

ATTACKING OREGON PLAN OF ELECTION

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Although Quincy of Douglas was unsuccessful in getting a recount of the ballots on the constitutional amendments before the joint session when the legislature convened the vote, Hunter of the house delegation has won a partial victory, the house committee this evening reporting out favorably house roll 576 by Hunter, calling for a recount of the ballots.

Child Labor Worker Delivers Speech to Health Officers

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—The granting of an hour's time to Miss J. J. Eichenbrenner, membership secretary of the National Child Labor association, while two scheduled addresses were put over until a later time, got a "rise" out of E. H. Hanna of York at the session of the State and Local Health officers' meeting today. Dr. Hanna characterized such an action by the board, "as the price of a concession" and stated that he was sure that such good time should be given to a discussion of a subject, which had no bearing on the work of the association, at all. Miss Eichenbrenner spoke at length on the work of the organization in securing favorable legislation pertaining to the employment of children in the factories of the east and south, and asked the association to adopt a resolution asking congress to pass a uniform child labor law, which was done by the board. Aside from the address of Miss Eichenbrenner, State Superintendent A. C. Thomsen, gave the principal talk of the day's meeting.

House Restores Senate Bills to Regular Place

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—When the lower house of the legislature met Thursday morning it proceeded to back up the action taken the day before, sending all senate bills to the foot of the general file. It did this without taking a formal vote of reconsideration, but merely on a point of order that the motion had been offered and adopted irregularly in committee of the whole which rendered it of no effect.

Mr. Tremble, more as a joke than anything else, moved that senate file two, the Howell bill, consolidating Omaha, South Omaha, Dundas and Florence, be taken from the committee on cities and towns and placed at the head of the senate file. The fun started at once. Mr. Norton insisted that the bill take its regular course, and Mr. Negley of Douglas county demanded that the people who are interested should be given a hearing before the committee. The motion was defeated.

Bill for Rotation On Ballot is Saved

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—S. P. 2, by Saunders, calling for the rotation of names on the general election ballot, as at the primary, nearly went to defeat in the lower chamber and was saved from death by Negley of Douglas, who amended the bill so it would only apply to Douglas county. Cronin of Holt had voted the morning session of the house, when he said that there was no call for such action except in Douglas and Lancaster counties.

Legislative Proceedings

Bills Reported in House. H. R. 20—Disqualify any foreign born voter who fails to complete his naturalization papers in seven years. H. R. 21—Restricting speed of automobiles on country roads at night to twenty miles an hour. H. R. 22—Taylor—Would set the fine for attorneys. Bills Passed in House. H. R. 23—Permits attorneys not admitted to bar to file in probate courts. Ayes, 21; nays, 21. H. R. 24—Douglas County Delegation—Allow change of venue in probate courts to consolidated municipal courts in Omaha. Ayes, 21; nays, none. H. R. 25—Some Celebration—Amendments of the peace jurisdiction to his own district. Ayes, 21; nays, none. Feb. Message. H. P. 15, Beck of Balm—Providing for amendments to constitution for smaller legislature with four-year term. S. P. 1, Kiechel of Nemaha—Provides for optional school term of less than nine and not more than seven months where majority of pupils of district attend parochial school for five months or more. H. P. 2, Shucway of Dixon—Provides for sterilization of defective with consent of next of kin or a committee under certain circumstances for their residence from a state institution. Substitute for original bill. H. P. 3, Woodbury of Clay—Raises the tuition for day government pupils in high schools from 75 cents to \$1 per week. Third Reading, Senate. S. P. 1, Woodbury of Clay—Regulates sale of baby carriage seats. Passed. S. P. 2, Howard of Douglas—Anti-discrimination measure bill. Failed to pass.

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TO REDUCE LEGISLATURE

Measure Again Pressed to Advantage Cutting Down Membership in Lawmaking Body.

HAS ONLY SLIGHT MAJORITY

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Senator Spirk of Saline pulled a brand from the burning this morning when he again put his smaller legislature resolution to a vote in the senate committee of the whole and this time carried it by a margin of one. The committee of the whole yesterday afternoon on a motion to put the bill on its third reading, defeated it by a margin of several votes. No motion to dispose of the bill was made at the time, however, as is usually done and it was thus left open, although the senate thought that it had killed the bill. Senator Spirk reads another motion in the committee of the whole this morning to put the bill upon its third reading. The original bill called for a legislature with a house of fifty member and a senate of eighteen members, serving four-year terms instead of two at present. It was amended in the committee of the whole so as to increase the number of senators to twenty-five. Another committee of the whole amendment makes the session 100 days instead of sixty days and pays the members \$10 a day. This would make a salary of \$1,000 instead of one of \$600 as at present. The second motion to recommend the bill for passage carried by a vote of 18 to 16, there having been two absentees. The closeness of the vote renders the passage of the bill on third reading still uncertain.

MISS ROOT OF NORFOLK FILES DIVORCE PETITION

MADISON, Neb., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Mrs. Emma E. Root of Norfolk has brought action in the district court for divorce from her husband, Joseph L. Root. She alleges in her petition as grounds for such action cruelty and non-support. They were married at Norfolk in 1893. Mr. Root is a plumber. The couple have two children, a son and a daughter. Mrs. Root asks in addition to a divorce, custody of the children and temporary and permanent alimony.

HOUSE COMMITTEE FAVORS NEW SUPREME COURT BILL

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—The proposed constitutional amendment providing the election of supreme court judges by districts, was reported out by the house committee on constitutional amendments this afternoon. The bill also provides for the division of the court into three sections.

INSURANCE BILL KILLED IN SENATE

Senator Howell's Anti-Discrimination Measure Indefinitely Postponed After Fight on Floor.

