

State Educational Radio and Television Facility Board

Offices at 2801 Bell Avenue

DR. ROBERT F. RAY, Iowa City, Chairman; 1970-73.
LESTER D. MENKE, Calumet, Vice Chairman; 1970-73.
JOHN D. BALDRIDGE, Chariton; 1971-74.
PAUL F. JOHNSTON, Des Moines; 1971-74.
WILLIAM B. QUARTON, Cedar Rapids; 1971-74.
PAUL V. PORTER, Des Moines; 1971-74.
MRS. EARL G. SIEVERS, Avoca; 1969-72.
DR. LOUIS E. SMITH, Indianola; 1969-72.
JOHN E. VAN DER LINDEN, Sibley; 1970-73.
RALPH H. WALLACE, Mason City; 1971-72.
JOHN A. MONTGOMERY, Executive Director.
MICHAEL J. LaBONIA, Director of Programming.
DON D. SAVERAID, Director of Engineering.

Section 88 of the Acts of the 62nd General Assembly creates a Board to be known as the State Educational Radio and Television Facility Board consisting of nine members, three to be appointed by the Board of Public Instruction, three by the Board of Regents, and three by the Governor. The purpose of the board is to plan, establish, and operate an educational radio and television facility and such other communication services as the Board may deem necessary to accomplish the educational objectives of the State of Iowa. The Board currently operates KDIN-TV Channel 11 in Des Moines, and KIIN-TV Channel 12 in Iowa City.

State Executive Council

Office located on first floor of Capitol Building
Membership—ex officio

ROBERT D. RAY, Governor.
MELVIN D. SYNHORST, Secretary of State.
LLOYD R. SMITH, Auditor of State.
MAURICE E. BARINGER, Treasurer of State.
L. B. LIDDY, Secretary of Agriculture.
W. C. WELLMAN, Secretary.

The Executive Council was created by the adoption of the Code of 1860. The Secretary of State acted as Secretary of the Council until the enactment of the Code of 1897, which provided for a Secretary.

Business of the Executive Council

Among the duties placed upon the Executive Council by the laws of Iowa are the following: To act upon all state activities and to notify all interested persons of action taken thereon; to determine the value at which property may be taken by Iowa corporations and amount of stock which may be issued on account thereof; to approve articles of incorporation and by-laws of building and loan associations, and plan for liquidation of said associations; to approve property purchases and acceptance of gifts; to authorize department leases; to approve the issuance of patents, corrected patents and easements; to approve and purchase all state vehicles; to authorize and pay special assessments; to authorize and pay court costs, and special Attorney General fees; to authorize condemnation proceedings; approve bank depositories of public funds; authorize issuance of "dummy" license plates; approve compromise tax settlements; reimburse school district taxes under chapter 284, Code of

Iowa, 1971; to purchase all stores, supplies and furniture for the state departments and offices; to execute contracts for fuel, lights and repairs; to approve all requisitions, issue purchase orders and authorizations; to have custody of supplies for state offices and commissions; the canvass of votes cast for state and district officers; the declaration of changes in classification of cities; the assignment of office rooms to state officers; the approval of out-of-state travel; the appointment of the Board of Examiners of Mine Inspectors; the approval of plans for state buildings.

The Secretary of the Executive Council is also Secretary of the Conservation Commission and of the Board of Engineering Examiners. He also has the direct supervision of the State Post Office employees and the Telephone Switchboard employees, and the Capitol Security Police Force.

Report of Executive Council Secretary

Section 19.6, Code of Iowa, 1971, requires that a report of the Secretary of the Executive Council be published in the Iowa Official Register. That portion of the report of the Secretary dealing with matters of general interest is presented here. Other matters required in the report as to Iowa cities and the official canvass of Iowa election results are presented in tables elsewhere.

The Council had 52 regular meetings, 32 special meetings, and convened six times as the official Board of Canvass in 1969.

The Council had 50 regular meetings, ten special meetings, and convened four times as the official Board of Canvass in 1970.

Corporations Authorized to Issue Stock in Exchange for Property or Out of Surplus 1969

Jan. 20—Farm Bureau Service Company of Adel, Amended and Corrected Application.

April 21—Monsanto Company, St. Louis, Missouri.

April 28—Aspermont Company, Dubuque, Iowa.

June 16—Peet's Feeds, Inc., Council Bluffs, Iowa.

July 7—Elite Dress Shop, Inc., Chariton, Iowa.

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March 23—United Acceptance Corporation of Des Moines, Iowa.

Dec. 23—Lennox Industries, Inc., Marshalltown, Iowa.

State Historical Society of Iowa

W. HOWARD SMITH, President.

WILL J. HAYEK, Treasurer.

DR. WILLIAM J. PETERSEN, Iowa City, Superintendent-Editor.

Board of Curators

Elected by the Society—Herman B. Lord, Muscatine; Edward W. Lucas, Iowa City; Bruce E. Mahan, Iowa City; Marion R. Neely, Iowa City; James Nesmith, Iowa City; L. C. Rummells, West Branch; Walter F. Schmidt, Iowa City; W. Howard Smith, Cedar Rapids.

Appointed by the Governor—Edgar V. Epperly, Decorah; Lawrence E. Gelfand, Iowa City; Herbert V. Hake, Cedar Falls; Mrs. Adelaide S. Keeney, Grinnell; Harry Mauck, Jr., Council Bluffs; Mrs. David O. Shaff, Clinton; Erwin D. Sias, Sioux City; Miss Percie Van Alstine, Gilmore City; Dean Zenor, Iowa City.

Organized in February, 1857, the society's purposes are to preserve the history of Iowa and further its dissemination among the people of the state, almost 11,000 of whom are members of the society.