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**SOLONS AGAIN BUSY**

**Legislators Return From Spring Vacation and Renew Their Activities ... Suffrage Question in the Senate ... School Question Compromised.**

**EIGHTEEN MEASURES ARE LAW**

(By George Gallarano.)

Des Moines, Iowa, March 4.—The Iowa state legislature reconvened at 10 o'clock today, after a recess since Wednesday of last week. In the senate the first act of the members was to take up for consideration the Bruce constitutional amendment resolution providing for the submission of the question of woman suffrage to the voters of the state in the form of an amendment to the state constitution. Senator Joseph Allen of Pocahontas county was the leader of those favoring the Bruce measure, which has already passed the house by a nearly unanimous vote. Senator Allen is a good fighter and it has been only through his qualities as a general in debate and in parliamentary tactics that the resolution was placed on the senate calendar. An effort was made to throttle it after the senate had adopted the Chase resolution, which provides that at the next general election of the state the women may have an opportunity to vote on the question of whether they desire to have the ballot or not. Senator Allen contends that the republican party in its last state platform declared for woman suffrage and if the party would not stultify itself its members in the legislature must carry out that pledge.

**Compromise School Measure.**

It appears possible that an amicable settlement of the trouble with the state board of education may have been reached by the legislature in the adoption of the bill fathered by Representative Klay of Sioux county. The bill which passed the house after a discussion of several hours with only ten votes in the negative provides that the schools shall remain intact as they were in September of last year, before the board ordered the changes which would have transferred the engineering school from Iowa City to Ames, the domestic science department from Ames to Iowa City, and would cut off two years of the university course of study at Cedar Falls. The action of the board on this proposition has been repudiated and the Klay bill, as amended, provides that no changes of these courses can be made in the future from one school to another unless ordered by a vote of seven members of the educational board. Representative Klay in his original bill fixed absolutely the standard of the schools, but was persuaded to make the concession as to a vote of seven members being requisite to make a change, on the information that only by so doing could he be assured of fair sailing for the measure in the senate. The friends of the board and its enemies are alike claiming a victory in the Klay bill. The real fight of the schools on the board will come before Governor Clarke if the bill is sent to him and approved. During the next few months the governor will have the naming of at least four members of the educational board, and much pressure undoubtedly will be brought to see that only friends of the different schools as they now stand shall be named.

**Bills Near Limit.**

Though there is no limit by law that can be placed on the number of bills which can be introduced during a session of the legislature, the number for several sessions has hung close about the 1,000 mark. If that number is not to be exceeded during the present session the members will have to begin taking a reef in their "Be it enacted" sails pretty soon. Up to date the house has had presented to it for consideration 504 bills and half a dozen joint and concurrent resolutions, while the senate, with 343 bills, has nearly the same number of resolutions to consider. This makes a total of 847 bills in the two houses. A number will undoubtedly be rushed into each house this week and by the middle of March the 1,000 mark will have been reached. Probably 200 of the number will be enacted into law.

**Session May Be Long One.**

Though the general impression has been that the legislative session would adjourn about the 12th or 15th of April, since coming back from their vacation many members are talking of a May 1st adjournment. That would mean a session lasting 107 days, or longer than any assembly of Iowa has been in session in many years. The law does not fix the length of the legislative session, but it has generally been from sixty to ninety days.

**Temperance Committee To Get Busy.**

Senator Mattes, who has been made chairman of the committee on suppression of intemperance in the senate, in place of the late Senator Gates of Butler county, and who was taken to task in the senate by Boe of Winnebago because the committee was neglecting its duties, has promised that the committee will get busy at once on the measures before it. The most important of these is

the house bill for daylight saloons, fixing the hours during which a saloon may be kept open from 7 o'clock in the morning to 7 o'clock in the evening. Senator Mattes, who is one of the busiest members of the upper house, being chairman of the appropriations committee and a member of the retrenchment and reform committee, explained that there was no intention of slighting or neglecting the duties of the temperance committee, but that he had been unable to get its members together when he had time from other work to meet with them.

