

10-Day Repeal Bill Is Signed by Governor

Bars Down to Nebraska Couples After July 2 Under Provision Ending Short-Lived Restriction.

By The Associated Press. Lincoln, March 21.—Governor McMillen this morning signed the bill repealing the 10-day marriage notice requirement, a bill prohibiting the trapping of muskrats on another person's land, and also a bill to validate court proceedings except on only five holidays of the year. These five holidays are New Year, Memorial day, Fourth of July, Thanksgiving and Christmas. The marriage bill strikes from the statute book a law enacted only two years ago, and signed by Governor Bryan, which required that applicants for marriage licenses give 10 days' notice of their intention to marry. The law resulted, during the last 18 months, in a majority of the weddings of Nebraska being solemnized in bordering states, particularly in Council Bluffs, Ia.

Repeal of the law means that after July 1, a couple may get a marriage license at the same time they apply for it, and be married the same day. "It's a fine law," said Herbert Stubbendorf, Douglas county license clerk as he filled up his inkwell, and put a fresh nib in his penholder. "I expect an increase in the license issuing business of from 200 to 500 percent during the coming weeks and months."

There was joy also among jewelers of Omaha, who have found during the last two years that the rings were purchased largely on the other side of the river when the licenses were obtained there.

Rev. Charles W. Savidge, Omaha's "marrying parson," greeted the news that the bill had been signed with no attempt to conceal his satisfaction.

"Uncle Henry" DeLong, venerable "marrying parson" in Council Bluffs, was reported as viewing the future with gloom. The new law will cut down Uncle Henry's business terribly.

LAST ROUND IN TEAPOT OIL SUIT

By The Associated Press. Cheyenne, Wyo., March 21.—Priming themselves for the last round in the battle of the Teapot Dome lease annulment suit, attorneys for both sides today began preparation of their closing arguments which they will deliver before Federal Judge T. Blake Kennedy, beginning Monday.

This step follows the ending of the taking of evidence, which was completed yesterday afternoon. Judge Kennedy refused to let into the record certain navy documents subpoenaed by the defense. The documents were withheld by Secretary of the Navy Wilbur and Secretary of State Kellogg with the plea that they contained information of the navy's defense plans.

Closing arguments are expected to take two days or more. Owen J. Roberts of government counsel has asked four hours for arguments of his plaintiffs. J. W. Lacey, veteran Cheyenne attorney, requested that Judge Kennedy set no time limit on the argument of the defense and the court break a rule in granting the request.

BOMBS WILL KILL TORNADO, CLAIM

Cleveland, O., March 21.—Use of bombs to destroy tornadoes was suggested here today by N. W. Akimoff, Philadelphia propeller manufacturer. Bombs can rob tornadoes of all power to harm, he declared. "Any community willing to spend a little money for high-powered bombs can have perpetual tornado insurance," Akimoff said.

"A tornado always begins on the earth and ends in a cloud. Cut it off from its support at either end and the tornado instantly collapses. "Explosion of the bomb sets up a vacuum and air rushing in with tremendous force to fill it redoubles the air currents in the vortex, causing it to loosen its grip on the earth. The vortex would collapse."

The weather bureau can tell when a tornado is likely to occur. It could flash warnings to towns to have their bombs ready."

OMAHAN'S FAMILY MISSING IN STORM

A telegram was received by Ralph Bardman, night manager of the Hilliard cafe, stating that his sister, wife, mother and son are missing in Murphysboro, Ill. The telegram, from his sister-in-law, who lives in East St. Louis, states also that his father is in a St. Louis hospital, seriously injured.

Raymond, 7, the son was in the school in Murphysboro, where many of the children were killed. Bardman expects to leave for Murphysboro tonight.

J. W. Barber, 4677 March street, has received word that his sister, Mrs. Beulah Roland of Murphysboro and her daughter, Annabelle, 5, are safe though their home was demolished.

