Legislative News

ALL ELECTION ACT AMENDMENTS GO

Governor Vetoes the Senate Bills Which Would Have Made Many Changes to the Laws

All election law amendment bills of any importance were vetoed by Governor Brumbaugh. They were given out as vetoed before the Governor left the city on Saturday, but not to be published until this morning.

The so-called "antifusion bill" was vetoed by the Governor with these words: "Its purpose is to compel all parties nominating candidates at the primary to carry their tickets unchanged to the election. There are reasons for such a law, any one conversant with the unnatural alliances of a recent campaign might well favor such an enactment and such conditions undoubtedly provoked and prompted the introduction and passage of this bill. But the fact that some have abused what others would use is not sufficient warrant for the approval of this bill. It may well be that the time will come when under present law citizens may co-operate to promote the loftiest ends of good government. It would be unfortunate if by any law this were prevented. It is a serious matter unduly to restrict the electorate and prevent such concert of action as will give the people relief in case a mistake is made in the nominations. The party in power will always secure the sympathy and support of right thinking citizens when it meets in the open and unrestricted its political opponents. Any attempt to thwart concert of action or to limit reorganization of interests prior to election is likely to produce criticism and opposition. The American voter loves free, fair play; and, in last analysis, those that abuse the freedom that should be given the voters will suffer, not profit by their misalliance."

People to Rule

In vetoing the bill regulating the formation of new parties the Governor says: "Its whole intent is to define party lines early in the year, to prevent fusion thereafter and hence to make the primary the potential election and the election that follows more or less a matter of course. To compel voters before February 1 to define their ultimate purpose as to the election in November is to restrict and hamper that independence of action which, though juggling and shifting of candidates and parties may sometimes be done, cannot in fairness be denied the electorate if we are to take the spirit of our government seriously. If the people are to rule it is only fair to give them the opportunity to do so."

On the bill which would give the Republican party the first place on the ballot in the next election because of polling the largest vote at a general election the Governor says: "To deny the Democratic party the preference in place on the ballot won at the last presidential election is of doubtful advantage to a party which for a time was in the minority but which is usually overwhelmingly in the majority. It is a "ripper" measure which would provoke justifiable criticism. A political party is entitled to all the advantages it can fairly win at the polls .The place of a party on the ballot is no longer of great significance. Voters are quite capable of finding the candidates they desire and the will of the people will be fairly expressed. Having the right of line is of little advantage, but whatever it may be, it should be won at the polls and not by Legislative enactment."

Committeeman Bill, Too

The bill to change the election of a national committeeman is declared to be retroactive and hence inoperative. The Governor says the bill also changes the per cent. of the vote required to establish a political party and while he assumes it was not intended to destroy any political parties it would accomplish that result and is therefore "unfair and unreasonable." The clause relative to election of a national committeeman he says refers to 1913 and it is to be regretted that the real intention can not be written into the bill, as it is reasonable, that the State committee elected in a presidential year should elect the national committeeman.

The bill regulating use of party names and nominations is vetoed with this comment: "The evident purpose of the repealer is to prevent independence of action on the part of any group of voters. It compels acceptance of party control and makes it difficult for those not willing to abide by the outcome of the primaries to find a means of registering their dissent. It distinctly restricts the voter in that freedom of action which he may abuse, but which, if we believe in our common democracy, we must accept and abide by. If we believe that the people should govern through their chosen delegates we can scarcely justify an attempt to prevent the people from having freedom of approach to the polls in order to express in their own way their rights as free citizens."

The bill prohibiting policemen and firmeen from canvassing election precincts in first-class cities is declared to in effect do away with what is known as the "Shern law." "City employes should not be in politics" writes the Governor, "but extraordinary conditions may arise in which it would be proper for the municipal officials to endeavor to secure data independent of whose special duty it is to secure such data or information.

What Got By

The five bills announced in the final roundup of legislation as approved by Governor Brumbaugh include the following, all relating to political matters:

Senate bill providing for witness fees and subpenas in registration hearings in first and second class cities.

Senate bill regulating the manner of electing judges where two or more judges are to be chosen of any court of record consisting of several judges elected at one election.

Senate bill amending nonpartisan act applying to second class cities by providing for identification of candidates by printing occupation after names.

Senate bill amending primary act by providing for identification of candidates by printing occupation after names upon request.

