at the Iowa state college at Ames, Iowa.		Received	505
Received	1599	Referred	524
Referred	1627	Reported with amendments	982
Reported	1870	Amendments adopted	1286
Report adopted	1918	Consideration deferred	1286
Passed	1918	Considered and amended	1325
Enrolled	1969	Passed	1325
Signed by president	1976	House concurs	1538
303—To amend the law relating to the funds of cities and towns and to authorize cities and towns to transfer moneys from one fund to another by permission of court.		Enrolled	1606
Received	764	Signed by president	1612
Referred	766	314—To amend section four hundred seventy-one (471) of the code, relating to the issuance of county warrants.	
Reported	1006	Received	1303
Report adopted	1369	Referred	1331
Amended	1369	Reported	1420
Failed to pass	1370	315—To repeal section three thousand five hundred thirty-nine (3539) of the code, relative to the bringing of actions against unknown defendants.	
306—To amend section two thousand nine hundred sixty-three-l (2963-l) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the legalization of conveyances of real estate in certain cases.		Received	888
Received	505	Referred	892
Referred	524	Reported with amendments	1000
Reported	645	Amendments adopted	1377
Report adopted	781	Passed	1378
Passed	781, 782	House concurs	1702
Enrolled	873	Enrolled	1737
Signed by president	874	Signed by president	1758

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316—To amend section fifty-four hundred forty-seven-a (5447-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the suspension of execution of sentence of certain convicts on first conviction by the district court in which such conviction is had, or any judge thereof.	
Received	1159
Referred	1177
Re-referred	1507
317—To legalize the proceedings and the special election held in the incorporated town of Hinton, Iowa, on the 7th day of July, 1914.	
Received	538
Referred	540
Reported with amendments.	1254
Amendments adopted.....	1534
Passed	1534, 1535
House concurs	1702
Enrolled	1763
Signed by president.....	1800
318—To repeal section two (2) of chapter sixty-one (61) of the acts of the thirty-third general assembly and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the board of trustees of the firemen's pension fund.	
Received	1098
Referred	1100
Reported without recommendation	1428
327—Providing for the relocation of railroad tracks upon streets of certain cities so as to permit of the construction and operation of interurban railways on said streets, and for the use by interurban railways of said railroad tracks on said streets if the same are not relocated and the making of alterations in railroad tracks and the construction and maintenance of the connecting tracks, overhead trolley or other equipment of said interurban railways and for the payment of compensation for such relocation, use and other privileges, and giving to the board of railroad commissioners power to determine such alterations, relocation, use and other privileges and the terms and conditions thereof, and the amount to be paid therefor, and providing for appeals from the orders of said board of railroad commissioners.	

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Received	867
Placed on calendar	876
Considered	930
Amended	930-933
Passed	933
House concurs	947
Enrolled	984
Signed by president	987
328—To amend section four hundred thirty (430), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of monuments.	
Received	505
Referred	524
329—To amend section sixteen hundred sixty (1660), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the purchase of real estate by the board of supervisors for county fair purposes.	
Received	166
Referred	468
Reported	999
Report adopted	1556
Passed	1556, 1557
Enrolled	1756
Signed by president.....	1758
330—To amend section twenty-six hundred eighty-two-t (2682-t), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers and duties of the state board of education and the finance committee of said board of education.	
Received	466
Referred	468
Reported	980
Report adopted	1352
Passed	1353
Enrolled	1509
Signed by president.....	1516
336—To amend section seven hundred fifty-one (751), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to streets and public grounds.	
Received	644
Referred	676
Reported	969
Report adopted	1367
Passed	1368
Enrolled	1509
Signed by president.....	1516
339—To amend the law relating to the government of the soldiers' home as the same appears in section twenty-six hundred four (2604), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	1063
Referred	1096
Reported	1408
Report adopted	1541
Passed	1541
Enrolled	1674
Signed by president.....	1679

