

### DOUTHETT HAS NO BILLS

#### Dawson County Senator Will Be in Fine Shape to Vote Independently During Session.

#### TWENTY-TWO FOR MR. HOWELL

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—Senator Douthett of Dawson believes in the economy plan and practices it, as is shown by the records of Senate Bookkeeper Gus Beschmer. The senator introduced no bills during the session, but he generally found in his place with his eyes open and votes when you vote.

Senator Kohl came next with two bills to his credit, while Hoagland put over three, Burman, Miller and Robertson came forward with four each and Spencer was the author of five. Brookley, Gates, Krumbach and Marshall got an even half dozen each, pure food count, and Weesmer and Wilson of Frontier had the meagre seven. Lehner, Rudek, Shumway, Spirk, Wilson of Dodge and Wink are responsible for eight bills each, Mattie nine, "Governor" Grace ten and Henry eleven. Bedford, Bushe, Bryland, Kiechel and Sandall made it a dozen and then the skip came to fourteen for Quinby and Saunders. Mallery had sixteen bills, which included the education code bill; Dodds had eighteen and Seal nineteen. Howell has twenty-two. This makes an average of nine to the senator, counting one bill put in by the judiciary committee.

### Lawmakers Feel Little Sympathy For Normal Board

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—The case with which the bill to abolish the old normal board went through the house, with only eight dissenting voices, indicates just how much the people of Nebraska were in sympathy with the action of the old board in dismissing Dr. Thomas from the Kearney State normal without a hearing and without being allowed to inform the public of the cause of his dismissal, except the well known opinion that he had opposed the schoolmasters' club and was in bad with that organization.

The first vindication to Dr. Thomas came when he was nominated for the office of state superintendent and the second came when he was elected to that position by a larger majority than any other man on the same ticket, and now the legislature has taken hold of the matter with the evident intention of preventing any further happenings of this kind.

### Heirs of Indian Fight Lawsuit to Take Property

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—The poor Indian, who was the victim of the white man's greed, that, if the defendant's side of a case that has been appealed from Thurston county to the supreme court by the heirs of Daniel Grant is to be believed. The heirs are the defendants and the appellants. The plaintiff is Will E. Smith, who successfully brought the suit in the lower court to foreclose a mortgage for \$2,500 that he held against the deceased and Sophia Grant, his widow, otherwise known as Ne-meta Mitchell Grant.

### HOUSE VOTES SYMPATHY TO REPORTER OVER ACCIDENT

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—Resolutions of sympathy for E. E. Wolfe, newspaper representative for the Daily Star, were offered and passed by the house Saturday morning. Mr. Wolfe is unable to carry on his work on account of a broken arm sustained earlier in the week. The resolution was offered by Representative Steinhaas.

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### LINCOLN DAY SPEAKER AT THE UNIVERSITY CLUB



DR. F. W. OUNBULUS.

### Interurban Road Hearing Goes on With the Board

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—A hard fight is being made before the State Railway commission on the application of the Omaha and Lincoln Railway and Light company's application for permission to issue \$100,000 worth of bonds and \$45,000 worth of stock. The hearing commenced this morning, although Attorney Edgerton made a strenuous plea for a continuance in the absence of his principal, Benjamin S. Baker of Omaha, who is the remonstrator. The remonstrator's original attorney, Charles P. Craft, and E. C. Hurd, the engineer, who is conducting his investigation, are both absent. The commission, however, directed that the hearing proceed.

### Factory Proposition Bill Is Called Back

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—Jeffrey's factory bill, H. R. 177 was resurrected Saturday morning and referred back to the committee of the whole for amendments, after it had been switched into the hopper for indefinitely postponed bills, Friday morning. The measure as it will again be offered to the house provides for a definition of "factory," which will comply with the provisions of the workingmen's compensation act. The minimum employee by the original bill for a factory was defined as an employee, and now the legislature has taken hold of the matter with the evident intention of preventing any further happenings of this kind.

### Legislative Proceedings

House Committee of Whole.  
H. R. 264, DeLoe and Patterson—Amendment to pure food law, requiring ingredients to be named on label of imitation foods and preserves and an increase in pay of 40 cents per day for inspectors. Recommended to pass as amended.  
H. R. 265, Larkin—Civil service for South Omaha. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 266, Nelson—Rescues the owners of lots injured by the strike of their duties. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 267, Peterson—Penalties, volunteer firemen in cities of the first class of less than 2,000 inhabitants during disability, while injured by the discharge of their duties. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 268, Wink-Sains as R. F. 21, but related to incorporated village. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 269, Bennett—Permits the increase of salaries of councilmen of cities of 2,000 to \$1.50 to \$1.50 from \$1.00, and raises salaries of the mayor of South Omaha and cities of population of from \$500 to \$1,000. Recommended to pass as amended.  
H. R. 270, Brooks—Cities of 5,000 to 20,000 to levy up to five mills by council to provide improvement fund to be used by Commercial Club. Recommended to pass as amended.  
H. R. 271, Taylor—District court reporter should furnish transcripts without other compensation than salary. Present law gives them 10 cents per 100 words. Provisions reported. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 272, Hoffmeister—Earnings companies must properly house live stock entrusted to their care. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 273, Brooks—Provides that liens by owners of automobiles, jeeps and boats shall be filed before the first day of October in the year following the fouling of offending. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 274, Daino—Provides legal bond-ary fence and division in case of construction. Recommended to pass as amended.  
H. R. 275, Crinklaw—Allows partial closing of public park in cities and villages of less than 200 inhabitants and provides for the regulation of administration charges thereon. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 276, Dalby—Provides for employment of county jail or city prisoners in counties of over 20,000 and cities of over 5,000 population. Recommended to pass.  
H. R. 277, Horney—Special two sections amend and provide approval of municipal and county authorities and the State Railway commission. Recommended to pass as amended.  
H. R. 278, Crinklaw—Eliminates from the constitution the requirement of female labor in the county and all cities of less than 5,000. Recommended to pass.  
Adjourned to meet Monday at 9 o'clock.  
"Announcements" and being good reports.

