

Mrs. C. G. Ryan Rejected by the State Senate

All Democratic Senators and Four Republican Support Gov. Weaver's Nominee

Lincoln, Jan. 25.—Refusal Friday of the state senate to confirm the appointment of Mrs. Charles G. Ryan of Grand Island as a member of the state board of control makes it necessary for Governor Weaver to send the name of another appointee to the senate.

The governor Friday declined to comment on the adverse action of the senate, and said he did not know just when he would make another appointment. Although senators interviewed after the rejection of Mrs. Ryan said only her qualifications for the position were discussed, the opposition of the W. C. T. U. and of the "Hoover Democrats" in the state is said to have been the compelling influence that made 29 state senators, all Republicans, vote to reject the appointment.

Supported Smith Mrs. Ryan, as Democratic national committeewoman, named by the Democratic state convention to succeed Dr. Jennie Callahan, actively supported Governor Smith for president. She had, however, always been a prohibition advocate and still is a "dry."

It was generally understood that Dr. Jennie Callahan had strongly opposed Mrs. Ryan's selection, and that she had asked that Mrs. F. J. Birss of Omaha, present incumbent, be retained by Governor Weaver.

As Democratic women led the opposition to Mrs. Ryan it was believed that Governor Weaver would name a man for the place. It is considered almost certain that the governor will again choose a Democrat who supported Smith and not a "Hoover Democrat." The law requires that the appointee be a Democrat.

Doors Are Closed The state senate refused to consider the appointment of Mrs. Ryan in open session, although Senator Clark Jewry of Lincoln made an attempt to have the doors thrown open. He was overruled by Lieutenant Governor George Williams.

The committee, composed of Senators Perry Reed and R. R. Vance, Republicans, and Harry K. Easton, Democrat, named to investigate Mrs. Ryan's fitness for the position, filed a very noncommittal report in which nothing was said about her ability to fill the office. The committee report was:

"We find that Mrs. Ryan is a past president of the Women Voters' League of Nebraska. Also that she was food administrator for Hall county during the world war. That she will be 62 years of age at the expiration of the term of office to which she has been appointed."

Before the senate voted on Mrs. Ryan a communication was read from Mrs. Clara Clayton, Lincoln, state president of the Nebraska W. C. T. U., in which she denied that protests registered by W. C. T. U. chapters against the confirmation of Mrs. Ryan were in her behalf as a candidate for the position.

Political Lineup The vote against Mrs. Ryan, 29 to 15, was a political party lineup with the exit of four Republican senators who voted with the nine Democrats. State Senator John W. Cooper of Omaha, who led the fight against Mrs. Ryan, was joined by Senator W. L. Randall of Omaha in his opposition. Senator James A. Rothman, the third Republican senator from Omaha, voted to confirm Mrs. Ryan.

The other three Republicans who voted to uphold Governor Weaver in his choice were Senators H. C. Wellensiek of Grand Island, Wesley T. Wilson of North Platte and O. G. Clark of Columbus.

At Grand Island Mrs. Ryan refused to comment on the action of the senate.—Omaha Bee-News.

GOOD WORD FOR DOCTORS

London, Jan. 24.—The physicians who brought King George to his present convalescent stage from his serious illness were congratulated by this week's issues of the British Medical Journal and the Lancet. The Lancet said that the story now will enter an uneventful, even if prolonging, stage while the medical journal said:

PASSENGER PLANE MISSING

Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 25.—Headed by Lieut. Russell Maughan, dawn to dusk flier, six airplanes took off here today to search for a passenger plane of the Boeing Air Transport company, missing since yesterday and believed to have been forced down in the snow between here and Elko, Nev.

The missing plane, piloted by Frank Barber of Oakland, Calif., and carrying two passengers, was last seen over Secret Pass, a short time after leaving Elko to fly over the Ruby mountains. The passengers were T. L. Pfeueger, San Francisco business man, and A. P. Ames, Camden, Me.

Boeing officials here expressed grave doubt that the pilot and his passengers would be able to survive many hours if forced down in the deep snow any considerable distance from a habitation.