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341—To appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease.		and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities, within this state, by requiring an inspection of such stocks, bonds and other securities, and an inspection of the business of such persons, firms, associations, companies or corporations, including their agents and representatives, and the payment of an inspection fee.	
Received	467	Received	1223
Referred	469	Referred	1232
Reported	528	Reported with amendments	1332
Considered	531	Report adopted	1345
Passed	532	Amendment lost	1346
Enrolled	576	Passed	1347
Signed by president.....	577	Motion to reconsider laid on table	1347
342—To amend section seven hundred ninety - two - g (792-g), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of property not abutting, for street improvements.		Enrolled	1607
Received	913	Signed by president.....	1612
Referred	959	352—To repeal chapter 40, acts of the thirty-fifth general assembly and in lieu thereof to authorize the board of supervisors of each county to make provisions for the segregation, care and support of indigent persons afflicted with tuberculosis.	
Reported	1180	Received	810
Report adopted	1591	Referred	825
Passed	1591	Reported with amendments	996
Enrolled	1738	Amendments adopted	1368
Signed by president.....	1758	Passed	1368, 1369
345—To amend section three hundred and eight (308), supplement to the code 1913, relating to the compensation of county attorneys.		House concurs	1539
Received	934	Enrolled	1606
Referred	960	Signed by president.....	1612
Reported	1231	353—To amend the law relating to the inspection of petroleum as the same appears in chapter eleven (11) title twelve (XII), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Report adopted	1591	Received	1399
Passed	1592	Referred	1461
Enrolled	1738	Reported	1631
Signed by president.....	1758	Report adopted.....	1765
346—To amend section thirty-five hundred thirty - eight (3538) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the manner of commencing actions against unknown defendants.		Passed	1766
Received	888	Enrolled	1828
Referred	892	Signed by president.....	1869
Reported	1065	354—To amend the law relating to school corporations as the same appears in section twenty-seven hundred ninety - four - a (2794-a) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
Report adopted	1437	Received	1098
Passed	1437	Referred	1100
Enrolled	1605	Re-referred	1507
Signed by president.....	1612	Reported	1732
347—To amend section twenty-five hundred forty-eight (2548) of the code relating to the placing of fishways in dams or other obstructions across rivers and streams.		Report adopted	1813
Received	1125	Passed	1814
Referred	1142	Enrolled	1904
Reported unfavorably	1415	Signed by president.....	1915
Indefinitely postponed.....	1415	357—To amend section eighteen hundred seventy (1870) of the supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to	
351—To repeal the law as it appears in chapter 13-b, title IX, supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, to prevent fraud in the sale			

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the limit of liabilities to state and savings banks.	
Received	610
Referred	642
Reported	744
Report adopted	1120
Passed	1120
Enrolled	1349
Signed by president.....	1352
358—To amend sections sixteen hundred forty-two (1642) and sixteen hundred forty-four (1644) of the code, 1897, relating to corporations not organized for pecuniary profit.	
Received	887
Referred	891
Re-referred	1758
360—To amend the law relating to the term of office of members of the board of supervisors as the same appears in section four hundred eleven (411) supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	900
Referred	907
Reported unfavorably.....	1449
Indefinitely postponed....	1449
361—To amend the law relating to the powers of cities and towns to levy special taxes for gas, electric light, or power purposes, as the same appears in section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	610
Referred	641, 642
Reported	1102
Report adopted	1120
Passed	1121
Enrolled	1349
Signed by president.....	1352
362—To legalize the proceedings had for the incorporation of the town of Doon in Lyon county, Iowa, and to legalize the corporate acts of said town of Doon.	
Received	553
Referred	575
Reported	645
Report adopted	782
Passed	782
Enrolled	872
Signed by president.....	874
363—To provide juvenile playgrounds in cities of this state, providing for submitting the proposition to the voters, providing for the purchase or condemnation of real estate for such playgrounds, providing for the issue of city bonds with which to purchase same, creating a fund by the levy of a millage tax for the estab-	

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lishment and maintenance of such playgrounds and providing for rules and regulations to govern the operation of such playgrounds.	
Received	1159
Referred	1178
Reported	1426
Report adopted.....	1808
Passed	1808
Enrolled	1904
Signed by president.....	1915
365—To repeal the law as it appears in chapter nineteen-b (19-b) of title twelve (12) supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor to prevent the procreation of the insane, idiots, imbeciles and feeble-minded.	
Received	592
Referred	598
Reported	1153
Report adopted	1584
Passed	1584
Enrolled	1763
Signed by president.....	1800
366—To establish an industrial reformatory for women, to make appropriation therefor, to provide for the commitment of females to said reformatory, to provide for the removal of female convicts at Anamosa to said reformatory, to provide for the transfer of inmates to and from the industrial school for girls and repealing the law as it appears in chapter eight-a (8-a) of title thirteen (XIII) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to an industrial reformatory for females.	
Received	834
Referred	842
Reported	1373
Report adopted	1698
Passed	1698
Enrolled	1829
Signed by president.....	1869
367—To provide for the incorporation of co-operative associations, for the purpose of conducting any agricultural, dairy, mercantile, mining, manufacturing or mechanical business on the co-operative plan, and prescribing the terms and conditions on which such associations shall be permitted to do business within this state.	
Received	1516
Referred (Journal in error, states H. F. 369)	1626
Reported	1680

