

SENATE VOTES AGAINST MOVE TO CENTRALIZE

Amendment to Make State Superintendent's Office Appointive Killed.

GOODRICH DREAM IS HIT

Former Governor James P. Goodrich's dream of a highly centralized form of State government, in which the whole system revolved around the chief executive, rapidly is being discarded by the Legislature. The latest movement along this line was the defeat in the Senate yesterday afternoon of the proposed constitutional amendment making the office of the State superintendent of public instruction appointive instead of elective. The vote was 55 to 12.

This proposed amendment and the one providing that the office of clerk of the Supreme Court should be appointive, which was killed Wednesday, were proposed originally by the Republican State platform in 1916, under the direction of Mr. Goodrich. Under his direction the Legislature passed these amendments two years ago, dividing almost strictly along party lines.

PATRIOTISM

The amendment concerning the office of the State superintendent was sponsored by Senator William E. English, Indianapolis, as a Republican platform measure. This drew the fire of Senator Joseph E. Henley, Bloomington, a Democrat, who declared that he held "patriotism before party."

The debate from then on resolved itself into a general slap at the manner in which the office of the State superintendent of public instruction has been conducted.

The slap at this office was the second one of the day, the previous one being the introduction of a resolution by Senator Arthur R. Baxter of Indianapolis, making the State board of education for making five-year contracts for textbooks at an increase in cost estimated at more than \$150,000 a year. The resolution was withdrawn by its author, who announced that it would be introduced again to-day.

Senator James J. Nejdl, Whiting, charged that Indiana's secretaries of education work because the General Assembly "has been miserly in providing funds," while Senator A. H. Beardisley, Elkhart, declared it was because the people elects the State superintendent rather than permitting the Governor to choose him.

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In Bad Weather

Any fool knows enough to carry an umbrella when it rains, but the wise man is he who carries one when it is only cloudy. Any man will send for a doctor when he gets a cold, but the wise man is he who adopts proper measures before his illness becomes serious.

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ported out of committee in a re-written form. It now provides that rent on property worth \$2,000 or more shall not exceed 12 per cent of its value and on property of less than \$2,000 shall not exceed 15 per cent. Not more than 10 per cent in excess of its cost shall be charged for service, according to the provisions of the rewritten bill. The valuation is to be based on the assessment for taxation.

PER DIEM ASKED FOR PARDON BOARD.

Three bills were introduced as follows:

Ratts—Providing that members of the State board of pardons shall receive per diem of \$10 instead of \$300 a day at present.

Allredge—To improve the sanitary conditions of locomotives.

Hogston—To provide that a majority of the original petitioners for a road may petition for a change in the material designated for the construction of a road.

Senator J. Fred Masters' bill to give transfer companies the right to take a lien on articles handled by them was lost yesterday by a vote of 26 to 23.

A bill changing the time in the election of the judge of the Thirty-seventh Judicial district in Franklin County was passed. It will extend the term of the present judge and will be held at the next judicial election in the same year as the regular county election is held.

Discovery was made in Senate Thursday afternoon that Senate Bill No. 120, introduced by Senator Paul Moler of Griffin, had been tampered with in such a manner that it was indicated on the printed copy that all but one section had been struck out. It is an "all or nothing" bill. The State board of health to test medicines sold as remedies for consumption.

The measure was reported out of the committee with a favorable majority report and an unfavorable minority report. It came back from the printer with the word "cancel" written in pencil beside each section, with the exception of the last one. These changes were described as "in cancelled" type, indicating that they were struck out by the committee. The committee, however, made no such changes in the bill.

Senator Tague's bill prescribing the size of tires and tonnage of automobile trucks that can be driven over wet and thawing roads, was adopted by a vote of 33 to 23.

Senator Arthur R. Baxter of Indianapolis introduced a bill in the Senate that would increase the speed limit for automobiles from eight to fifteen miles an hour in congested districts of the city, from one to twenty-five in other parts of the city and from twenty-five to thirty-five in the country.

Senate Bill No. 111, providing amendments to the present school transportation act, was passed, 33 to 2. The measure broadens the scope of the school transportation act.

Senate Bill No. 112, providing for the establishment of a State constabulary reached the Senate in a petition from local No. 67, United Mine Workers of America of Newburg. The miners declared that resident officers are able to handle law violators in Indiana and that nonresident officers are not necessary.

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SALARY GRANTS GIVEN SETBACK

House Kills Bill Providing Pay for Auditors' Help.

County officials who are expecting increased salary grants at the hands of the present Legislature received a rude setback yesterday when the House adopted a minority report killing the bill providing for salaries for additional help in the offices of county auditors. This action is believed by many of the assemblymen to forecast the fate of other sal-

ary bills pending, or ready for introduction.

The minority report was returned by the committee on fees and salaries, and was signed alone by Claude A. Smith. There was only a minimum of argument on the report.

Judiciary B committee of the House reported for indefinite postponement the bill introduced by Representative Omer

U. Newman, providing that no person may bid on property being sold for taxes unless he or she is a resident of the county in which the sale takes place.

The report was concurred in by the House.

Representative Lee L. Osborn's bill providing that any person who is injured by an automobile may have a lien on the machine pending a decision from the

court in any damage suit that may result therefrom, was killed by adoption of the report of the committee on fees and salaries.

The bill is one that was prepared and was being backed by the State Automobile Association.

The majority report on the bill provided for indefinite postponement of the bill, while the minority report, which was adopted, favored passage.

County clerks

would be compelled to

keep permanent records of

all marriages

and for marriage licenses by

the terms of a bill to be introduced in

the House of Representatives today by

Representative Russell B. Harrison, Marion County.

The idea of the bill, ac-

cording to Mr. Harrison, is to provide

some sort of permanent record for

the future regarding marriages.

Police Make Search for Young Runaways

The police are searching for Roy Huntington, 13, 1325 Uddell street, and Clay Simpson, 14, 2304 Burton avenue, who left home yesterday morning and did not return. Parents of one told the police they had learned the boys planned to run away to Cincinnati.

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