House bill removing requirements of certifiaction of nomination of aldermen and justices of the peace to Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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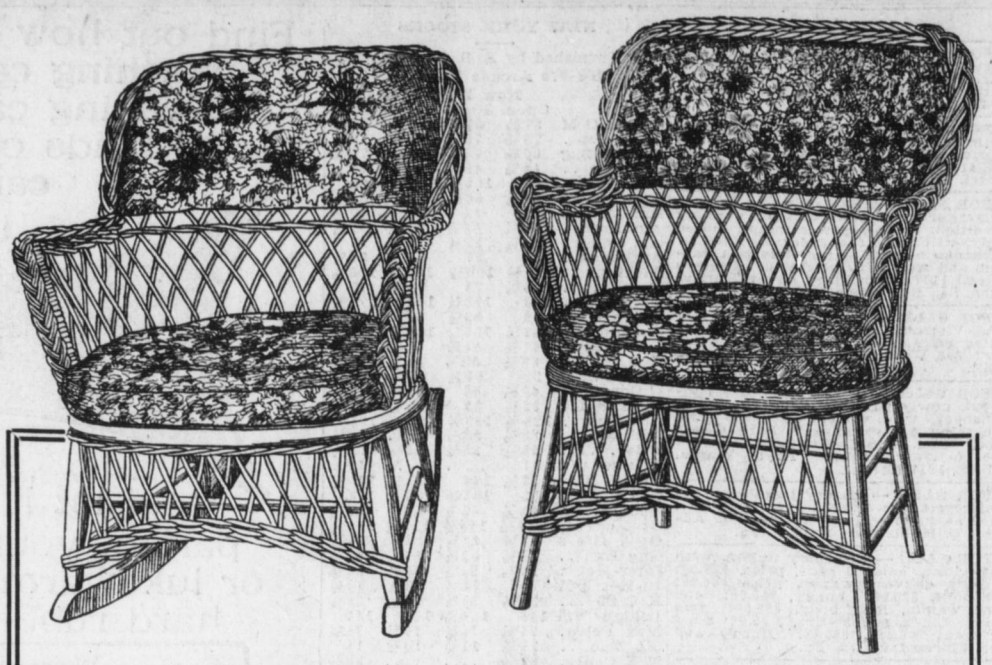

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WITH Reed advanced from 200 to 300 per cent. in the past year owing to the supply from abroad being cut off on account of war, it is certain that this class of furniture will soar in prices in the near future. We are positive you will not be able to buy chairs and rockers like these at such low prices again when this special lot has all been sold.

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Smaller Prices for Small Rugs

Clearance of a special lot of small rugs whose patterns have been discontinued. Included are good offerings in stair treads, door mats and matting remnants.

$3.00 Smith Axminster rug, 36x72 inches	$2.39
$10.00 Anglo-Persian rug, 36x63 inches	$8.00
$9.00 French Wilton rug, 36x63 inches	$7.25
$6.75 Bundhar Wilton rug, 36x63 inches	$5.25
$6.50 Anglo-Persian rug, 27x54 inches	$5.15
$5.50 Anglo-Indian rug, 27x54 inches	$4.35
$4.25 Teprac Wilton rug, 27x54 inches	$3.30
$4.50 Lyons Persian rug, 27x54 inches	$3.65
$4.50 Bundhar Wilto nrug, 27x54 inches	$3.50
$1.25 Japan grass rugs, 36x72 inches	79c
RUBBER STAIR TREADS	
20c treads, 9x18 inches	15c
15c treads, 7x18 inches	12c
RUBBER DOOR MATS	
75c door mats, 18x30 inches	49c
MATTING	
Remnants of 25c, 30c and 35c China and Japan matting; yard	15c

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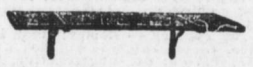
Plate Glass Shelves In a Sale To-morrow, 25¢



16, 18 and 20-inch plate glass bathroom shelves, with nickel plated fixtures; regularly 39c to 69c. In a special sale to-morrow. Basement.

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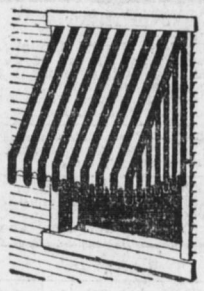


Awnings In a Sale $1.00 and $1.65

Tan and green stripes in a good quality of material. The following sizes will be offered in a sale on the third floor tomorrow:

2 ft. 6 inches, with 3 ft. 6-inch drop.

3 ft., with 3 ft. 6-inch drop.

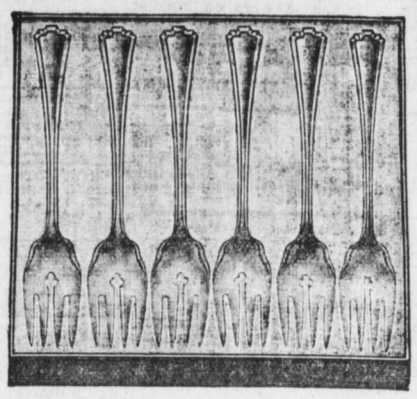
3 ft. 6 inches, with 3 ft. 6-inch drop.

4 ft., with 3 ft. 6-inch drop.

An Important Sale of Rogers Silverware Embracing Values That Are Out of the Ordinary

An exceptional buying opportunity is presented to homes, hotels and restaurants in this annual June Sale of Rogers Silverware.