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Report adopted	1681
Passed	1682
Enrolled	1828
Signed by president	1869
369—To create a bureau of poultry as a branch of the department of agriculture, to provide for the organization thereof and making an appropriation therefor, and to amend sections sixteen hundred fifty-seven-b and sixteen hundred fifty-seven-k, supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	610
Referred	642
Committee instructed to return	1357
Reported	1371
Re-referred	1371
371—To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirteen (2713), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the support for the industrial school for boys at Eldora.	
Received	918
Referred	960
Reported with amendments	1373
Amendments adopted	1699
Passed	1699
Enrolled	1828
Signed by president	1869
372—To amend the law as it appears in sections nine hundred and seventy-two (972) and nine hundred and seventy-four (974) of the code, relating to street improvements and sewers, applicable to cities acting under special charters.	
Received	917
Referred	960
Re-referred	1506
Reported	1829
Report adopted	1900
Passed	1901
Enrolled	1974
Signed by president	1976
373—Legalizing the proceedings of the town council of Lake Mills, Winnebago county, Iowa, in connection with the passing of ordinance No. 45, providing for the election of three park commissioners for said town and legalizing the special election held on July 7, 1913, for the purpose of submitting said ordinance to the voters of said town for their approval; and for legalizing the said ordinance, the appointment of the park commissioners by the town council in pursuance of said ordi-	

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nance and the election of three park commissioners in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914; and the acts and proceedings of said park commissioners appointed by the town council in purchasing real estate for park purposes and certifying taxes to be levied in the year 1913; and the election of three park commissioners in pursuance of said ordinance at the town election in 1914, and the acts and proceedings of said three park commissioners elected in 1914 in certifying taxes for said year and all taxes levied and collected or levied in pursuance of said ordinance, and for legalizing in general all acts and proceedings of the town council of said town in connection with said ordinance and all acts and proceedings had by the park commissioners appointed and elected in pursuance of said ordinance.	
Received	887
Referred	891
Reported	1189, 1190
Report adopted	1227
Passed	1227
Enrolled	1348
Signed by president	1352
374—Authorizing cities and towns, including cities under special charter and cities operating under the commission form of government, to provide for the establishment of sanitary districts and districts for street sprinkling, flushing and cleaning and the establishment and maintenance of garbage disposal plants.	
Received	644
Referred	676
Reported	813
Considered	1233
Title amended	1234
Passed	1233, 1234
Motion to reconsider filed	1268
Senate requests return of S. R. 374	1288
(Evidently an error. Should have been H. F. 374.)	
House refuses to return	1349
Enrolled	1347
Signed by president	1352
Motion to reconsider withdrawn	1433
376—To repeal section eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881) of the code, relating to the report of the	

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condition of banks by the auditor of state to the governor, and to enact a substitute therefor.	
Received	644
Referred	676
Reported	1061
Report adopted.....	1489
Consideration deferred.....	1489
Consideration resumed.....	1635
Failed to pass.....	1635
 378—To amend section four hundred twenty-two (422), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of the board of supervisors.	
Received	900
Referred	907
Reported unfavorably.....	1230
Indefinitely postponed.....	1230
 379—To amend section eleven hundred seven (1107) of the code, relating to the printing of the official ballot, by limiting the cost of same per thousand.	
Received	1085
Referred	1098
Reported	1451
Report adopted.....	1814
Passed	1814
Enrolled	1904
Signed by president.....	1915
 381—To amend section four hundred twenty-three (423), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to expenditures for county improvements.	
Received	888
Referred	892
Reported	1230
Report adopted.....	1496
Amended	1496
Title amended.....	1497
Passed	1497
House concurs.....	1539
Enrolled	1606
Signed by president.....	1612
 383—To amend the law relating to the allowance made for labor performed by dipsomaniacs and inebriates, as the same appears in section twenty-three hundred ten-a-thirty-seven (2310-a37), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	784
Referred	795
Reported	1064
Report adopted	1486
Passed	1486, 1487
Enrolled	1606
Signed by president.....	1612
 385—To legalize the conveyance of certain real estate made to Right Rev. John Hennessy, bishop of diocese of Dubuque.	