ATTACKS FROM TWO SIDES

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Senator Howell's anti-discrimination insurance bill, S. F. 46, was defeated on third reading in the senate today. The bill had been recommended for passage earlier in the week in the committee of the whole by a substantial majority.

The vote on third reading was, seventeen against the bill and thirteen for it. Senators Bushes and Malley led the attack on the bill on the ground that it abolished competition in the insurance business. Spirk and Lahnens joined in on the ground that it hurt the farmers' mutuals.

Vote in Detail.

The vote was as follows: Ayes: Bedford, Brookley, Bygland, Doherty, Catewell, Howell, Kohl, Mattie, Piller, Ruden, Sandall and Spencer—11. Nays: Beal, Buhman, Bushes, Grace, Hoagland, Kiechel, Krumbach, Lahnens, Malley, Marshall, Gulby, Robertson, Schumway, Spirk, Westmer, Wilson of Dodge and Wilson of Frontier—17.

Explanations of votes were numerous. Senator Bushes explained that he was opposed to the bill, as its passage meant the formation of a gigantic insurance trust. Kansas had had such a law, his explanation ran, and there, rates were from 30 to 75 per cent higher than in Nebraska. Further, he was opposed to the bill because none but insurance agents were asking for it.

To Stifle Competition.

Senator Malley of Box Butte deemed it the most dangerous bit of legislation yet offered in the senate. Its title misrepresented, he said, and instead of being a bill to prevent fire waste and equalize rates, it was a bill to stifle competition as between the insurance companies. He quoted a letter from an insurance agent, a former member of the legislature, in his support.

Senator Spirk of Saline and Senator Lahnens of Thayer saw in the bill a blow directed at the farmers' mutuals of the state. The bill has been in other legislatures, passing one house sometimes, but never passing both houses. There is a similar bill in the house at present.

No Monopoly Upon Veterinary Work

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Almost alone and unaided, Representative Reimer of Thomas county made a valiant fight to save his bill which would bar from practice all veterinarians in the state who had not taken a regular course and passed an examination in professional branches. Charges were made by opponents of the bill that the veterinarians of the state were attempting to get a monopoly on the business by crowding out the less fortunate brethren who had not had the benefits of great education and long service. The bill was killed.

NEW STERILIZATION BILL

Senate Committee of the Whole Agrees Upon Modified Measure Along Lines of Old One.

WILL PROBABLY BE AGREED TO

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—A modified sterilization bill, a substitute for the original bill, was recommended for passage by the senate committee of the whole today.

The committee substitute was offered by Senator Shumway, introducer of the original bill, S. F. No. 5. He said that it was drawn by Superintendent East of the State Institute for Feebleminded at Beatrice by Superintendent Williams of the Lincoln hospital for the insane and by Judge Howard Kennedy of the Board of Control for state institutions. The new bill eliminates anything compulsory about the operation, but puts a premium upon it so that it allows inmates in some cases to gain their freedom by submitting to it. The operation must be performed in all cases upon the consent of the inmate's next of kin and upon his own consent insofar as he is capable of giving it. The new bill applies to defectives discharged from the penitentiary, the feebleminded institute, the insane asylum, and the industrial schools. A board of five medical examiners is created. The bill only applies to feebleminded and insane inmates of state institutions; it does not specify those criminally defective, unless de facto they should be considered feebleminded as well as criminal.

There was no opposition to the substitute bill. Generally the recommendations of the committee of the whole are followed on third reading.

Hunter Suggests Pipe Line Built By Two States

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—The building of a pipe line from Casper, Wyo., to Omaha as a joint enterprise by the states of Nebraska and Wyoming for the purpose of transporting oil to this state was proposed in the legislature Thursday in a resolution offered by Representative Hunter of Douglas county. It calls for a line 600 miles long and two feet in diameter and capable of transporting 10,000,000 gallons every twenty-four hours, at an estimated cost of \$5,000 per mile.

The resolution suggested that the governors of the two states arrange for a joint delegate convention to forward this project in order that Nebraska may be enabled to draw supplies of oil from the Wyoming fields without depending on railroad companies for its transportation and making this state independent of the Standard Oil company.

A motion by Mr. Blainier to take the resolution was lost. Under the rules the Hunter resolution went over for two days.

Anti-Tipping Bill To Pass in House

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—That the hosteler anti-tipping bill has enough backing to pass the lower house of the legislature was demonstrated this morning, when it met all attacks of its opponents and rallied two-thirds of the members to its support in committee of the whole. The bill forbids the acceptance of tips by any employee in any railroad dining cars, hotels, restaurants, barber shops, saloons and other public places. The employees accepting tips are made liable to a penalty. The bill originally made the employer liable, but this feature has been changed.

Anti-Dope Bill Passes the Senate

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Senator Brookley's anti-dope bill, senate file No. 36, backed by the Omaha Commercial club and the State Druggists' association, passed the senate this morning on third reading without a single dissenting vote.

The bill regulates the sale of habit-forming drugs, providing that they shall not be sold except upon prescription and that a public record of these prescriptions be kept for two years.

GOVERNOR WILL SUGGEST SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Just after the close of the afternoon session of the house today Governor Morehead held a consultation with about twenty house members and informed them that he would tomorrow send up a special message asking for an emergency appropriation of \$2,000, the sum needed by the railway commission to carry on the joint railway rate cases now under investigation. This was done after a conference with Chairman Clarke of the commission over a message sent by

Clifford Thorne of the Iowa commission, urging the appropriation of the amount Governor Morehead informed the members that he desired the amount appropriated.

GREAT BRITAIN WILL HAVE MORE WAR NEWS

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The British government has capitulated at last to the insistent demand for more news from the front. Prime Minister Asquith promised today that arrangements would be made to publish communications from Sir John French, the British commander-in-chief, twice weekly.

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