FARM BUREAU NOTES

Copy for this Department furnished by County Agent

Farm Record Books. The cooperation of the farmers of Cass county in regard to the Farm Record books has been exceedingly good this year. It is hoped that by the end of this week, January 26th, that we will have 100 Farm Record Books and we begin to make a summary of them immediately.

Corn and Hog Day. Every farmer in Cass county will be interested in the Corn and Hog Day meeting which has just been arranged for on Tuesday, Feb. 5th at the courthouse in Plattsmouth. A day of more than usual interest is being planned. The program will deal with the methods farmers are using to get the most money out of corn and out of hogs. The corn talk given by P. H. Stewart of the crops department of the Agricultural College will deal with experiences of farmers who have been in the 10 acre corn yield contest in which this year Otto Schafer of Nebraska made a record yield of 108 bushels per acre. Mr. Waggoner of the livestock department will talk chiefly about hog lot sanitation and the methods men are using who are most successful in this work. From this county Mr. Otto Schafer winner of the 1928 contest will talk about his methods.

This meeting will be practical. You will enjoy it. The talks will be interesting and to the point. You will hear things discussed which are of interest to you applicable to your farm.

Good Seed Days. "Whatever a man soweth, that also shall he reap"—that old saying is just as good today as when first given, and it applied literally to farming methods of this county, as well as it applies to human life.

Good seed is certainly the foundation of a good crop. It is one of the factors over which man has control. He can do little with the weather, but he can improve his seed, his farming methods, and his soil fertility.

"Good Seed Day" has been scheduled for this county on Friday, Feb. 15. It will be held at Weeping Water, County Extension Agent, L. R. Snipes, has charge of all the preliminary arrangements. At all day exhibition of seed corn and threshed seed and an afternoon question box type meeting are features of the day. P. H. Stewart, a crops specialist of the Agricultural college at Lincoln, will be present to lead the discussion of the meeting.

Seed dealers and farmers with seed for sale are asked to display samples of it at the show. Farmers who want to buy will be urged to come in. Local advertising will be encouraged. Everyone is invited to the question box discussion.

Precautions Prevent Cattle Losses. The right precautions will prevent a good share of the loss of cattle on sweet clover hay or pasture. Mouldy hay may contain poisons that will kill stock. Sweet clover hay seems to thin the blood of animals and cause it to lose its clotting characteristic. Some other kind of hay should be fed with clover hay, or the animals should be changed to another kind of roughage after two weeks on sweet clover hay.

Bloat is caused by the rapid decomposition of the high percentage of organic matter in green feed. Bloat on sweet clover pasture may be largely prevented by starting the animals on some other green pasture in the spring and then getting them used to the clover shortly. In serious cases, the pressure may be relieved with a trocar. Every farmer who pastures clover of any kind should have one or more trocars on the place for emergency use.

Cattle Feeding Report In Bulletin Form The report of all the work of the University of Nebraska Experiment Station in feeding cattle of various ages during the past few years is now out in bulletin form. It is called "Fattening Steers of Various Ages," and is numbered "Station Bulletin 229." Those who wish a copy may secure it either from the County Extension Agent, L. R. Snipes or from the agricultural college at Lincoln.—L. R. Snipes & Jessie H. Baldwin, County Extension Agents.

The Jewish rite of Chaltiza by which a strictly religion widow has to obtain the permission of her dead husband's eldest brother, before she may marry anyone else was introduced in a court case in Shorelditch, England, recently.

Underwood, Democratic Leader, Dies

Family at Bedside of Noted Alabamian, Under Care of Doctors Since Christmas.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Oear W. Underwood, former United States senator from Alabama and candidate for the democratic presidential nomination in 1924, died at the Woodlawn estate in Virginia near here Friday.

He had been under constant care of physicians at Woodlawn since Christmas. Mr. Underwood for 30 years sat in the halls of congress. He was leader of his party in the senate during the world war.

At the time of the Alabamian's death, at 11:15 a. m. Friday, his wife, Mrs. Bertha Underwood Underwood, his two sons, Oscar W. Jr., and John Lewis, and Dr. H. A. Latane were at the bedside.

