

# NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

## BALDWIN NOW STATE SENATOR

Former Speaker Takes the Oath Before Judge George Kunkel

Richard J. Baldwin, of Chester county, former speaker of the House of Representatives, was sworn in as a member of the Senate last night by Judge George Kunkel, Dauphin county to fill the unexpired term of Governor Sprout. President pro-tem Buckman, appointed Senators Crow, Fayette and Jones, Susquehanna, to conduct Mr. Baldwin to the Bar of the Senate, where the oath of office was administered by Judge Kunkel. The desk of the new senator contained a huge bouquet, the gift of voters of Delaware county, and some of his constituents were on hand to witness the ceremony.

Senator Woodward, Philadelphia, presented the Philadelphia charter revision bills shortly after the session commenced and a little while later Senator Vane, Philadelphia reported them out of the committee on municipal affairs. They were passed on first reading, at once. The Senate also passed finally resolution petitioning the Secretary of War to return the 79th or Liberty Bell Division, which is composed largely of Pennsylvania men from Camp Meade, from overseas service. Senator Tompkins raised an objection to the passage of the resolution, but later declined to make a motion to have the measure referred to committee.

The bill reorganizing the State Highway Department and providing for a State Highway commissioner at \$8,000 per year and two deputy commissioners at \$6,000, was passed finally by the Senate, which concurred in minor changes made in the bill by the House. The measure now goes to the Governor for his signature.

**CHILD DIES IN HOSPITAL**  
Edward Keys, aged 8 years, 814 James street, died this morning at the Harrisburg Hospital after forty-five days' illness, from influenza and meningitis. He was the son of Irvin Keys.

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## EYRE BILL WILL BE BROADENED

Loan Transfer Bill to Include All Cities in Pennsylvania

The Eyre bill authorizing third class cities to vote to transfer loans previously authorized to another object was recommitted to the municipal committee on motion of Chairman Stadlander. The bill is that designed to enable Harrisburg to vote to transfer a \$500,000 bridge loan to the memorial bridge to be built by the State in Capitol Park. Mr. Stadlander said the idea was to amend the bill so that it would apply to all municipalities.

The Shunk bill authorizing the Public Service Commission to suspend measured rates during legislation was passed by the House 150 to 19 after a debate between Messrs. Milner, Philadelphia, who opposed it as untimely, and Messrs. Simpson Allegheny, and Wallace, Lawrence who favored it.

The House unanimously adopted a resolution presented by Mr. Heit, Northumberland, calling upon the secretary of war to order the return of the 79th Division from France at the earliest possible time. This division is largely made up of drafted men from Eastern Pennsylvania. The resolution recites the services of the division.

The Zook milk price bill was killed.

## Road Bills Speed on Their Journey

The Dawson bill providing for issuance of the \$50,000,000 road loan bond issue was reported favorably by the House ways and means committee soon after the lower branch met and at request of Chairman Williams of the public roads committee, was passed for the first time. Chairman Dawson of the ways and means committee, introduced establishing a separate sinking fund for the road bonds, stipulating that it may consist of proceeds of public works or stocks owned by the State and appropriations and accumulations thereon. It was accompanied by an act taking from the State fire insurance fund money heretofore sent automatically to the general sinking fund. The State sinking fund now equals all obligations. The two big State highway bills were passed for the second time without comment. They carry over \$12,000,000 for administration, State and other projects.

## SUFFRAGE MAY COME UP EARLY

Senator Penrose Will Determine What to Do About Matter

It is possible that the women of Pennsylvania will be given the right to vote for candidates for President in 1920. This would be done by the enactment of a presidential suffrage act at this session of the Legislature. Whether or not this is to be done will be determined largely by United States Senator Boies Penrose, Republican National Committeeman for Pennsylvania, and Chairman Will H. Hays of the Republican National Committee.

The Pennsylvania Legislature is overwhelmingly Republican and on the question of suffrage its disposition to do the thing which will be most advantageous to the Republican party in the nation. Some inklings have reached Harrisburg that the national directors of the party are giving serious consideration to the question of what Pennsylvania should do at this time in the matter of giving votes to women.