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Received	906
Referred	907
Reported	1189
Report adopted	1287
Passed	1287, 1288
Enrolled	1377
Signed by president.....	1389
 390—To amend chapter six (6) of title XIV of the supplement to the code, 1913, by adding thereto a provision relative to the establishment of titles to real estate when the county records have been burned.	
Received	764
Referred	766
Re-referred	1507
 394—To provide for the investigation and testing of herds of cattle suspected of being infected with tuberculosis, to provide for the condemnation of animals found to be infected with said disease, and to compensate the owners thereof, to make it unlawful to keep or sell bulls affected with tuberculosis, to require cows from which milk is sold for family use to be tested, and to require all persons using or having in their possession tuberculin to report it, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.	
Received	1243
Referred	1245
Re-referred	1613
Reported and re-referred..	1652
Motion to recall from committee withdrawn.....	1938
Reported unfavorably.....	1965
Report rejected	1966
Amended	1967
Failed to pass.....	1967
 395—To repeal section twenty-three hundred forty-one-h (2341-h) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor and to amend section twenty-three hundred forty-one-g (2341-g), twenty-three hundred forty - one - i (2341-i), twenty-three hundred forty - one - k (2341-k), twenty-three hundred forty - one - m (2341-m), twenty-three hundred forty - one - o (2341-o), and twenty-three hundred forty-one-q (2341-q), all relating to the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept for public service.	
Received	1523
Considered	1562
Passed	1563
Enrolled	1757
Signed by president.....	1758

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396—To amend section seven hundred forty-one-d (741-d), section seven hundred forty-one-e (741-e), and section seven hundred forty-one-f (741-f), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the erection of city halls and the purchasing of ground therefor.		Received	810
Received	764	Referred	825
Referred	765	Reported	940
Reported with amendments	1101	Report adopted.....	1323
Amendments adopted 1499, 1500		Amended	1323
Further amended	1500	Consideration deferred.....	1323
Passed	1500	Consideration resumed.....	1531
House concurs.....	1538	Passed	1532
Enrolled	1605	House concurs.....	1637
Signed by president.....	1612	Enrolled	1756
		Signed by president.....	1758
397—To amend the law relating to homestead exemptions, as the same appears in section twenty-nine hundred eighty-five (2985) of the code.		409—Amending paragraph two (2), section eight hundred ninety-four (894), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the powers of cities to levy taxes.	
Received	1126	Received	1803
Referred	1142	Referred	1891
Re-referred	1758		
403—To amend the law as it appears in section four hundred ninety-five (495), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the salary of county recorders.		412—To legalize certain warrants of the city of Onawa, Iowa.	
Received	1702	Received	553
Referred	1727	Referred	575
Reported	1732	Reported	754
Report adopted.....	1830	Considered	755
Passed	1830	Passed	755
Enrolled	1905	Enrolled	802
Signed by president.....	1915		
405—To repeal the law as it appears in section seven hundred sixty-eight-c (768-c), section seven hundred sixty-eight-d (768-d), section seven hundred sixty-eight-e (768-e), and seven hundred sixty-eight-f (768-f) of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the equipment of street railways, and to provide penalty for violation thereof.		413—Requiring cities to establish and maintain public comfort stations.	
Received	644	Received	1483
Referred	676	Referred	1508
Reported unfavorably.....	1147		
Indefinitely postponed.....	1147	418—To repeal section two hundred ninety-seven (297) of the code supplement 1913, relating to compensation of the clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.	
		Received (Engrossing record—no journal record) April 17.	
		Referred	1950
		Motion to recall from committee lost	1950
408—Providing for the government of cities and incorporated towns by a council and manager; for the adoption of such plan of government by special election, and for penalties for violation of the provisions hereof, this act being additional to title V, of the code.		419—To authorize the river front improvement commission to permit the erection of a soldiers' monument or memorial hall upon any ground, the title to which is in such commission, under the provisions of chapter 9-a, title V, of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
		Received	909
		Referred	907
		Reported	1146
		Report adopted	1545
		Passed	1545
		Enrolled	1675
		Signed by president.....	1679
		420—Authorizing cities and towns, and cities acting under special charter, to permit the erection of soldiers' monuments or memorial halls erected under the provisions of section four	

