

a lofty public spirit, gained for him a prominent place in the councils of his party and won for him the recognition from the entire Assembly, irrespective of party. Washington county has had many distinguished men to represent her in the Halls of Legislation, but no one represented her with higher honor or more faithful service than Samuel Emmert; therefore, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be bound with the Acts of the Assembly for the year 1916 and a copy thereof, properly engrossed under the Great Seal, be transmitted by the Secretary of the Senate to the family of the deceased Senator.

[Which was read the first time, and, on motion of Mr. Bomberger, was not referred to a committee, but its second reading was made the order of the day for February 23, at 2 o'clock P. M.]

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Archer, from Committee on Amendments to Constitution, reported favorably, with amendments,

SENATE BILL No. 76, BY MR. COOPER.

SUBJECT: REGULATING THE MAKING OF APPROPRIATIONS.

Amendments proposed by the Committee: No. 1—"Amend on page 1 of the printed Bill, by striking out all of line 8 after the word 'First,' and all of line 9, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: 'Within twenty days after the convening of the General Assembly (except in the case of a newly elected Governor, and then within thirty days after his inauguration), unless such time shall be extended by the General Assembly for the session at which the budget is to be submitted.' And by striking out on page 1, in line 10, the word 'Legislature,' and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'General Assembly.'"

Also No. 2—"Amend by inserting on page 3, in line 51, of the printed Bill, after the word 'budgets,' the words 'to correct an oversight or in case of an emergency, with the consent of the General Assembly.'"

Also No. 3—"Amend on page 3 of the printed Bill, by striking out all of line 59 after the word 'Constitution,' and all of line 60, and the first four words on line 61."