

### Income Tax Bill Has Hectic Day in Lower House

#### Jacoby Measure Advanced to Third Reading, Then Returned to Committee—Debate Lasted Two Hours

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—Following a two-hour debate, the lower house advanced the Jacoby excess profits, or income tax, bill to third reading by a vote of 49 to 40. Hardly had the final vote been announced, when those opposed to the bill moved to return it to the committee on revenue and taxation for further amendments. This motion carried by a raising vote, 47 to 42, over Jacoby's protest. "Good-bye bill," Jacoby shouted after the vote was announced on the motion to refer the measure back to committee.

#### Tells of Profits.

Jacoby, in urging advancement of the bill, told of hundreds of thousands made in Nebraska by the Standard Oil company and other large corporations, emphasizing alleged exorbitant profits pouring into coffers of sugar beet manufacturers in western and northwestern Nebraska.

"If that bill passes, it means the added taxes put on the corporations will be taken from the people the same as high railroad taxes are being from the people," Lamb, chairman of the revenue committee, said. "We don't tax profits of railroads, we tax their property," Jacoby retorted.

The charge was made that if the bill passed it would drive new industries from the state.

"That's old stuff," Jacoby replied.

#### Subterfuge Is Charged.

After the motion to advance carried and the motion to refer the bill back to the committee was made, Jacoby charged it was a subterfuge to kill the bill.

"That committee killed the bill once and it is still opposed to it and will slip in some joker or hold the bill until it is too late to get action," Jacoby said. "I had to lift the bill over the committee's recommendation to indefinitely postpone it once." "I deny that statement," Lamb said. "If the source is ready for this bill, we want to scan it carefully and put it in good shape."

#### Amendments Accepted.

Before the bill was considered this afternoon, Jacoby offered a few amendments, which were accepted. The measure, as advanced and referred back to the committee, provides, briefly the following: All corporations with a capital investment under \$100,000 exempt. All corporations with a capital in excess of that amount shall be assessed 10 per cent of their net profits, after the first 10 per cent of the net profits is deducted; if a corporation receives net profits in excess of 40 per cent, it must pay 20 per cent on the excess of the 40 per cent.

#### Vote on Bill.

Against bill: Allen, Amepoker, Ball, Barbour, Bolding, Davis of a few, Dennis, Denmore, Donnell, Dyball, Dy-sart, Eason, Gallagher, Gierber, Gaud, Hall, Hanson, Harrington, Heffner, Hughes, Johnston, Kautsky, Kendall, Kreyer, Lamb, Main, Miner, North, Gil-son, Rourke, Smiley, Staats, Sibals, Ward, Whitehead, Wilson of Dawne, Wis-son of Lancaster, Wise, Wood, Yochum of Otoe. Total 49.

For: Auten, Auxier, Astell, Ball, Be-shausen, Beck, Brown, Brown, Burke, Collins, G. B. Collins, G. S. Colman, Davis more, Gordon, Hardin, Haycock, Heffer-man, Hyde, Jacoby, Keck, Kemper, Mich-ell, Moore, Morgan, Neff, Neason, Orr, Osterman, Oteman, Peterson, Polari, Quinn, Raasch, Reese, Regan, Smith, Strehlow, Svoboda, Thompson, Timm, Vance, Wells, Wingett, Yochum of Sau-nders. Total 40.

Absent and not voting: Bailey, Eisen-berg, Green Johnson, Keifer, Lundy, Meares, O'Malley, Parkinson, Thatcher, Speaker, Mathers.

#### Two Omaha Youths Named for West Point Examination

Washington, Feb. 23.—(Special).—During the past week for the military during the past week for the military academy entrance examinations to be held March 6, with the view to admission to the academy on July 2, named by Senator Hitchcock: Willard Harman Stewart, 4318 Franklin street, and Phillip Scott Heckman, first alternate, 2210 South Twenty-third avenue, Omaha; William V. Jones, Superior, second alternate.

### Her Heart Stopped When Doctor Took Nail From Lung



This young woman carried a brass nail in her lung for 13 years. While Dr. John Minnehan was removing it recently he found it necessary to move her heart to one side. The organ stopped beating and for a moment it was thought she was dead. Now she is on the way to recovery and physicians predict she will be entirely normal and healthy henceforth. Miss Wendricke is 17 years of age. The remarkable operation was performed at St. Vincent's hospital in Green Bay, Wis. The nail was more than an inch long and had a wide, rounded head. Miss Wendricke swallowed the nail when she was a child.