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hundred and thirty (430) of the supplement to the code, 1913, or section four hundred and thirty-five (435) of the code, to be located in the parks or public grounds of the city or town.	
Received	947
Referred	959
Reported	1146
Report adopted	1545
Passed	1546
Enrolled	1675
Signed by president	1679
422—To provide for the submission of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the right of suffrage to the people for their ratification and approval.	
Received	1036
Referred	1058
Reported unfavorably	1251
Placed on calendar	1251
Considered	1657
Committee report rejected	1657
Passed	1657, 1658
Enrolled	1762
Signed by president	1800
424—To amend chapter 8-a, title V, of the 1913 supplement to the code, relating to protection of city property from floods.	
Received	1336
Referred	1459
Reported	1732
Report adopted	1812
Passed	1813
Enrolled	1905
Signed by president	1915
425—To legalize and validate all assessments of property for taxation made prior to January first, 1915, where the assessor has failed to attach his oath to the assessment roll as required by section 1365 of the code of Iowa, and all taxes levied under and by virtue of such assessment.	
Received	1379
Referred	1459
Reported	1668
429—To amend the law as it appears in section seventeen hundred twenty-one (1721), of the code, relating to the requirements necessary to permit foreign insurance companies to do business in the state of Iowa.	
Received	934
Referred	959
Reported	1034
Report adopted	1480
Further consideration deferred	1480

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Consideration resumed	1482
Failed to pass	1482
Motion to reconsider filed	1506
Considered	1508, 1509
Made special order	1509
Amended	1636
Passed	1636
House concurs	1702
Enrolled	1738
Signed	1758
431—To amend sections two thousand two hundred fifteen-f10 (2215-f10), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f15 (2215-f15), two thousand two hundred fifteen-f17 (2215-f17) and to repeal section two thousand two hundred fifteen-43 (2215-f43) and enact a substitute therefor, of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the militia and the military code of Iowa.	
Received	1115
Referred	1144
Reported unfavorably	1454
Indefinitely postponed	1454
438—To amend section thirteen hundred twenty-nine (1329), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to statements of telegraph and telephone companies for assessment purposes.	
Received	1293
Referred	1330
Re-referred	1758
441—To amend section one thousand three hundred and thirty-c (1330-c), code supplement, 1913, relating to the assessment and taxation of telegraph and telephone lines.	
Received	917
Referred	960
Reported	1404
444—To amend chapter two-a (2-a) of title ten (X), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the disbursement of surplus drainage funds.	
Received	1270
Referred	1290
Re-referred	1758
446—To amend section five hundred seventy-eight (578) of the code, relative to the posting of the statement of receipts and expenditures by the township clerk.	
Received	906
Referred	907
Reported	1154
Report adopted	1639
Passed	1639
Enrolled	1763
Signed by president	1800

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452—To amend sections one thousand eighty - seven - a5 (1087-a5), one thousand seventy-six (1076), and and thousand ninety-three (1093), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to judges and clerks of election.		Received	1099
		Referred	1100
		Reported	1420
		Received	1126
		Referred	1142
		Reported	1392
		Report adopted	1697
		Passed	1697, 1698
		Enrolled	1868
		Signed by president	1869
457—To legalize the plat of Gallaher's addition to the town (now city) of Jefferson, Iowa.		Received	1084
		Referred	1097
		Reported	1422
		Report adopted	1537
		Passed	1537
		Enrolled	1675
		Signed by president	1679
458—To repeal section two hundred ninety-eight (298) supplement of the code, 1913, relating to compensation of deputy clerks of the district court and to enact a substitute therefor.		Received	1115
		Referred	1143
		Reported	1180
		Amendment filed	1433
		Report adopted	1592
		Passed	1592, 1593
		Enrolled	1756
		Signed by president	1758
459—To repeal the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a11 (2727 - a11), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the monthly visitation by the board of control of state institutions, or the secretary thereof, and providing for the appointment of a woman to make such visit.		Received	1193
		Referred	1213
		Reported	1334
		Re-referred	1334
		Reported with amendments	1630
		Amendments adopted	1764
		Passed	1765
		House concurs	1886
		Enrolled	1868
		Signed by president	1869
460—To amend section twenty-six hundred ninety - two (2692) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the liability of counties for the support of children in the soldiers' orphans' home, by providing method of payment by the county.		Received	810
		Referred	825
		Reported with amendments	865
		Amendments adopted	1172
		Passed	1173
		House concurs	1221
		Enrolled	1348
		Signed by president	1352
461—To amend section twenty-seven hundred sixteen (2716) of the code, relating to payment of expenses of pupils at the college for the blind.		Received	1270
		Referred	1290
		Re-referred	1759
462—Relating to the equipment of street cars and maintenance of toilet facilities for street car employes, amendatory of section seven hundred sixty-eight (768), supplement to the code, 1913, and providing a penalty for failure to comply with its provisions.		Received	1115
		Referred	1143
		Reported	1180
		Amendment filed	1433
		Report adopted	1592
		Passed	1592, 1593
		Enrolled	1756
		Signed by president	1758
464—To create a department in the office of commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics for the purpose of providing free public employment.		Received	1193
		Referred	1213
		Reported	1334
		Re-referred	1334
		Reported with amendments	1630
		Amendments adopted	1764
		Passed	1765
		House concurs	1886
		Enrolled	1868
		Signed by president	1869
469—To legalize and cure the acts and proceedings of the independent consolidated school district of New Providence, Hardin county Iowa, preliminary to a certain bond issue voted September 5th, 1914, and to legalize and validate such bond issue.		Received	810
		Referred	825
		Reported with amendments	865
		Amendments adopted	1172
		Passed	1173
		House concurs	1221
		Enrolled	1348
		Signed by president	1352
475—To amend section thirteen hundred four (1304), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the exemption of certain property from taxation.		Received	1099
		Referred	1100
		Reported	1420