Whatever decision is reached by Senator Penrose and Chairman Hays will be carried out by the legislative leaders, even if a number of them are not personally disposed to give the franchise to women. Governor William C. Sproul is in favor of woman suffrage and if all the leaders unite it would be an easy matter to put through whatever legislation on the subject is decided upon.

The passage of a resolution submitting an amendment to the State constitution giving the women equal suffrage and the enactment of a law allowing female suffrage in presidential elections are the two propositions under consideration. Either or both can be passed or defeated.

## Big Gathering Today to Discuss Pension Measure

The hearing on the Mothers' Pension bill will be held this afternoon by the House Appropriations committee and the question of giving additional funds to that cause will be considered. Already Chairman William J. McCaig, of the committee, has expressed himself as favoring an additional amount over the 1917 appropriation but whether it will approach the \$1,000,000 asked for in the Vickerman bill has not been determined.

## TEACHERS' PAY BILL PRESENTED

Zimmerman Draft Introduced in House—Another Rush of Bills

A new teachers salary bill establishing a series of minimum salaries was presented to the House last night by Mr. Woodruff, Snyder, having been drawn by educators. It amends the school code.

The minimum salary list is made as follows: Holders of provisional certificates \$60 per month, professional or normal schools \$75; permanent \$85, the state to pay 40 per cent where salaries are increased over 1918 and 1919 figures. Each teacher receiving less than \$100 per month and not affected by the act is to get 25 per cent. increase paid by the State.

Rural teachers are to get \$10 per month increase if they do not come under the first provisions. The superintendent of public instruction is to decide what are rural schools.

The following increases are made on salaries based on 1919 figures: 20 per cent to those receiving between \$100 and \$150 monthly; 15 per cent to those receiving between \$150 and \$200; 10 per cent to those over \$200.

The State is to pay half of these increases. Mr. Dunn, Philadelphia, introduced a bill permitting liquor license holders to surrender their licenses and authorizing county treasurers to "refund a proportionate amount of the annual license fee and additional license and requiring for State and municipal use the amount so received. The license proceeds already received are appropriated for the refund.

**For Tuberculosis**  
An appropriation of \$2,284,295 is carried for the State Tuberculosis Sanatoria and dispensaries in a bill read in place of a bill introduced by the appropriations committee. By terms of a bill by Mr. Dawson, Lackawanna, "any citizen" would be permitted to enter a polling place and demand from election officers a statement of votes at the time any other information proper to give out.

**Mothers Pension**  
A million dollar appropriation for mothers pension and classification of the counties of the State into seven divisions for administration of the system are contained in a bill introduced by the Wickerman, Allegheny. Counties are required to make appropriations equalling the State allowance.

## FILIBUSTERING CONGRESS ENDS

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sion continued until the end. Senator Sherman, of Illinois, Republican, who began a speech at 7:30 a. m. and held the floor for more than four hours and prevented further consideration of the railroad appropriation.

The last half hour of the session was spent by the Senate in roll calls on a House resolution to which amendments were proposed providing for early demobilization of the American army. The resolution never reached a final vote, amendments being under consideration when Vice-President Marshall's final gavel dropped.

**"Without Benefit of Clergy"**  
The Senate adjourned in an uproar of laughter when the Vice-President announced that the Senate was adjourned sine "deo" instead of sine "die".

Half an hour before adjournment President Wilson, who with his cabinet was in the executive's private room off the Senate chamber, signed the \$1,000,000,000 wheat guarantee measure.

There was no further action in the Senate on the resolution offered last night by Republican Leader Lodge and signed by thirty-eight Republican members of the next Senate, opposing the League of Nations in its present form. The House resolution urging the American peace delegation to make an appeal for Irish independence also died in the Senate.

**No Presidential Sign**  
Failure of the \$750,000,000 railroad appropriation was also carried with it other appropriations in the general deficiency bill, aggregating \$92,000,000 distributed among many government departments, including \$20,000,000 for purchase and requisition of ships by the Shipping Board.

Death of the railroad measure and conference between the President with Congressional leaders to-day brought forth no definite sign of the President's plan of dealing with the railroads, although many Senate leaders advised the President to return the roads immediately to private ownership.

