

GOVERNOR'S SANE OPPORTUNISM BEATS LEADERS' BOSSISM

By a Series of Brilliant Strokes the "School-master" Has Wrested Reforms From the Hands of the Legislature.

Spokesmen of Dominant Party in Both Branches Compelled to Grant Big Concessions in Fear of Majority Club Wielded by Brumbaugh.

HARRISBURG, May 20.—The Republican-Organization-controlled Legislature that started the session here last Monday, will adjourn since die like a lamb today. The members have left the floor from the rod of the "square-jawed" schoolmaster-Governor, and the pat on the back in the matter of the New Public Service Commission which Governor Brumbaugh has given the Organization leaders has failed to arouse the members of the Assembly from the abject State into which he whipped that body.

"I may become lonesome, but if the situation becomes unbearable I can bring them back," said the Chief Executive to-day.

From the time he forced Senators Penrose, McNichols and Crow to accept Charles A. Brumbaugh, and forced the House to elect the Montgomery Representative as speaker, he did not let up in his fight to dominate the situation in the Legislature throughout the session.

The "mighty" machine of the so-called Organization bowed to the will of the Governor as it never bowed before. It did so, however, because the backs of the State Organization, the Philadelphia leaders, fought out the Philadelphia majority fight here, and used the proceedings of the Legislature to play for positions in that race.

CANDIDATE STILL A MYSTERY. They did not select the Republican candidate, and it is still undecided whether Senator Vare or Senator McNeel will name the man, but they did form a coalition, and developed the situation which, during most of the session, looked like an open break, into harmony.

Other Legislation Passed. The other principal legislation enacted by this Legislature, woman suffrage, marriage, improved educational facilities and good roads, they were committed in the Republican State platform.

Without their help, however, Governor Brumbaugh could never have gotten his child labor and compensation measures through the Legislature. The real test of the Governor's own power was the last fight with Senator Vare.

As a reward the bosses now expect the Governor to sign the series of changes in the election laws passed late in the session. All the measures introduced by the Organization, with the exception of the repeal of the non-partisan ballot law, have been finally passed and are in the Governor's hands.

The anti-fusion bill passed the House last night. The other measure is a bill to make Senator Vare a Republican national committee member to give the Republican party first place on the ballot this year, two measures which would virtually prevent the formation of the Organization to elect all of its candidates for the Superior Court next fall.

United States Submarines Damaged in Maneuvers. 23 Breaks Crank Shaft and K-1 Has Engine Trouble, Officials Say.

SENATE PLACES TEACHERS UNDER CIVIL SERVICE

Opposition Is Shown, However, to Governor's Bill. HARRISBURG, May 20.—The Philadelphia delegation was split when the Senate early this morning finally passed the bill placing the teachers in the public schools of Philadelphia under civil service regulations. Senator Vare led the fight for the passage of the bill, with Senator Patton opposing it, and a hot debate followed.

ITALY'S GREEN BOOK BLAMES AUSTRIA FOR BREAK IN ALLIANCE

From Ultimatum to Serbia, Without Consulting Italy, to Delay in Replying to Rome's Notes Each Move Is Shown.

ROME, May 20.—Though efforts were made to keep secret the contents of the Green Book, which the Government had prepared for Parliament to set forth the negotiations with Austria, practically all its contents were known when Parliament met on December 29. The Green Book states that Italy remained faithful to the Triple Alliance pact, but declares that in the summer of 1914 Austria, without accord with Italy, without giving the latter country the slightest information and without hearing Italy's advice of moderation, sent an ultimatum to Serbia that caused the present war.

The Green Book opens with Baron Sonnino's telegram, dated December 5, inviting the Duke of Avarna, Italian Ambassador to Austria, to inform Count Berchtold that the Austrian advance into Serbia was covered by article 7 of the Triple Alliance pact. Austria's reply to these representations was negative.

USELESS TO NEGOTIATE. "It is useless to deal with the Austrian Foreign Office, as Austria is not inclined to concede." It was not until March 9 that the Burian ministry consented to negotiate with Italy relative to compensation, continues the "green book."

IMPOSED CONDITIONS. The chief features of the first conditions imposed upon Italy were the following: 1-Benevolent economic and political neutrality during the war.

SUFFRAGE AND ANTI LEADERS WILL DEBATE BEFORE MEN. Atlantic County Republicans Will Act as Judges.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 20.—Unwilling to trust such an important duty to subordinates, Mrs. Lillie F. Flecker, Plainfield, State president of the New Jersey suffragists, and Mrs. Orville B. Oliphant, society leader of Trenton and president of the anti-suffragists of the State, will present the appeal of their respective factions before Atlantic County Republicans here tonight.

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GLEN MILLS OFFICIALS MAY THROW PUBLICITY LIGHT ON INSTITUTION

Death of Boy Causes Treasurer of Institution to Say That He Will Recommend Abrogation of Policy of Secrecy.

James A. Hayes, treasurer of the Glen Mills School, announced today that at the next meeting of the Board of Directors of that institution, which will take place May 27, he would make a request that a thorough investigation be made of the death of Thomas Joseph Long, 16 years old, of 233 Poplar street, an inmate of the school, who died last Sunday evening after a fit fight with another inmate. Mr. Hayes will also insist that in the future no secrecy should be preserved in the institution relating to inmates confined there.

REFUSES TO GIVE NAME. "I won't tell you the name of the boy with whom Long had a fight," said Mr. Jobb. "If you are anxious to get his name go and ask the authorities. The dead boy for a long while had a weak heart. There is nothing strange about his death. I assure you that there is no mystery attached to his death. His death occurred after he had reached his dormitory. He had some words with another inmate, who later struck him a blow in the stomach. However, the blow which was struck had nothing to do with his death."

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KILLED MAN AT DOOR OF RIVAL



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COUNTERFEITS BILLS TO FEED HER BABIES

Points to Five Hungry Children in Justification of Passing Two Fake Notes, Say Police.

Maternal love, which placed the need of food for her five hungry children above the obedience of civil laws, moved Mrs. Mary Martin, 35 years old, of 665 Hart lane, to make two counterfeit \$5 notes and pass them in buying food. Arrested this morning after she had passed the second note on William Frye, a baker, of 2923 D street, the woman confessed her deed, the police said, and pointed to her hungry children in extenuation of her act.

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COUNCILS MAY FLOAT TRANSIT LOAN TODAY

Action Expected on Ordinance Authorizing Mayor to Negotiate Initial Step.

Favorable Councilmanic action on transit is expected today. The Finance Committee, it is stated, will report favorably on the ordinance authorizing Mayor Blankenburg to negotiate the \$5,000,000 transit loan. The resolution providing for 30 days' advertising of the city's intent to float the loan will be reported from committee and passed, according to the statements made today by members of the committee.

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