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Received	1400
Referred	1460
Reported	1680
Report adopted	1877
Passed	1877
Enrolled	1922
Signed by president.....	1929
476—To amend section fifteen hundred twenty-eight (1528) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the levying of taxes by township trustees.	
Received	1400
Referred	1461
478—To amend title twenty-four (XXIV), chapter eleven (11) of the code, 1897, relating to offenses against public policy.	
Received	1573
Referred	1626
Reported	1732
Report adopted.....	1781
Passed	1782
Enrolled	1868
Signed by president.....	1869
479—To regulate political advertising and to provide penalties for the breach thereof.	
Received	1063
Referred	1097
Reported with amendments	1254
Amendment adopted.....	1608
Passed	1608, 1609
Motion to reconsider filed.	1620
Motion lost	1711
House concurs.....	1873
Enrolled	1904
Signed by president.....	1915
481—Amending section forty-five hundred and three (4503) of the code relating to changes of venue in justice courts.	
Received	1114
Referred	1243
Reported unfavorably.....	1429
Indefinitely postponed.....	1429
483—To amend section forty-seven hundred and fifty-six (4756) of the code, relating to age of consent by females.	
Received	1238
Referred	1246
House requests return.....	1243
Senate returns.....	1247
Received from house.....	1362
Referred	1460
484—Relating to levees, drains, ditches and water courses, (2), title ten (X), of the additional to chapter two code, and amendments thereto, and to chapter two-a (2-a), title ten (X), supplement to the code, 1913, and amendments thereto, and amend-	

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ing section one thousand nine hundred eighty-five-a (1985-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and amending section one thousand nine hundred eighty-six (1986), supplement to the code, 1913, and amending and additional to section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a-52f (1989-a-52f), supplement to the code, 1913, and additional to section one thousand nine hundred eighty-nine-a-52d (1989-a-52d), supplement to the code, 1913.	
Received	1160
Referred	1178
Reported	1421
Report adopted	1555
Passed	1555
Enrolled	1757
Signed by president.....	1757
485—To amend section twenty-four hundred sixty-one-i (2461-i), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the limitation of the number of saloons in cities and towns acting under special charter.	
Received	1036
Referred	1058
Reported	1171, 1172
Report adopted	1567
Passed	1568
Enrolled	1757
Signed by president	1758
487—To amend section four thousand nine hundred seventy-five-c (4975-c) supplement to the code, 1913, relative to soliciting.	
Received	1116
Referred	1144
Re-referred	1506
489—To repeal section three hundred forty-four (344) of the code, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend section five thousand two hundred forty (5240), supplement to the code, 1913, all relating to the drawing and summoning of grand juries.	
Received	1138
Referred	1150
Reported	1295
Report adopted	1609
Failed to pass	1609
Motion to reconsider filed.	1620
495—Relating to insurance, providing for the supervision and examination of insurance rating bureaus by the commissioner of insurance; providing for an inspection and survey by such bureaus of all insurance risks specif-	