## Labor Body Urges That Burleson Be Removed

The executive council of the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor, meeting here to-day, adopted a resolution requesting the removal of Postmaster General Burleson. A telegram signed by C. F. Quinn, the secretary, was sent to President Wilson, as follows:

"Pennsylvania Federation of Labor executive council, in session here, urges removal of Postmaster General Burleson because of treatment of employes and the un-American spirit revealed in the conduct of his office."

**AFRICA WILL PROBATED**  
Huntingdon, Pa., March 4.—The will of Elmer McClean, African president of J. C. Blair Company, who died last week, leaves many charitable bequests. Among them are:

Nurses home of J. C. Blair Memorial Hospital, \$100,000; First Methodist Episcopal Church, Huntingdon, \$5,000; First Presbyterian Church, Huntingdon, \$5,000; Huntingdon Park and Road Association, \$2,000; Huntingdon Orphan's Home, \$2,000. His library will be willed to Juniata College and the greater part of his stock in J. C. Blair Company bequeathed to employees of the company. The estate is valued at \$500,000.

**NAMED TO POSITIONS**  
Samuel T. Dittmore, 1007 Market street, was appointed assistant draughtsman and transitman, and Miss Jennie Blocker, 24 South Nineteenth street, stenographer, in the office of City Engineer J. B. Cowden, by Council to-day.

## GOVERNORS NOT IN HARMONY AT PEACE MEETING

Ohio Executive Refutes New Jersey Chief's Statement of Democratic Effort

Washington, March 4.—A clash between Governor Edge, of New Jersey, and Governor Cox, of Ohio, developed to-day at the conference of governors and mayors, after an attack by Governor Edge on the government's policy of "trying to do too much for the people." Governor Cox said the government was not doing enough.

Roger W. Babson, director of the Department of Labor's Information and Education Service, was the principal speaker at the morning session.

at which Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts, presided.

All the government departments, Mr. Babson told the conference, are working in co-operation to extend industrial opportunity, reduce prices and provide employment.

"Something or somebody, however," he added, "is gumming up the wheels of prosperity."

Asserting that there were 500,000 idle workers in the United States and that soldiers are returning by the thousands, and that they also want work, Mr. Babson said normal employment of labor could be obtained with a normal volume of new orders.

"Manufacturers are willing to produce," he continued, "merchants are willing to stock up, when the public is ready to buy. It is strongly recommended to us to-day that the government should secure as much publicity for a movement to stimulate buying as it did during the war to retard buying."

The speaker advocated a campaign of systematic advertising to stimulate buying and told the governors and mayors that the greatest service they could perform was

to urge the public to "buy wisely, but buy now."

Governor Sprout, of Pennsylvania, criticized government administration of railroads, mails, express, telephones and telegraphs. He suggested that the railroad administration immediately start to buy material and

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improve properties, and pay railroads the bills it owes them. Railroads in Pennsylvania, he said, had discharged 50,000 men under government administration and this did not accord with other government preachings. Use McNeil's Pain Exterminator—Ad

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- WALL BRUSH**  
**39c**
- ALARM CLOCKS**
- SPECIAL Chip Clothes Baskets.... **69c**
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36-inch unbleached muslin, 14c Yard.....	<b>14c</b>	27-inch ticking, good quality, 25c Yard.....	<b>25c</b>	27-inch fine dress gingham, 25c Yard.....	<b>25c</b>
76-inch unbleached sheeting, 49c Yard.....	<b>49c</b>	42-inch pillow casing, white, 35c Yard.....	<b>35c</b>	32-inch fine dress gingham, 39c Yard.....	<b>39c</b>

- ALARM CLOCKS**
- SPECIAL O'Cedar Oil, 50c size.... **39c**
  - SPECIAL Glass Water Pitchers.... **25c**
  - SPECIAL Mahogany Serving Trays..... **98c**

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Wool Fiber Rugs, 9x12 feet.....	<b>\$8.95</b>	Alva Velvet Rugs, 9x12 feet.....	<b>\$29.95</b>
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GRAY WOOL FINISH BLANKETS, full size and heavyweight; size 66x80. Special pair.....	<b>\$3.69</b>	GRAY WOOLEN BLANKETS in pink and blue borders—size 66x80 inches. Special.....	<b>\$6.50</b>
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