LEGISLATIVE SESSION JUST CLOSED ONE OF THE MOST CONSTRUCTIVE MEETINGS OF PENNSYLVANIA LAW MAKERS EVER HELD

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ed indebtedness has been paid, after which the tax levy shall not exceed eight mills.

The teacher's retirement fund authorized by the last Legislature has been given an appropriation this time of $750,000. It is figured that this is sufficient to run it until the appropriations of the next Legislature are available.

An important piece of school legislation in the hands of the Governor is contained in the Lanius bill, providing for the special education of certain children incapable of proper instruction in the regular classes of the public schools. It is made the duty of the secretary of the school board, teachers and attendance officers in every school district to report to the medical inspector of the district and to the district or county superintendent of schools, on or before October 15 of each year, every child within the district between the ages of eight and sixteen years who is gravely retarded in his or her school work, or who because of apparent exceptional physical or mental conditions is not being properly educated. The medical inspector will then examine the child and will report whether it is a fit subject for special education and training. These reports in first, second and third class districts, having a district superintendent of schools, shall be made to the superintendent of the district, and in all other districts the reports shall go to the Commissioner of Health and by him reported to the superintendent of schools of the county. Special schools for the training of these children must be provided, it being permitted for districts to join in their establishment. Provision is made for the State to pay part of the expense of these special schools.

The Ramsey bill designed to assist worthy young men and women graduates of secondary schools, to obtain higher education, is before the Governor. It provides that the State will award competitive scholarships of $100 a year for four years to enable selected students to attend any institution in the State approved by the college and university council. The State Board of Education will make the appointments to the scholarships after an examination conducted by it. One scholarship will be given to each county and in a county where there is more than one Senatorial district, a scholarship will be awarded each district. The bill carries an appropriation of $16,000. George W. McCandless, of Pittsburgh, was much interested in securing the passage of this legislation.

The following bills amending the school code have been approved by the Governor:

Authorizing the State Board of Education to make purchase and sales of real estate or other property for normal schools purchased by the State.

Adding instruction in safety first methods to the course of study in the elementary public schools of the State.

Requiring every child having a legal residence in Pennsylvania and who is between the ages of eight and sixteen years, to attend a day school in which the common English branches are taught in the English language.

Requiring all school boards of the State to pay teachers in addition to compensation provided for in their contract, $4 a day for each day's actual attendance at the annual teacher's institute.

Allowing the school directors of each district to appoint one of their number as a delegate to the State convention of school directors and pay his necessary traveling and hotel expenses.

Making a constable, county superintendent or assistant county superintendent ineligible to hold the office of school director.

Requiring the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to "prescribe a course of instruction conducive to the spirit of loyalty and devotion to the State and National governments which shall be taught in all the public schools of the State."

In every school district required to provide medical inspection for its schools, the secretary of the board or the district superintendent of schools shall on or before September 1 of each year report to the Commissioner of Health the names of the medical inspectors or the name of the chief medical inspector with the number of assistants or additional inspectors appointed for the ensuing term.

The Governor has before him the Martin bill broadening the provisions of the school code relating to the use of school grounds and buildings for social, recreation and other proper purposes. His amendment would allow the board of any district upon the petition of the residents of the district, equal to one-fifth of the number of pupils attending the schools, to permit the use of the building and grounds for social and recreational purposes, providing the use would not be of a sectarian character nor under sectarian control. Appropriations for these purposes may be made by the boards. The proposed act would be effective at once.

Two great administration projects which are authorized by this Legislature are the erection of a Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial bridge at Harrisburg and the construction of an office building in Capitol Park extension and the beautifying of the grounds. The bridge is given an initial apropriation of $750,000 and $1,250,000 is set aside for the other improvements. Both measures are in the hands of the Governor.

The creation of a State Art Commission is one of the Sproul ideas that has been written into a law. It provides for a commission of five citizens to be appointed by the Governor to work in conjunction with the Commissioners of Grounds and Buildings and to serve without pay.

One of the important ideas of the Governor which has been enacted into law is the creation of a commission of twenty-five citizens of the State to be appointed by the Governor to be known as the Commission on Constitutional Amendment and Revision, one member to be designated as the chairman. General amendments to the constitution are proposed.

One of the very important achievements of Governor Sproul was the ratifiation of the prohibition amendment to the Federal Constitution. The "dry" forces had a large number of votes, but lacked a majority in both branches. These votes were produced and Pennsylvania was added to the list of States ratifying. As a candidate Mr. Sproul had pledged himself to bring about ratification and the promise was redeemed.

Sedition Bill

One of the most important administration measures is the Flynn bill defining sedition. It was defeated in the House last week because a number of members were afraid they would offend "labor" by voting for it. There is nothing in the measure to injure real Americans. The legislation simply furnishes the machinery for getting after the element in society that is endeavoring to destroy the present form of government. The Governor knows the necessity for the proposed law and used the influence at his command to get the bill through the Legislature. It is now on his desk. Its provisions follow:

Workmen's Compensation

Bills reorganizing the Workmen's Compensation Bureau, increasing the schedule of compensation and providing for a bureau of rehabilitation are in the hands of the Governor. The legislation goes to him in just about the shape the Governor desired it, all attempts to make radical changes having been successfully blocked by the administration.