"24 for Underwood." Mr. Underwood's name became a by-word to the nation in 1924 when, throughout the turbulent Madison Square convention, each of the 193 ballots were led off with the stridently-voiced information that "Alabama casts 24 votes for Oscar W. Underwood." Radio listeners the country over used this phrase as a catch-line for weeks.

The former senator was 69 years old. He was born in Louisville, Ky., spent his boyhood in Minnesota, got his law at the University of Virginia and found his career in Birmingham. In 1894 he was elected to congress, never to leave until his voluntary retirement at the end of the last term.

Framed Tariff Bill. In 1911, when his party finally came into power after the lean days of the McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft administrations, Mr. Underwood was chosen democratic floor leader of the house. Then followed his first great legislative achievement—the Underwood tariff bill, which stood until 1920 and the return of the republicans.

Mr. Underwood aspired to the senate in 1914 and was elected easily. Such was his prestige that when Senator Martin of Virginia died he became floor leader of the upper house.

In the long fight over the treaty of Versailles, Senator Underwood supported President Wilson. At Arms Parley. When President Harding came into office and called the famous Washington arms conference, Mr. Underwood was one of the "big four" for the United States.

Then came his unsuccessful try for the presidential nomination and his retirement from public life. Although the funeral arrangements have not been completed, members of the family said the body would be taken to Birmingham for interment.—Omaha Bee-News.

ENTERTAINS FOR FRIENDS

Last evening Helen Smetana was hostess at a very charming party at her home on North 14th street and at which a very lively group of the friends were in attendance. The evening was spent largely in cards and at which a most delightful time was enjoyed by the members of the party and in the contests Miss Anna Sanders proved the most successful with the second prize being won by Miss Ann Smetana.

The home was very attractively arranged in decorations of the valentine season and which made a very pleasing setting, the red hearts and other features of the decorative plan making the settings most appropriate.

At an appropriate hour a very dainty and delicious two course luncheon was served by the hostess who was assisted by her sisters, Mrs. Wallace Warner and Mrs. Elmer Lohnes.

Those who enjoyed the occasion were: Dora Soennichen, Anna Sanders, Christine Soennichen, Marie Horn, Marie Nolting, Mrs. Lucille Gaines, Mrs. Henry Ote, Jr., Marjorie Shopp, Eleanor McCarty, Viola Meisinger, Florence Thacker, Elizabeth Nolting, Mrs. Elmer Chamberlain of Denver, Wilma Schissl and Ann and Helen Smetana.

SEVERE QUAKE RECORDED

Washington, Jan. 24.—An earthquake reported as of "very severe intensity" was recorded on the seismograph at Georgetown university today, the maximum intensity being reached at 3:54 p. m. Director Tondorf said the earth tremors were continuing late today and he believed the disturbance was about 1,800 miles from Washington in a south-westerly direction.

Director Tondorf expressed the opinion that the quake probably was in Mexico or off the coast of that country. He said the first tremors were recorded at 3:43 p. m. and increased in intensity until a maximum was reached at 3:54 p. m. He added that at 5:29 p. m., the disturbance was still continuing.

ATTACK MADE ON JAPANESE

Geneva, Jan. 25.—Wang King-Ky, Chinese minister to Belgium and representative to his government on the opium committee of the League of Nations, today created a political storm at the meeting of that committee by criticizing Japan for annexing Formosa and keeping troops in Shantung. He charged also that consular privileges often were invoked to protect Europeans who were flooding China with the deadly product of the poppy.

His speech rocked the committee so strongly that adjournment was taken until tomorrow with the hope that "conversations" would meanwhile find a way of avoiding an open rupture.

The Chinese, he said, considered Formosa as a land torn from the mother country by an action that was contrary to the principle that any people has the right to dispose of its own political destiny.

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Bishop Hughes urges an appeal to bootleggers through newspaper advertising "to stop such business and give yourselves to God." The idea might be even more successful if they could be persuaded to take a drink of their own stuff.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned and others, have associated themselves together with others as a corporation under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The name of said corporation is FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY of Plattsmouth, Nebraska. The principal place of annual meeting of the stockholders of said corporation shall be in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska; the principal place of business shall be in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, but subordinate offices and cream stations may be established, owned and operated at such places as the Board of Directors may designate.