An important feature of the sale is the fact that we have gathered hundreds of pieces in the popular Manchester pattern, which carries a full and unreserved guarantee for genuineness of quality. The spoons, forks, butter knives and sugar shells are plated with pure silver on a nickeled silver metal base and the knives are plated on the finest grade of crucible steel obtainable.



Prices Are Uncommonly Attractive on These Items

Manchester tea spoons, ½ dozen	49c
Dessert spoons, ½ dozen	98c
Table spoons, ½ dozen	$1.19
Coffee spoons, ½ dozen	59c
Round bowl soup spoons, ½ dozen	$1.25
Orange spoons, ½ dozen	98c
Oyster forks, ½ dozen	98c
Individual butter spreaders, ½ dozen	$1.19
Individual salad forks, ½ dozen	$1.25
Individual fruit knives, ½ dozen	$1.25
Colonial fruit knives	98c
Cream ladles, each	39c
Cold meat forks, each	39c
Gravy ladles, each	49c
Berry spoons, each	59c
Soup ladles, each	$1.19
Butter knives, each	25c
Sugar shells, each	25c
Baby spoons, each	25c
Children's sets of knife, fork and spoon	49c
Six knives and six forks	$2.50

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Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart—Street Floor.

Attractive Month-End Values in Colored Wash Weaves

39c Embroidered Voile Reduced to 25c

59c embroidered batiste in a mercerized finish with white ground and colored woven figures of pink, blue and black. Special, yard 39c

Linen pongee, solid shades of pink, rose, blue, helio, green, tan and wistaria; also white and tan with colored pin stripes. Yard, 25c

Dress linens, 36 inches to 45 inches wide; in the wanted shades. Yard ..... 39c to 89c

Beach cloth, 36 inches wide in natural colors. Yard 29c

Gabardine, 36 inches wide, in tan, navy and grey. Yard 49c

Bengaline, 36 inches wide; in Copenhagen and green. Yard, 39c

19c Shadow Voile Reduced to 12½c

Seeded voile, 36 inches wide, in white and tinted grounds. Yard, 29c

Silk and cotton poplin, 36 inches wide. Yard 59c

40-inch tissue in white grounds and colored woven stripes. Yard 29c

Crepe de chine, 36 inches wide; one-half silk; all the new shades. Yard 39c

12½c batiste, in white and colored grounds and fancy styles. Special, yard 10c

39c embroidered voiles, in white grounds and colored woven figures. Special, yard 25c

12½c batiste, 40 inches wide, in neat colored stripes. Special, yard 8½c

25c voiles, 36 inches wide, in fancy styles. Special, yard.....15c

19c shadow stripe voile, white and colored grounds and floral designs. Special, yard 12½c

75c silk poplin, one-half silk, 36 inches wide. Special, yard 59c

Lace cloth, 36 inches wide, a lacy woven material in white ground with floral effect. Yard, 29c

Wash silk, 36 inches wide, one-half silk. Yard 50c

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart—St. Fl.

CUT $6,750,000 IN APPROVING BILLS

Governor Approved Allowances to Something Over $65,000,000 For Next Two Years

Study of the reductions and vetoes of legislation carrying appropriations as far as announced by Governor Grumbaugh show that he cut off at least $6,729,559.35 from the $72,194,411.77 passed by the Legislature. This may be increased to $6,750,000. The Governor's figure sheets show approvals of appropriations to the amount of 65,464,852.42.

In making his cuts the Governor went closer to the estimate given to him by Chairmen James F. Woodward and Clarence J. Buckman, of the appropriations committees, than to what was furnished to him by Auditor General A. W. Powell. The chairmen estimated that $68,479,819.70 would be a safe figure, basing this statement on what had been given them by Mr. Powell on February 28. The Auditor General gave an estimate of less than $61,000,000. The Governor's approvals seem to aggregate $65,464,852.42. The aggregate appropriated was $72,194,411.77, so that the cut was $6,729,559.35.

In 1913 Governor John K. Tener faced appropriations of $89,046,777.43 and cut off $22,838,636.21, leaving $66,208,141.22. A table of comparisons shows the following:

Class.	1913.	Approved. 1915.
State institutions	$9,776,530.00	$8,804,310.00
Semistate	1,368,165.00	1,376,694.00
Hospitals	5,014,820.00	4,765,450.00
Sanatoria	90,000.00	2,815,807.00
Homes	730,700.00	785,300.00
Educational	3,609,000.00	3,464,911.00
Monuments	15,000.00	60,000.00
Miscellaneous	5,266,200.00	12,042,804.00
Sub total	25,860,415.00	34,115,276.00
General appropriation bill	40,347,726.22	31,849,576.42

This year the highway appropriation was in miscellaneous and the tuberculosis bill under saratoria.