The bill increasing rates fixes $20 a week as the maximum upon which compensation is to be based. The maximum compensation to be allowed for total disability is advanced from fifty to sixty per cent. of the weekly wage. The maximum is increased from $10 to $12 and the minimum from $5 to $6 in the weekly amount allowed an injured employe. The waiting period during which an injured employe receives no compensation is reduced from fourteen to ten days. The period for which an employer must furnish medical treatment is increased from fourteen to thirty days. In case a widow receiving compensation remarries, she would be paid one-third of the compensation due, not to exceed 100 weeks. The method of computing the average weekly wage of an injured employe as contained in the bill when it was sent to the Legislature by the Attorney General was restored before it was finally passed.

The Bureau of Rehabilitation is charged with obtaining positions for those who because of injury have been inacpacitated and earning power reduced. Arrangements would be made with educational institutions for special courses for injured for which the State would pay not more than $15 a week for twenty weeks. The bureau would furnish at cost artificial limbs to injured workers and supply special treatment for those physically disabled. Visits would be made to the homes of the injured by agents of the bureau and advice and assistance given.

The fourth administration bill of the compensation series was never pushed and allowed to die in committee. It would have levied a two per cent. tax on the insurance of corporations carrying their own compensation insurance. A bill creating a commission to study industrial accidents was defeated.

Third Class City Legislation

The important third class city legislation approved was contained in the Wallace bill amending the Clark act to correct a number of defects which had been found by the city solicitors. It places the terms of all officials on a four-year basis. The Governor has in his hands the Willson bill repealing the nonpartisan election law in third class cities. A number of third class city bills of minor importance were passed.

Motor Legislation

Several important measures relating to motor vehicles were passed by this Legislature. The most important is the Dithrich bill which deals with the registration fees. It is estimated that it will increase the revenues from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000 a year. The receipts of the department in 1918 were $4,000,000.

The Dithrich bill replaces the act of 1913. It places the registration fees for pleasure vehicles at forty cents per horsepower, an increase of approximately twenty per cent. All trucks under 2,000 pounds are registered by the horsepower and above that are licensed by the weight of the chassis. Trucks are divided into seven classes, according to weight, with fees running from $20 to $150. The present charge is from $5 to $25. A limit of 26,000 pounds is placed on the gross load of truck. The width is limited to ninety inches and the length to twenty-eight feet. A speed limit is placed on each class of trucks. Another provision of the bill regulates the use of lights and prohibits muffler cutouts. The speed limit in the open country is increased from twenty-four to thirty miles an hour, and municipalities are allowed to place a limit of fifteen miles an hour within their corporate bounadries. This bill is in the hands of the Governor. Numerous efforts were made during the progress of this bill to inject amendments which would have weakened it, but Governor Sproul barred the way and stood right back of the efforts of the Pennsylvania Motor Federation to put this legislation through. This is generally accepted as the most comprehensive motor code in the United States.

Other bills in the hands of the Governor include the Cox measure licensing second-hand motor vehicle dealers and regulating the sale of used cars; the Williams bill authorizing the revocation of licenses for violations of Public Service Company law relating to common carriers operating without a certificate of public convenience the Palmer bill making it a felony to wilfully or maliciously burn or cause to be burned, or set fire or attempt to set fire to motor vehicles.

Two important automobile bills approved by the Governor are the Hellingsworth measure making it a felony to take or steal motor vehicles or to purchase them knowing they have been stolen, the penalty being a fine of not more than $5,000 or imprisonment of not more than ten years, and the Mearkle bill requiring lights on all vehicles except farm machinery between one hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise. This later measure has been before the Legislature for many years, and the farmers have always been able to defeat it. Now they are motor owners and in harmony with the law.

Another bill signed by the Governor is important to owners of automobiles as it is designed to get after the person who brings a stolen machine into the State. It provides that if any person shall receive or bring into Pennsylvania or assist in bringing any goods, chattels, moneys or securities or any other matter or thing, knowing or having reasonable cause to know the same to have been stolen or feloniously taken in any other State, such persons shall be guilty of a felony and subject to a fine not exceeding $500 and imprisonment not exceeding three years.

LIFE INSURANCE MEN PLAN FOR CO-OPERATION

Central Pennsylvania Association Adopts Chart of Ethics

Co-operation in insuring lives rather than undercutting competitve methods that tend to make men forget the principles back of the institution of life insurance was pledged by members of the Central Pennsylvania Association of Life Underwriters last night at a dinner meeting held in the Penn-Harris hotel.

The outstanding feature of the meeting was the adoption by the Central Pennsylvania Association of the "Chart of Ethics" for life insurance agents prepared by the National Association of Life Underwriters.