TROLLEY MEASURE PASSED BY HOUSE

Lincoln, Neb., March 21.—The house, on third reading, passed the Omaha street railway bill by a vote of 47 to 5. It now goes to the governor who will sign it.

The bill allows the citizens at the next election to vote on extension of franchise to the company. It permits the company to operate bus lines under supervision of the railway commission if it desires.

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Kin of Omaha Woman Toured World With King Who Visited Here in 1875

Cousin of Mrs. Charles Milo Janecek Intimate With Kalakaua of Sandwich Islands.

"The king is dead, long live the king!"

These words were spoken years ago when a sovereign died. The people occasionally remarked that the king can do no wrong. There were other references to the kings when they were popular.

King David Kalakaua of the Sandwich Islands is dead, but his memory is being revived by a group of Omahans who enjoy delving in the dim and dusty past.

Kalakaua visited Omaha on January 22, 1875, which event was referred to a few weeks ago in The Omaha Sunday-Bee in connection with an inquiry of Lucien Stephens, who wanted to know who kissed Kalakaua when he was in Omaha. The inquiry brought many responses and stirred up quite an interest in the royal visit.

Mrs. Charles Milo Janecek, 611 North Fortieth street, is the latest member of the Omaha Kalakaua club. She has more than an academic interest in the famous king of the Sandwich Islands, now known as the Hawaiian islands.

World Tour Quits a Chore. S. G. Wilder, cousin of Mrs. Janecek's father, accompanied King Kalakaua on his notable tour around the world during 1881. It was considered quite a chore in those days even for a king to travel around the world. Kalakaua was a man of dominating personality. Endowed with more than six feet of height and accom-



Mrs. Charles M. Janecek

plished in the art of making the most of his physical attributes, he made an impression wherever he went.

Mrs. Janecek's relative traveled with the king as adviser and companion. In every country Kalakaua was accorded the hospitality due a sovereign. Wilder was recognized by the king for his services in the islands as a builder of railroads and of an inter-island line of steamboats. He promoted commerce. George and Volney Ashford, brothers of Mrs. Janecek's father, also were identified with the early development of the islands, particularly Hawaii, the largest of the group.

They were lawyers and settled on the islands just about the time that Kalakaua was elected king, which was on February 12, 1874. Mrs. Janecek related that Wilder married a daughter of Dr. G. P. Judd, who settled in Hawaii during 1838. Volney Ashford was named commander of the Honolulu rifles, which was a select organization attached to the royal house. Clarence Ashford was a member of the house of nobles and served as counselor to Queen Liliuokalani.