#### Price Congress Delegates Named

#### Governor Selects Representatives From Six Organizations to Attend Meeting.

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—The following Nebraskans have been named by Governor Bryan to represent the state at the Northwestern Agricultural Price Stabilization congress to be held at Minneapolis next Tuesday:

From Farmers' Educational and Co-operative State Union: Ben T. Skeen, Auburn; H. G. Keeney, Cowles; E. J. Keogh, Stockville; Ben L. Peters, Omaha; John Havekost, Hooper; Charles McLeod, Stanton; J. O. Shroyer, Humboldt; C. J. Osborn, Omaha.

From Nonpartisan league: J. A. Wehrman, Nelson; Alfred Johnson, Holdrege; Herman Meyer, Hooper; Chris Jahnke, Bancroft; Andrew Dahl-sten, Newman Grove; J. D. Ream, Broken Bow.

From Omaha Chamber of Commerce: S. S. Carlisle, F. P. Manchester.

From Nebraska Farm bureau: H. L. Keefe, Walthill; C. Y. Thompson, West Point; J. N. Norton, Polk; Ar-thur N. Bartlett, Chadron; L. B.

#### Leonard, Scottsbluff; Charles Murray, Friend.

From Nebraska State Bankers' association: George N. Seymour, Elgin; W. G. Springer, McCook; F. H. Swingley, Atkinson; C. L. Wattle, Neligh; C. L. Countryman, Ogallala.

From Lincoln Chamber of Commerce: S. R. McKelvie, W. T. Bars-tow, Frank D. Tomson, El P. Brown, Bert W. Gregg, Hal C. Young, A. L. Haacker.

#### Burlington Employees Bill Advanced in Lower House

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—Bills passed on third reading today by the lower house follow:

House roll 153, giving Burlington employees right to sue company and still retain privileges of Burlington Employees Insurance association.

House roll 196, giving power to railway commission to order erection of hog and cattle sheds on railroad lines at any time.

House roll 461, thresher's lien bill.

House roll 477, prohibiting trapping furbearing animals without consent of owner of land.

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### No-Fund Check Bill Is Passed in State Senate

#### Paving Assessment Terms Reduced and Interest on Improvement Liens Cut to 6 Per Cent.

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—S. F. 121, a bill strengthening the provision of the present no-fund check act, was passed by the Nebraska senate today.

The bill puts additional teeth into the present law by providing rigid penalties for issuing checks without funds in the bank to pay for merchandise.

Two other bills passed the senate: S. F. 106, Wittke—Makes paving assessments payable annually for 10 years instead of 20, and reduces the interest on liens on property for public improvements from 7 to 6 per cent. H. R. 172, Dyball—Fixes new procedure for exercise of right of eminent domain by corporations, and specifies six instead of three appraisers.

#### Change Marriage Bill.

S. F. 92, by Hastings, the much-amended marriage license bill, received further treatment today, when an amendment by Senator Cooper of Omaha, striking out the clause declaring common law marriages unlawful was adopted. The word "ad-judged" was inserted in the restriction against insane or epileptic people securing licenses and the bill was sent to third reading in the committee of the whole. The senate also advanced the Plumb bill, S. F. 175, a measure to straighten out a sewage disposal plant tangle at Fremont, to third reading.

The senate considered without final action H. R. 81, which provides that a petition signed by 51 per cent of property owners affected, or their agents, can prevent city council from constructing storm or sanitary sewers or disposal plants. An amendment by Cooper to force the agent to have power of attorney was carried by a vote of 12 to 11.

#### Omaha's Lose Fight.

Chambers and Larkin, both of Omaha, made an unsuccessful attempt to save S. F. 63, recommended for indefinite postponement. It would prohibit counties and cities from letting contracts to pave with any patented material or process. Its advocates held that the bill would eliminate scandal, but Meacham, Anderson and Robbins argued it would prevent open bidding.

Bills reported out by the committee for general file included: S. F. 84, by Price, authorizing cities of over 1,000 population to have municipal yards and ice plants. It was amended to apply to cities of from 5,000 to 25,000 population. H. R. 1—Makes unsuccessful bidders for school leases pay the cost of appraisal and figuring all improvements in the appraisal. The senate adjourned until 3 Monday.