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		504—Creating the state board of audit and defining its powers and duties.	
		Received	1336
		Considered	1362
		Rules suspended.....	1362
		Passed	1362, 1363
		Motion to reconsider filed..	1397
		Motion to reconsider with- drawn	1612
		Enrolled	1738
		Signed by president.....	1758
		505—To amend section two hun- dred fifty-four-a-fourteen (254-a-14), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to juvenile courts.	
		Received	1303
		Referred	1331
		Re-referred	1506
		507—To amend section one thou- sand six hundred thirty- seven (1637) striking out certain words contained therein which relate to qualifications of foreign corporations to transact business in this state.	
		Received	1238
		Referred	1246
		Re-referred	1506
		508—To repeal section one thou- sand six hundred twenty- eight (1628) of the code, relating to non-user of franchise by corporations.	
		Received	1238
		Referred	1246
		Reported unfavorably.....	1425
		Indefinitely postponed.....	1425
		509—To amend the law as it ap- pears in section fifteen hundred seventy-one-m twenty (1571-m20), sup- plement to the code, 1913, relative to the powers of local authorities to regu- late automobile speed and traffic.	
		Received	1303
		Referred	1331
		Reported without recom- mendation	1429
		Considered	1956
		Failed to pass.....	1957
		511—To amend section four hun- dred ten (410), supple- ment to the code, 1913, relating to the number of members of the board of supervisors.	
		Received	1380
		Referred	1459
		515—To amend section one hundred sixty-four (164), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the pow- ers and duties of the exe- cutive council.	
		Received	1062
		Referred	1096
		Re-referred	1507
		500—To amend the law relating to the accepting and giv- ing of tips or gratuities, as the same appears in section five thousand twenty-eight-n (5028-n), supplement to the code, 1913.	
		Received	1160
		Referred	1178
		Reported without recom- mendation	1253
		501—Placing restrictions on the improvement of the capitol extension grounds, repeal- ing section fourteen hundred-t two (1400-t2), and amending section fourteen hundred-t (1400-t), supplement to the code, 1913.	
		Received	1193
		Referred	1213
		Reported	1334
		Report adopted.....	1665
		Failed to pass.....	1666
		503—To amend section three thou- sand five hundred fifty- eight (3558) of the code relating to copies of plead- ings.	
		Received	887
		Referred	891
		Reported	910
		Report adopted.....	1086
		Passed	1086
		Enrolled	1136
		Signed by president.....	1156
499—To amend section eight hun- dred fifty-d (850-d), sup- plement to the code, 1913, relative to the expendi- ture of park funds.		Received	1114
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517—To amend the law relating to control of the bridge fund in cities, as the same appears in section seven hundred fifty-eight (758), of the code, sections seven hundred fifty-eight-a (758-a), seven hundred fifty - eight - d (758-d), and seven hundred fifty-eight-e (758-e) of the supplement to the code, 1913.	
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Report adopted.....	1557
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518—To repeal section five (5) of chapter sixty-two (62) of the acts of the thirty-third general assembly, as amended by chapter fifty-one (51) of the acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to pensions for disabled and retired policemen.	
Received	1515
Referred	1625
524—To empower school boards, under stated conditions, to purchase or lease for stated educational purposes tracts of land and to improve the same for the purpose of establishing thereon summer homes or school for children who desire to continue their studies in useful pursuits throughout the year, and to define the purposes, functions and objects of such schools.	
Received	1138
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Referred	1290
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532—To provide for the transferring of board of health funds now in the hands of township clerks to the general road fund of the township.	
Received	1302
Referred	1331
Re-referred	1507
533—To amend section three thousand four hundred forty-seven-b (3447-b) fixing a later date for cutting off the interest of spouse where the spouse has failed to join in warranty deed or other instrument of conveyance of real estate.	
Received	1171
Referred	1177
Re-referred	1506
537—To amend chapter 2-a of title XII of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the detention and treatment of dipso-maniacs, inebriates and those addicted to the excessive use of narcotics.	
Received	1160
Referred	1178
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542—To amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred twenty-six of the code relating to municipal bonds.	
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Reported	1180
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543—To repeal section eighteen hundred seventy-five (1875) of the supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of bank examiners, their salaries, and fees of banks, and enacting a substitute therefor.	