### Free Attendance Law Given Blow By Thomas Ruling

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—A ruling made today by State Superintendent Thomas in a Hayes county case practically vitiated the present free attendance law as applied to the county high schools of the state. The ruling is grounded upon the proposition that to require the county to pay the tuition for one of its pupils attending a nearby school in another county and at the same time to support a county high school of its own, would constitute double taxation. Accordingly, Superintendent Thomas writes Mr. Dixie of Hayes Center, that district No. 31, Hayes county, cannot be legally taxed the \$7 additional necessary to pay the nonresident tuition of one May Leach of that district in another county high school. Miss Leach has graduated from the eighth grade of the Hayes county district. The only exception that Superintendent Thomas notes to his rule would come where one county high school maintains twelve grades and the other less than that number.

### South Omaha Cut Out Of the Salary Raise

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 6.—(Special.)—Norfolk is a bigger town than South Omaha if salaries contemplated in action taken by the house this afternoon are to be considered. H. R. 263 the bill under discussion provides that the salary of the councilmen of the city of South Omaha and other cities of that class and population shall be \$1,500, an increase of \$300 over the old law. For cities of 5,000 to 25,000 an increase of \$500 is allowed with a limit of \$1,500. Nichols of Madison, author of the bill, amended it so that the old law would apply to South Omaha, making the salary \$1,000, while the Norfolk class of cities would get the benefit of the raise.

### Bundle Day in New York is Successful

(From a Staff Correspondent.) NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—So general was the response last Thursday to make "bundle day" a success that the Central Bundles committee, headed by Mrs. James Speyer, today announced that plans were already being discussed to make the bundle collections an annual affair, but it is a date previous to the Christmas holidays. The bundles continued to come yesterday at the bundle headquarters on an average of \$7,000 an hour. The same thing was going on at the other receiving stations. About 75 per cent of the bundles contained men's clothing. Garments in need of repair are sent to repair shops where the workers are paid 15 cents an hour and work four hour shifts that a great number of employed may profit by the employment.

### DYING MAN SAVES FAST TRAIN FROM POSSIBLE WRECK

MILFORD, Utah, Feb. 6.—Mortally wounded by a pistol shot, Kihara, a Japanese section foreman, used the last of his strength to set a torpedo on the tracks of the Salt Lake route near here last night to save the eastbound Pacific limited train from possible wreck. Kihara was shot through the abdomen by Mexicans who composed his force. They fled, leaving the handcar on the rails. The wounded man tried in vain to remove the car alone and then dragged himself down the track with a torpedo, which he placed as to check the train. The train stopped in response to the signal and brought Kihara to this place, where he died.

### LUSITANIA FLIES STARS AND STRIPES

#### Cunard Liner Crosses Irish Sea Under American Flag, Reaching Liverpool Saturday.

#### CAPTAIN CLAIMS THE RIGHT

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Cunard line steamer Lusitania crossed the Irish Sea flying the American flag. The Lusitania sailed from New York January 30, arriving at Liverpool today.

An American passenger said the captain claimed the right to fly the American flag because he had neutral mails and neutral passengers aboard.

### GREATEST FIGHT OF WAR TO DATE YET UNDECIDED

(Continued from Page One.) Interesting development of the struggle in the east. It overshadows for the moment the operations of the Russians in East Prussia and is taken in some quarters to indicate that they have ceased playing the role of merely holding their lines to the west of Warsaw and determined on an effort to expel the invaders. Few Changes in West. The western war zone has been virtually no change during the week, but there are many reports of German preparations for renewed activity in Belgium. The German threat of a submarine blockade may be a factor in this situation, the theory being advanced that the Germans expect the allies to attempt to force them back from the coast, with the idea of destroying their submarine base.

### Six Men Killed by Explosion in Mine

FAYETTEVILLE, W. Va., Feb. 6.—At least six men are believed to have been killed by an explosion in a mine of the New River coal company at Carlisle near here today. There were 135 men in the workings. All save ten reached the surface in safety. They reported that six miners had been killed but said they knew nothing of the remaining four. Rescue parties were organized immediately to search the mine. News of the disaster was sent to the Pittsburgh station of the Bureau of Mines and word was received that a rescue car would proceed at once to Carlisle.

### WESTERN FREIGHT RATE HEARING IS POSTPONED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Hearing on the proposals of western railroads to increase freight rates, which were to begin in Chicago before the Interstate Commerce commission, February 15, have been postponed until March 4 by agreement between the railroads, the Interstate Commerce commission, and the State Railroad commission, affected.

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