

SUFFRAGE HELD UP IN HOUSE AT DOVER

First Reading of School Code Will Occupy Four or Five Hours

BILL'S FRIENDS STAND FIRM

By a Staff Correspondent
Dover, Del., May 18.—Chances are very slim indeed that suffrage will come before the House of Representatives today.

The ratification resolution has not yet been passed over from the Senate. The school code went on its first reading when the House convened at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

Horace Sudler, the reading clerk, has a four or five-hour task ahead of him, the code being 50,000 words in length. This interval has its advantages, as it gives the suffragists still more time in which to work.

The du Ponts and most of the leaders who were in town yesterday in behalf of suffrage have departed.

Following the rather disappointing showing made by suffrage in yesterday's caucus of Republicans, it is reported another adjournment may be taken by the Legislature before the suffrage ratification resolution is sent from the Senate to the House for vote.

Governor Townsend's statement that another drive is to be made upon the legislators through their constituents would seem to indicate this. There also are several appropriations to go to committee. Included is that defraying the expenses of this special session.

These bills must be acted upon by committee so they may be presented at the final day of the session. Another adjournment, it is pointed out, would permit this.

No days may be wasted with impunity, as the law provides that special sessions must not consume more than thirty days and this one has accounted for twenty-five already. Only five more days remain including today.

Suspense Is Severe
Suffrage supporters are determined and undiscouraged. The suspense has been severe, however. For a while it was rumored yesterday the rules would be suspended and the matter put to the test in the House. As a result, the House of Representatives was thronged with suffrage and anti-suffrage supporters, both men and women. They had come to Dover in motorcars and by train and they early secured positions in the chamber of the House. They remained all day until it was seen there was no chance of any action being taken. Then one by one the motorcars departed and the remainder made their way to their hotels or left on the evening train.

During the caucus in the Supreme Court chamber, the corridors outside were filled with an alert and eager crowd. Some of the women had their knitting and they plied industrious fingers while keeping a watchful eye upon the courtroom door.

Suffragists Disappointed
Those were the hours for rumors and about everything possible was whispered about and for the while believed. When the caucus finally ended at 3 o'clock and the results became known about there was a perceptible let-down in the tension and incidentally the quiet but bravely borne disappointment upon the part of the women who have been fighting for suffrage so long.

Governor Townsend reiterated his belief in ultimate passage of the ratification resolution, however, and the suffragists went to their headquarters to prepare further plans. One very prominent anti was heard telling several legislators they had "done nobly; they were perfectly wonderful."

It is in Sussex county that opposition to suffrage is strongest and the political situation there only has aggravated matters. If the suffragists win they must win over Sussex. It was the action of Sussex representatives that caused the results in the caucus yesterday to fall below expectations.

"Win Sussex and suffrage goes over. Fall to move Sussex from its present position and suffrage fails," is the word today.

'CAMDEN CORRUPT,' CIVIC LEADER SAYS

Gambling Rife, Objectors Are 'Subsidized' by Political Machine, Hayes Says

INQUIRY IS "HUSHED UP"

"Corrupt and contented" is just the definition for the political situation in Camden, declares Charles H. Hayes, head of the Nonpartisan League, an organization of independent Republicans and Democrats, which elected a freeholder and three councilmen in opposition to the Baird machine last fall.

The Nonpartisan League, representing the independent thought of Camden, is the only organized opposition to machine rule in that city and is opposed to the Democratic as well as the Board organization in Camden county.

In denying David Baird's assertion that "Camden may be contented with its present rule, but is anything but corrupt," Mr. Hayes pointed to the councilmanial election last fall in Camden's Fifth ward, where he said a record had disclosed that voters in the ballot-box than registered voters in the fifth precinct of the ward.

Inquiry "Hushed Up"
The account obtained by the Nonpartisan League changed the election, which on the face of the returns had elected a Baird councilman and won the election of John Danielman, the Nonpartisan Democratic candidate.

A bluff at an investigation of the affair has been made, said Mr. Hayes, "but it has been hushed up nicely. Those ten excess ballots remain in the ballotbox today as far as I know as a result of the recount."

Mr. Hayes named political clubs in various Camden wards in which he said gambling was a common and constant occurrence, and excused an instance of the methods used to keep down opposition to them.

"In a certain ward a neighbor of one of these clubs was given a political job in the machine administration," he said, "to keep him silent on the rowdiness and other conditions in the clubs."

"Speaking of the influence exercised on the life of the city by the Baird machine," he continued, "I was talking to a business man about the question of having the city Lexowed. This man informed me that if he was to co-operate in such a proposal it would mean the ruin of his banking credit. He was no small business man, either. He is a man in a position to command \$100,000 credit any time, but he dare do nothing in opposition to the Baird political regime."

Mr. Hayes pointed to the city highway department as an instance of the asserted waste of public funds.

"Not so long ago," he said, "the street commissioner got an appropriation of \$20,000 to clean streets. There is very little evidence of its use for cleaning the streets, but I do know that the first thing done was to raise the salaries of the employees in the department. They put two men on the dump at \$5 a day, grading the dump. The appropriation is being eaten up in wasteful expenditures for political henchmen instead of the purpose for which it was appropriated."

"The highway department gets an annual appropriation of \$80,000, 65 per cent of which goes for salaries of street holders. During the war not a street

CITY AT FOREFRONT IN CARPET MAKING

Fact Brought Out in Commerce Chamber's Campaign to Boost Philadelphia

EX-ROYALTY COST LITTLE

Dutch Haven't Spent Much on Former Kaiser, Says Minister

The Hague, May 17.—(By A. P.)—Replying to a questioner in the second chamber of the States General today, the minister of the interior said the Dutch Government had never spent any money for entering to the armament of the former German emperor or crown prince, or otherwise providing for them, except that a modest dwelling had been fitted up at Wieringen for the crown prince, the cost of which to date had been 14,500 florins.

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