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Passed	1924	Considered	1832
House concurs	1948	Passed	1833
Enrolled	1977	Enrolled	1904
Signed by president.....	1979	Signed by president.....	1915
551—To amend section 254-a20 of the supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the financial aid given to the widowed mother of dependent or neglected children.		568—To amend the law as it appears in section forty-three hundred thirty-eight (4338), of the code, relating to the disposition of fines and forfeitures.	
Received	1802	Received	1337
Referred	1889	Referred	1460
552—To declare personal property taxes a lien upon such property and to further provide for the collection of such taxes.		572—To repeal sections twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-j (2881-j), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-k (2881-k), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-l (2881-l), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-m (2881-m), twenty-eight hundred eighty-one-n (2881-n) of the supplement to the code, 1913, providing for the care and permanent preservation of the public archives and fixing and defining the authority and responsibilities of administration, care and custody thereof.	
Received	1752	Received	1114
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560—To provide for the safety of people employed or assembling in certain buildings, and to charge owners and others with duties with reference thereto.		Reported	1151, 1152
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564—To amend the law as it appears in section eight hundred thirty-six (836) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to street improvements, sewers and special assessments, making said section applicable to cities under special charters.		Considered	1543
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565—To amend the law as it appears in section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-twelve (1989-a-12) supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the assessment of costs and damages for the construction of levees, ditches, drains and drainage districts.		Received	1516
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580—To regulate the equipment and operation of moving picture machines, the protection of the operator and the premises where the same are located.	
Received	1637
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587—To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-seven hundred thirty (2730), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tax that may be levied for the support of county high schools in the state of Iowa, and to amend section twenty-seven hundred thirty-three one-a (2733-1-a), supplement to the code, 1913, relative to the amount of tuition to be paid high schools in counties where county high schools are maintained.	
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588—To amend the law as it appears in chapter 5-b, title III of the code, 1907, and amendments thereto, relating to the establishment of juvenile courts, the jurisdiction thereof, the manner of dealing with dependent and delinquent children, mode of procedure, trial, commitment, appointment of guardians, appointment of probation officers, and supervision of institutions and associations having charge of juveniles under this act.	
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Referred	1151
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596—To amend the law as it appears in section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-a (2692-a), supplement to the code, 1913, and section twenty-six hundred ninety-two-c (2692-c), supplement to the code, 1913, relating to the appointment of state agents and providing for compensation for same.	
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Referred	1097
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Received	834
Referred	842
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Report adopted	929
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Enrolled	1011
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 603—To appropriate money to reimburse certain persons for stock killed or to be killed by order of the state and federal authorities for the purpose of preventing the spread of the disease known as the "foot and mouth" disease; and to defray the expenses of quarantine, care, destruction or burial of stock within any quarantined district.	
Received	1637
Referred	1676
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Referred	960
Reported unfavorably	1036
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 605—To legalize a certain school election held February 6, 1915, for the organization of the consolidated independent district of Beech, in Warren county, Iowa.	
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Received	1293
Referred	1330
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Received	1337
Referred	1459
 609—To provide for the visitation of private and public hospitals, reformatory home, house of detention, sectarian seminaries, asylums, or other institutions which received patients, pupils or other inmates, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.	
Received	1399
Referred	1460
 610—To amend section one thousand eight hundred six (1806), supplement to the code, 1913, in relation to the amount of insurance to be required on improvements included in loans made by insurance companies.	
Received	1337
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Passed	1968, 1969
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Received	1599
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618—To legalize the acts and proceedings of the electors and officers of the independent school district of Hawkeye, Iowa, at the special meeting of said electors held on the eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1914, relative to the issuing of bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing and equipping a school house in said district and.	

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619—To legalize the special election held in the independent school district of Fort Atkinson, in the county of Winneshiek and state of Iowa, on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1914, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said independent school district to be voted upon by them, the question of issuing bonds in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars for the purpose of constructing and equipping school houses in said independent school district, and to validate and legalize the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.	
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620—To legalize the special election held in the city of Cresco, Howard county, Iowa, on March 10, 1915, wherein there was submitted to the voters of said city the question of issuing city water bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting a new water tower in said city, and purchasing grounds upon which to erect the same; to legalize the acts of the city council in respect to said election, canvassing the returns of said election and declaring the result thereof, and ordering the issuance of bonds thereunder; and to legalize the bonds issued in pursuance thereof.	
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Referred	1246
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Enrolled	1675
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