The general nature of the business to be transacted by said corporation shall be to buy, sell, manufacture and deal in milk, cream, ice cream, butter, cheese, eggs, poultry, feed, farm products and supplies, and cold storage. It shall have power and authority to purchase, own, hold, lease or otherwise acquire real estate and personal property needed in connection with its business.

The amount of capital stock is \$100,000.00, in shares of par value of \$100.00 per share, paid for in advance. No person shall own either directly or indirectly, more than 5% of the capital stock of said company. Each individual stockholder shall have only one vote regardless of the number of shares owned. From the earnings of the company, over and above operating expenses and dividends, not to exceed 8% per annum shall be paid on the certificates of stock outstanding.

The company shall set aside each year to a surplus fund, not less than 5% of the earnings or savings of the company over and above all expenses and dividends, until such surplus fund equals 20% of the paid-up capital stock. This surplus fund may be used for conducting the business of the corporation. The net earnings or savings of the company remaining after payment of expenses, dividends and surplus, shall be distributed on the following basis: Divided among the patrons of the company pro rata according to the business transacted on each individual class of business.

Said corporation shall continue in business for a period of fifty years from September 8, 1928. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which said corporation shall at any time subject itself shall not exceed two-thirds of the paid-up capital stock.

The business of the corporation shall be conducted by a board of seven Directors elected by ballot by the stockholders at their annual meeting.

The officers of the corporation shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected annually by and from the Board of Directors, and shall hold their offices for a period of one year. The method of conducting the business shall be by By-Laws and in accordance with the laws of the State of Nebraska.

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Corn and Hog Show Here on February 5th

One of Most Interesting Events of Year For Agricultural Standpoint in County.

The corn and hog show that is to be held at the court house in this city on Tuesday, February 5th, will be one of the most interesting events of the year from the agricultural standpoint in the county and one at which a very large number of the residents of the county are expected to be in attendance.

The show will open at 2 o'clock and the public is cordially invited to be present and attend the event. The following program will be given: CORN SHOW 10 ears yellow—\$5-1st; \$4-2nd; \$3-3rd; \$2-4th; \$1-5th. 10 ears white—\$5-1st; \$4-2nd; \$3-3rd; \$2-4th; \$1-5th. Sweepstakes 10 ears—Special prize. All entries to be in place by 12:00 p. m., February 5th. Corn may be left, previous to corn show, with Mr. T. H. Pollock, Farmers State bank at Plattsmouth, or with County Extension Agent L. R. Snipes at Weeping Water.

PROGRAM Growing 108 bu. of corn per acre—Otto Schafer, Nehawka. (Mr. Schafer won the Cass county corn yield contest and state contest, 1928 with 108 bushels per acre.) My Corn Growing Methods—Nelson Berger, Nehawka. (Mr. Berger grew 192 bushels per acre and was second in the eastern section of the state contest in 1928.) Some Results of the State Corn Yield Contest—D. Stewart, from the Agricultural College. Hog Growing Methods—O. O. Waggoner, Agricultural College. How I Raise Hogs—Fred Rehmeier, Weeping Water. SUPPER 6:30 p. m.—Presentation of medals and short talks.

CHANGE DEBATE DATE Fremont, Neb., Jan. 24.—The annual invitational debate tournament sponsored by Midland college will be held Feb. 14-16 instead of Feb. 21-23, because of a conflict with the district basketball tournament to be held here on the latter dates.

By holding the debate tournament Feb. 14-16, Midland will be able to entertain the debaters as its guests at the Midland-Grand Island basketball game on Thursday night, Feb. 14, and at the Artist course number, featuring Alberto Salvi, harp, and Laura Townsley McCoy, soprano and protege of Madame Schumann-Heink, on Friday night, Feb. 15.

Plattsmouth high is one of the schools expected to enter a team in the tournament.