EQUAL RIGHTS GOES DOWN IN THE END

Bill Was Held Until the Last Day and Vetoed Because Change Had Not Been Printed

Governor Brumbaugh vetoed the "equal rights" bill because as finally passed it contained words written and not printed, as required by the Constitution. He says that existing laws guarantee equal rights regardless of race, color or creed and that the State has not been remiss in enacting laws. While due notice was given and noted on the legislative journal that the change had been made, it is impossible to approve it under the law.

The Senate bill providing for additions to the force of the State Fire Marshal is vetoed because it would cost $70,500, which the State cannot afford at this time to add "to its already heavy charges for salaries." The Governor also says it opposes the act giving the Attorney General control of all legal business.

Other bills announced as vetoed include several Philadelphia salary raisers and the following:

Senate bill providing for State supervision over inspectors of weights and measures, which, the Governor says, would mean ten new places, which is not advisable at this time.

Senate bill for a commission to codify laws relative to juvenile courts, the Governor saying that the Legislative Reference Bureau and Attorney General can and will do it.

Senate bill making an appropriation for the Topographic and Geologic Survey. The Governor says the appropriation is too small and would scarcely keep the department salaries in force. It would be better, he says, to do it in a manner commensurate with the importance of the work.

ELEVEN LODGES REPRESENTED AT MEMORIAL SERVICES

Eleven lodges of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows were represented last evening at the annual memorial services of the Southern District of Dauphin county, which were held in Messiah Lutheran Church. The roll call of the dead members was read by Christian W. Myers, past grand master of the order. The memorial sermon of the evening was given by the Rev. Henry W. A. Sanson, pastor of the church, who spoke on "Faith, Hope and Charity." A special program of music was given by the choir.

OLD PRINTER CELEBRATING IS CELEBRATING BIRTHDAY

James Falker, of Rutherford Heights, is celebrating his 75th birthday to-day. He claims to be the oldest printer in Cumberland and Dauphin counties. Mr. Felker was born in Carlisle. He was employed at Washington in the government offices when the reports were being made of President Johnson's impeachment trial.

GOVERNOR VETOED EXACTLY 211 BILLS

Made New High Water Mark in Cutting Down Legislation on General Subjects

Governor Brumbaugh finished up work on the 708 bills left with him by the recent General Assembly on Saturday afternoon and it was 6 o'clock last night before his office force handed out the last veto. There are some more which will come along later. The Governor is away for several days, the place being kept secret so that he will not be bothered by anyone.

Records of the State Department show that he vetoed 211 bills, or 41 more than John K. Tener in 1913. The Tener veto list ran up to 171. In 1911 he vetoed 122 bills and in 1909 Edwin S. Stuart vetoed 120. The Governor signed 792 bills. John K. Tener signed 857 in 1913 and 847 in 1911. Edwin S. Stuart signed 659 in 1909.

The Governor vetoed in part many items in the list of appropriations for hospitals and other charities and miscellaneous objects. He carved out over $5,500,000, the results being announced shortly before midnight Saturday night. Only $100,000 was cut from the highway appropriation. It amounts to $8,300,000 and the schools were not touched. Thus the Governor will be able to carry out his two big objects. The State Armory Board is cut $100,000 and the Philadelphia port reduced from a half to a quarter million.

Molly Pitcher's monument bill was approved and $250,000 given for mothers' pensions. Forty thousand dollars is allowed for the completion of the State arsenal and Superintendent Rambo will now ask bids.

The Capitol Park extension commission is given $300,000 to finish the work.

The University of Pennsylvania gets $900,000 all told and State College something over a million. The University of Pittsburgh gets $600,000 and allowance is made for buying normal schools.

Before going away the Governor gave out this statement:

"In an attempt to keep the expenditures of the Commonwealth within its predictable income it has been necessary to reduce the Commonwealth's bounty to many deserving institutions and organizations. It is to me regrettable that higher education, to which I gave so much of my life, has with other worthy causes been reduced as it became imperative to do. I am not unmindful of the fact that some of my fellow-citizens and their representatives who have been most active and insistent in their efforts to secure large appropriations for the institutions with which they are connected or in which they have a special interest are precisely the same citizens who have been even more active in defeating legislation to increase the State's revenues. In other words, their activity against good laws has been the cause of their failure to secure what their activity for institutions led the Assembly to appropriate. If men are not willing to help provide revenues for the Commonwealth, by what show of reason can they expect large appropriations from the Commonwealth?"

WEIDMAN-TSCHUDY WEDDING

Special to The Telegraph

East Donegal, June 21.—Miss Eva Tchudy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli W. Tschudy, of this place, was married Saturday to W. Paul Weidman, of Columbia, by the Rev. E. Elmer Sensenig, pastor of the Marietta Reformed Church.

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