

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agricultural College, to whom was referred house file No. 228, a bill for an act amending sections 1606, 1617 and 1619, of chapter 3, title XII, of the Code, in relation to the government of the Iowa Agricultural College and Farm, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the same back to the house with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. D. LUCAS, *Chairman.*

Ordered passed on file.

HOUSE FILE NO. 228.]

[BY LUCAS.

A BILL

FOR AN ACT AMENDING SECTIONS 1606, 1617 AND 1619, OF CHAPTER 3, TITLE XII, OF THE CODE, IN RELATION TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE AND FARM.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That section 1606, of chapter 3, title XII, of the Code, be amended by striking from the end of clause four, of said section, the following words: "*Provided*, no student shall be exempt from labor except in cases of sickness, or other infirmity, or where students from the advanced classes may be employed as teachers"; and by adding to clause six the following: "and to others of high standing in industrial learning."

SEC. 2. That section 1617, of chapter 3, title XII of the Code, be amended by inserting after the word "the," in the seventh line thereof, the words "treasurer of the"; and by adding to said section the following: "The state treasurer shall, at the expense of the state, collect the interest on all loans made by him under the authority of this section; he shall also render to the board of trustees quarterly reports, giving in detail all transactions connected with the loaning of said funds or the collection of the interest accruing thereon, one of said reports to cover the quarter ending with the second Wednesday of November."

SEC. 3. That section 1619, of chapter 3, title XII, of the Code, be amended by striking out the words, "Tuition in the college herein established shall be forever free to pupils from this state over sixteen years of age, who have been residents of the state six months previous to

4 their admission," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Tuition in the college herein
5 established shall be forever free to male students who have attained the age of sixteen, and
6 female students who have attained the age of fifteen years, and who have been residents of
7 the state six months previous to their admission: *provided*, that nothing herein shall prevent
8 the board of trustees from admitting students from other states upon such terms as they may
9 prescribe."

SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after
2 its publication in the *Iowa State Register* and the *Iowa State Leader*, newspapers published in
3 Des Moines, Iowa.