3,000 CIVIL WAR VETERANS GET PENSIONS Washington, Jan. 21.—An emulous pension bill, granting pensions to about 3,000 civil war veterans and dependants at a cost of \$500,000 a year, was enacted by the senate Thursday. The bill previously had passed the house but the senate added about 100 pensions to it, requiring further approval by the house.

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SEEKS TO SHARE ESTATE OF MATE SHE DIVORCED

Grand Island, Jan. 24.—Whether an interlocutory divorce decree will bar Mrs. Saburo Shindo from inheriting her share of her late husband's estate, must be decided in district court here. Chindo, reputed wealthy Japanese cafe owner, died several weeks ago. His wife is an American woman.

The divorce decree, under an interlocutory order, would not have become final for several months, but Shindo's will provided only for their three children. Under the terms of the divorce and an stipulation in his will, his widow was to receive \$25 each month.

Since the will has been filed, however, Mrs. Shindo has elected to file claim for one-third of the estate as authorized by inheritance laws. She also asks to be allowed immediately \$150 each month as a widow's allowance.

Senate Bill Changes Date of Elections

Senate Measure Makes State Primaries in July; Calls for Conventions in May ASSEMBLY LOG House adjourned until 9 a. m., Friday and senate until 10 a. m. Seventy-two bills introduced in house and nine in the senate. Senator Wherry reintroduced joint bank investigation resolution. House passed H. R. No. 16, allowing doctors and lawyers of railroads to use passes, and H. R. No. 61 amending criminal assault law.

Lincoln, Jan. 24.—Important changes in Nebraska's election laws were wrought in a bill introduced in the senate Thursday by Senator Dwight Griswold. The bill also would change the primary election law by requiring state conventions to be held eight weeks before the time for closing of the filing of nominations of candidates. The bill provides that state conventions be held in all years in May and the primaries the third Tuesday in July.

A change would also be made in the selection of delegates to national conventions and national committeemen and committeewomen. Instead of being selected by the people at the primary, they would be selected at the state convention of the parties. The bill also repeals the provision of the law which provides for the nominating of a presidential candidate at primary elections.

Tax Commissioner. Another bill by Griswold requires that every gasoline-electric motor car shall have a crew consisting of a motorman, a conductor and two brakemen. Senators Rudolph Brandt of West Point and George Finch of Wahoo are sponsors of a measure which would create the office of tax commissioner in counties having less than 15,000 inhabitants. The duties of the commissioner would include the preparation of a county tax list, the collection of fishing and hunting licenses and the supervising of auto registration.

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Bank Bill Blocked

An attempt by Senators Kenneth S. Wherry and Griswold to have the senate consider Thursday Wherry's resolution asking an investigation of the bank guaranty fund commission was blocked by Senator W. B. Banning of Union. Senator Banning insisted that the rules of the procedure of the upper house be adhered to and the resolution put over until Friday. Lieutenant Governor George Williams, presiding officer, ruled in Banning's favor.

Senator Wherry's resolution called for a committee of five to be appointed to conduct a thorough investigation of the guaranty commission and its administration of funds and to report its findings and suggestions for corrective legislation.

A similar resolution was introduced by Senator Wherry on last Friday, but was withdrawn Monday by Senator J. C. McGowan of Norfolk during Wherry's absence.—Omaha Bee-News.

CONTEST CLAIM COUNTY OFFICER

Hastings, Neb., Jan. 23.—The right of a county commissioner to receive wages and mileage for supervising road and bridge work is being tested in a suit heard in district court here yesterday before Judge J. W. James. The case was taken under advisement.

William Maltman, Hastings, a tax payer, filed the case on an appeal from a \$138.90 claim allowed by the county board of Mr. Fred Rulter, a county supervisor. Rulter's claim involved per diem fees of \$105 for 21 days of supervising work in the month of August, 1928, and \$33.90 mileage.

Citing state laws, Maltman avers the county board does not have the legal authority to pay any mileage whatsoever and that payment cannot be made from the county highway fund, as he claims was done in this case, but only from the individual road district fund.

Rulter's case, court attaches say, may have some bearing on similar cases in other counties of the state.

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