#### Bushee Moves to Lincoln.

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—Former State Senator B. K. Bushee of Kimball has entered the insurance business in Lincoln. Bushee was at one time president of a bank at Kimball.

#### House Urges Bonus.

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—The lower house today voted to adopt a resolution memorializing congress to substitute the bonus bill for the ship subsidy measure.

### Strehlow Loses Fight for Special Committee

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—Representative Strehlow, Omaha, republican, attempted unsuccessfully to have the Bryan executive council bills placed in a separate committee and taken from the judiciary committee.

Strehlow asserted that the judiciary committee was overworked and that they could not give the bills the consideration they demanded. T. B. Dysart, chairman of the judiciary committee, denied the Strehlow statement and asserted the Bryan bills would have others pointed out that all bills having to do with modification or change of the present form of government had been referred to the judiciary committee and that the Bryan bills having to do with the same subject should also be considered by the judiciary.

"There's nothing to this motion by Mr. Strehlow excepting an attempt to get his name in the newspapers," Representative Gallagher said.

Strehlow wanted the committee on committees to name a new committee for the consideration of these measures.

### Hastings Doctor Held for Trial on Murder Charge

#### Apparently Helpless and Uttering a Word Surgeon Is Carried to Court Room for Hearing.

Hastings, Neb., Feb. 23.—(Special).—Apparently helpless and without uttering a word during the proceedings, Dr. Charles L. Egbert was bound over late this afternoon to be tried in district court on the charge of murder in the first degree. No plea was entered when the complaint was read to him charging him with the felonious killing of his son-in-law, Charles R. Gordon.

Dr. Egbert had to be carried into the county courtroom. His wife is still in a sanitarium. She has been told of the tragedy.

W. A. Gordon, Tulepe, Miss, father of the slain man, has asked to have the body sent to Tulepe for burial. It was learned today that Charles Gordon had complained last year that his young wife, daughter of the Egberts, was being given "dope" by a member of her family for headaches. He told an associate that he objected strenuously. Whether this was a factor in the final disagreement that preceded the shooting is not known, nor is it known what kind of "dope" Gordon meant was being administered.

Dr. Egbert's surgical practice has been by far the largest of any man of his profession in this section of the state. Since the shooting, he has been in a state of almost total collapse.

#### Effort to Revive Tubercular Test Bill Fails in House

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—An attempt to send a compulsory tubercular test bill back to committee after it had been killed failed to get more than 21 votes in the lower house today.

### State Senator Elected Head of Editors' Body

#### J. S. Kroh of Ogallala Named President and Mrs. Marie Weeks of Norfolk Vice President.

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—Senator J. S. Kroh of Ogallala was selected president of the Nebraska Press association. Other officers are: Vice president, Marie Weeks, Norfolk; secretary, Ole Buck, Lincoln; treasurer, F. O. Edgescombe, Geneva.

The following were elected members of the executive committee: Two years, Joe Alden, York; H. D. Leggett, Ord; H. D. Flory, Pawnee City; one year, C. A. Carlson, Aurora, and J. W. Sweet, Nebraska City. E. R. Purcell of Broken Bow remains on the board another year.

The editors talked "shop" and heard the annual reports of officers on the second day of the golden jubilee convention. The report of Secretary O. Buck went into some length into the advertising field, both local and foreign, as experienced by the small newspaper editor. Widespread advertising, reducing or eliminating

### Egyptian Mummy in State Museum

#### Former Crawford Minister Brought Back Sarcophagus of Nobleman.

Lincoln, Feb. 23.—(Special).—The mummy of a nobleman, who may have been attached to the family of Pharaoh, and which was brought to Nebraska at a cost of \$5,000 by Rev. H. V. Rominger, formerly of Crawford, Neb., lies in a sarcophagus in the University of Nebraska museum.

The historical data relative to the find shows that the mummy was found in the royal burial ground of Thebes in upper Egypt in January, 1885, and that it probably belonged to the 18th or 19th dynasty, about the time of Rameses II.

The mummy has been in possession of the state university since 1897. Its donor traveled through the state giving lectures on it for several years after he bought it.

The wooden case is roughly hewn and the face on the cover is richly gilded. A scarab design is across the center of the cover with many serpents in upper Egypt in January, 1885, and that it probably belonged to the 18th or 19th dynasty, about the time of Rameses II.

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