

argument in both civil and criminal cases, was taken up for third reading.

Read a third time, and

On the question, shall the bill pass.

The yeas were :

Senator Bayless, Caldwell, Carr, Carson, Casey, Chambers, Chubb, Clark, Dodge, Donnan, Doud, Earle, Gatch, Gault, Glass, Henderson, Hendrie, Hutchison, Knight, McCoy, McDonough, Miles, Parrott, Poyneer, Robinson, Ryder, Scott, Stephens, Sutton, Sweney, Underwood, Whiting, Wilkin, Wolfe and Young—35.

The nays were :

Senators Bolter, Chesebro, Dooley and Johnson—4.

Absent or not voting :

Senators Barrett, Bloom, Burdick, Cassatt, Deal, Duncan, Reiniger, Schmidt, Weber, Whaley and Woolson—11.

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senator Poyneer moved to take up House File No. 136, a bill for an act to amend section 1507, of the Code of 1873.

Carried.

The bill was taken up and on motion re-committed.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Senate File No. 107, a bill for an act exempting cemeteries from assessment for local improvement, with report of committee recommending it do pass, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee was adopted.

Senator Knight moved that the rule be suspended, and the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

On the question, shall the bill pass.

The yeas were:

Senators Barrett, Bayless, Bloom, Bolter, Caldwell, Carr, Carson, Casey, Cassatt, Chambers, Chesebro, Chubb, Clark, Dodge, Donnan, Dooley, Doud, Duncan, Earle, Gatch, Gault, Glass, Henderson, Hendrie, Hutchison, Johnson, Knight, McCoy, McDonough, Miles, Poyneer, Robinson, Scott, Stephens, Sutton, Sweney, Underwood, Whaley, Whiting, Wilkin, Wolfe and Young—42.

The nays were, none.

Absent or not voting:

Senators Burdick, Deal, Parrott, Reiniger, Ryder, Schmidt, Weber and Woolson—8.

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.

Senate File No. 254, a bill for for an act to provide for the purchasing of stationery, blank books and desk furniture for the use of the various State officers, by the Secretary of State, with report of committee recommending amendments and that it do pass, was taken up, considered, and the report of the committee was adopted.

Pending this Senator Woolson offered the following resolutions and asked that they be now considered:

WHEREAS, At the reunion assembly of members of Territorial and former General Assemblies of Iowa, Hon. James L. Mitchell was

upon yesterday stricken with death while in the midst of his eloquent and patriotic address, and,

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the present General Assembly record its recognition of the services which Judge Mitchell, while a citizen of Iowa, rendered to the State and his worth as one of its valued legislators and patriots, therefore,

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That the people of Iowa recall with affectionate remembrance the personal worth and eminent public virtues which characterized the life of Hon. James L. Mitchell, while an honored citizen of this State. That his unflagging devotion to her best interests, and the patriotism which ever animated him as a private citizen, a legislator and a soldier, merit and receive our cordial recognition and highest praise, and in common with the citizens of the State he has honored with his later residence, we mourn the loss of his living example and active present usefulness.

That a committee of three from the Senate and three from the House be appointed to act with a committee of the re-union Assembly to accompany the remains to place of interment, and that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family.

The resolutions were adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

The Senate resumed consideration of Senate File No. 254.

Senator Johnson moved that the rule be suspended, and the bill be considered engrossed, and read a third time now, which motion prevailed, and the bill was read a third time.

Senator Donnan moved that vote by which rule was suspended and bill ordered to a third reading be reconsidered.

Carried.

Senator Donnan offered the following amendment:

Strike out in the fourth and fifth lines of section 1 the following words: "office stationery, blank books, or desk furniture," and insert in lieu thereof the word "supplies."

Adopted.

Senator Donnan moved that the rule be suspended and the bill be considered engrossed and read a third time now, which motion prevailed and the bill was read a third time.

On the question shall the bill pass.

The yeas were:

Senators Barrett, Bayless, Bloom, Bolter, Caldwell, Carr, Carson, Casey, Cassatt, Chambers, Chesebro, Chubb, Clark, Deal, Dodge, Donnan, Dooley, Doud, Duncan, Earle, Gatch, Gault, Glass, Henderson, Johnson, Knight, McCoy, McDonough, Miles, Poyneer, Robinson, Ryder, Schmidt, Scott, Stephens, Sweney, Underwood, Whaley, Whiting, Wilkin, Wolfe and Woolson—42.

The nays were, none.

Absent or not voting:

Senators Burdick, Hendrie, Hutchison, Parrott, Reiniger, Sutton, Weber and Young—8.

So the bill passed and the title was agreed to.