Adoption of the chart followed an address on life insurance aims and purposes by Charles W. Scovel, of Pittsburgh, author of the National Association chart. "The interests of insurers, the insured and the general public are identical," declared Mr. Scovel, "because scientific life insurance is a co-operation, all the lives insuring each other. Its companies belong—many wholly, others mainly—to the policyholders themselves, $35,000,000 now and growing steadily.

"Life insurance," Mr. Scovel declared, "is a co-operative social institution, differing in essence and practice from a commercial business. Its agents do not sell a commodity; they solicit fit applicants who need its varied, life-long services and advice in applying them.

"There are only two other social institutions, making for the upward trend of the race to an equal degree as the institution of life insurance and they are the church and the state. Life insurance keeps women from the hardest kind of degrading drudgery, keeps young girls off the street and young men out of the workhouse more efficiently than any institution of man. I need but point to the fact that American life insurance has reduced pauperism eighty per cent in the last forty years to prove the statement I have just made.

The chart ethics adopted by the local association insists upon truly professional practice at all points, real service to the insured; holding confidential all affairs of men interviewed; no misrepresentation or befuddling with forms, figures and deails of policy or company; no rebating or other discrimination; no twisting of one company's policy for another; shunning of unfair competition. It puts the ban on spotters, tipsters, one-case brokers and other "rake-off men" and provides for the elimination of so-called "part-timers" except where they are honestly preparing to become full-fledged life insurance men.

A law and comity committee will be appointed by the association to keep track of all lawbreakers who are found doing business within Central Pennsylvania.

State Insurance Commissioner Thomas Donaldson addressed the life men on co-operation between the companies, the men in the field and the department.

"There are no insurance laws on the books of Pennsylvania which any honest man need fear," said Mr. Donaldson.

Lincoln K. Passmore, vice-president of the Penn Mutual Company, greeted the members of the association and declared that the remarkable growth in the business of life insurance shows that people are at last awake to the realties and uncertainties of life.

E. R. Eckenrode, president of the association, was toastmaster of the occasion.

At a business meeting prior to the dinner it was decided to enter upon a campaign of life insurance advertising under the name of the association. An outing was planned for August 9. Delegates to the national convention at Pittsburgh in September were elected as follows:

Earl Sheaffer, W. H. Cordry, E. R. Eckenrode, E. H. Espenshade, G. L. Buck, John Heathcote, Eugene Hoaster, V. W. Kenney, H. F. King, W. S. Lambert, S. G. Landon, J. R. Morrison, John Ostertag, P. B. Rice, J. D. Reckord, C. Laurence Shepley, R. B. Thompson, Albert A. Wert, Walter E. Dietrich and James A. Tyson.

Alternates, E. H. Berger, W. D. Bottgenbach, Ross Crownshield, C. A. Delone, W. H. Eckenrode, R. T. Eckenrode, L. E Guarin, J. N. Kinnard, J. R. Keen, Harry Lambert, I. G. Lambert, J. E. Long, A. R. Long, E. L. Matterer, F. K. Ployer, J. R. Rote, H. D. Sollenberger, G. W. Stark, W. O. Washburn and H. I. Whiteside.

PUBLIC BAND CONCERT

Chambersburg, Pa., Jnue 27.— The Queen City Band to-night render the second of the eight public concerts, which it agreed to give in return for an appropriation of $100 from the borough. The concert will be given in Memorial Square beginning at 8 o'clock under the direction of Charles E. Duffield, director of the band.

Wedding Announcements Made at Mercersburg

Mercersburg, Pa., July 27. — Mr. and Mrs. W. E. P. Wolf, of Chambersburg, announce the marriage of their daughter, Katherine E. Wolf to Aaron Metcalfe of Mercersburg. The wedding was performed at the groom's home at Mercersburg on June 20 by the Rev. Mr. Zook, the same minister who performed the marriage ceremony of the groom's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Metcalfe. After the ceremony the couple motored to Williamsport, Md., where they will spend their honeymoon in a cottage along the Potomac river. Mr. Metcalfe recently was discharged from the United States Army, he being a member of Franklin county's Company C, 112th Infantry of the 28th Division. Mrs. Metcalfe is a graduate of the Chambersburg High school.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Grove announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth Grove, to Linn Barnard Metcalfe on Thursday evening, June 26, Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe are spending their honeymoon visiting the large eastern cities. Mrs. Metcalfe was assistant to her father in his confectionary store for a number of years. Mr. Metcalf is the junior member of the shoe firm of Metcalf Bros.

Uses Knife Freely In Fight Over Woman

Carlisle, June 27.—Clarence Clevish, formerly in Company G, One Hundred Twelfth Infantry, is in the hospital here with serious wounds, and Mrs. Mary Rossi Gregg, and a soldier from the hospital here are in jail as the result of an altercation over the woman. There was a scuffle between the soldier, who is known on the records as "John Doe," during which Clevish was badly cut with a knife.

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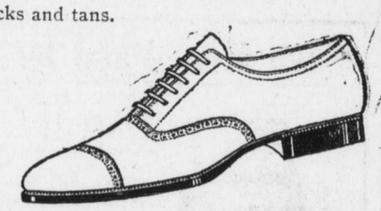

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