The legislature will devote the session of March 20 to memorial services for the late former Governor William Larrabee. The memorial address will be delivered by Senator William S. Kenyon. Two sons of Governor Larrabee are now rendering good service to the state in the legislature, Frederick in the senate and William in the house. The services for the late governor will bring many distinguished citizens of Iowa to Des Moines on that occasion.

**New Laws Created.**

Eighteen bills and resolutions comprise the ripened fruits of the first six weeks' session of the general assembly. That is, that number of measures have passed both houses and have been signed by Governor Clarke. While a number of measures of more or less importance are included in this early grist, the real work of the assembly is yet to come. The laws which have been enacted are as follows:

Senate joint resolution providing for the selection of additional employees and fixing their compensation. Bill by Senator McColl, appropriating \$385.67 for payment of expenses attending the inauguration of Governor George W. Clarke. Joint resolution authorizing the committees of the two houses on retrenchment and reform to secure the services of expert accountants and efficiency engineers to look into the general business management of state offices and to recommend reforms and changes.

Legalizing a special election held at Carroll granting a franchise for the construction of a gas plant and its operation; also legalizing an ordinance passed by the city council granting such franchise. Joint resolution ratifying the proposed amendment to the national constitution, as proposed by congress for the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

Repealing section 3165 of the code and enacting the following in its stead: "The reasonable and necessary expenses of the family and the education of the children are chargeable upon the property of both husband and wife, or either of them, and in relation thereto they may be sued jointly or separately." Providing that where a park commission is created by vote of the people the city council may appoint commissioners to serve until the succeeding regular city election.

Amending the law governing the soldiers' home at Marshalltown and providing that when a vacancy occurs in the office of adjutant, commandant, quartermaster or surgeon at the home, the same may be filled by the appointment of a civilian if a war veteran is not available for the place.

Providing that city park boards may levy an additional one mill tax for the years 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918 for the purpose of grading, beautifying and otherwise improving lands acquired for park purposes under the one mill tax levy authorized by the Thirty-third general assembly.

Providing that unplatted lands in city or town limits shall not be exempt from taxation for library purposes. Fixing the rate sheriffs of counties may charge prisoners for board and lodging at not more than 12 and one-half cents a meal, three meals each twenty-four hours, and 12 and one-half cents for each night's lodging. Counties of 50,000 population or more have a right, through their boards of supervisors, to fix a lower rate, but cannot exceed rate named.

Providing that city councils of special charter cities may by ordinance determine the manner in which vacancies on the council shall be filled. Providing that all releases or satisfactions of mortgages which have been on file in the recorder's office for ten years or more are declared legal and valid.

Making the law providing for special tax levy for erection of a city hall applicable to cities under special charter. Giving the city of Burlington right and title to Otter island, in the Mississippi river opposite said city, for the use and preservation of the same as a perpetual park for the use of the citizens of Burlington and of the state.

Legalizing actions of the city council of Des Moines relative to flood protection. Legalizing an election held in the town of Jewell Junction.

Providing that any person interested therein may procure from any recorder in this state a transcript of any instrument affecting real estate which may be of record in his office.

**Proposal For New Church.**

Sealed bids will be received until 8:00 p. m., April 10, 1913, for the furnishing of all materials and labor for the construction of a frame church building according to the plans and specifications prepared by A. F. Gauger, Architect, St. Paul, Minn., for the Orleans Lutheran Congregation, to be erected about seven miles from Cresco, Iowa.

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The Building Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. By Order of Building Committee. TORGEY NELSON, Chairman. LAURITZ LARSEN, Secretary.

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**Easter Supper.**

The ladies of the Methodist church will serve an Easter Supper on March 29th, in the dining room of the church.

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  - Ham and Eggs
  - White Bread
  - Brown Bread
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  - Custard Pie
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  - Coffee and Tea
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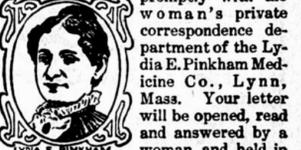
When your stomach will not digest food, the worst thing you can do is to take a lot of digestive medicines. True, they give temporary relief, but your stomach is the sufferer. Loss of appetite, indigestion, dyspepsia and headaches can only be permanently relieved by removing the cause. In many cases, various remedies taken to relieve these conditions result in ruining the stomach and preventing it from digesting food in a natural way.

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