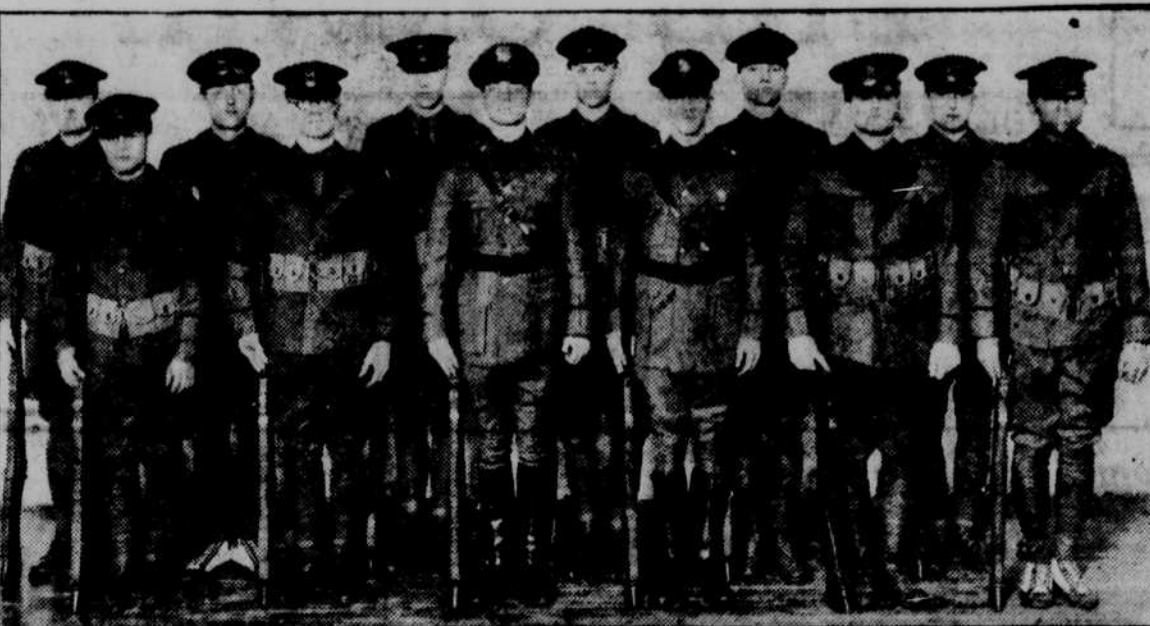
It is a matter of record that in some ways Kalakaua was aggressive and progressive, but his passion for personal power and his wasteful expenditure of public funds brought his undoing. The party of progress held a mass meeting on June 30, 1887, and demanded a new constitution and a better government. In 1889, King Kalakaua attempted to regain his power, and during a skirmish the royal partisans were defeated. Kalakaua and his associates, including the kin of Mrs. Janecek, escaped in a British boat. They landed at San Francisco where Kalakaua died on January 20, 1891.

In 1893 a provisional government was established and on August 12, 1898, the islands were formally annexed to the United States. Liliuokalani, sister of Kalakaua, was the last sovereign.

Hawaii Trip Planned. Mrs. Janecek, a native of Glenora, Ontario, is planning a trip to Hawaii and others of that group of islands. She has a cousin, Marguerite Ashford, who is now a practicing attorney in Honolulu. Miss Ashford's father, Clarence Ashford, was banished when Kalakaua left. Janecek will accompany his wife to the islands.

Incidentally, though, it has no connection with King Kalakaua. Janecek is a direct descendant of Mrs. Janauschek, who was known to American theater-goers 30 to 40 years ago as a foremost emotional actress. Janecek is going to Prague, the birthplace of his father and of Mme. Janauschek. He is planning his first ocean trip.

Creighton Rifle Team Leads Opponents



Creighton university rifle team. Back row from left to right: L. Graff, C. Schroeder, C. Nelson, J. Semrad, F. Fries and G. Dorsett. Front row: L. Caranazza, C. Barry, F. Hansen, W. McCarthy, M. Higler and G. Dorsey. The Creighton university rifle team, in six matches fired with the University of Nebraska, West Virginia, Iowa A. and M., University of

Indiana, Coe college and Little Rock college, has scored 27,165 points to opponents' 25,725. These scores were made from a possible 32,000 targets fired at.

The season has been a most successful one, and with most of the men on this year's team returning for the 1925 season, prospects are bright for another winning squad.

SENATE ADVANCES "GAS," AUTO BILLS

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Lincoln, Neb., March 21.—The senate today advanced to third reading the gasoline tax bill and the automobile license bill. The latter contains the Wiltse compromise provisions as adopted last night by the senate committee, providing to give the counties 70 per cent of the automobile license fees to maintain and

build county roads, the other 30 per cent going to the state for highways. All exemptions for stationary engines and dyeing works on gasoline tax, embodied in the bill as passed by the house were stricken out. An unsuccessful attack was made by Hoyer and farmer senators to retain the exemptions.

David City—The Trotter variety store has been moved into the new Kosch building. Salesmen and representatives of wholesale houses took part in the opening ceremonies.

Get Out of Party, Sam Tells George

Norris Like Fabled Jointed Snake, Says McKelvie in Statement.

Lincoln, Neb., March 21.—Ex-Governor Samuel R. McKelvie, in a statement issued today, invites United States Senator George W. Norris to get out of the republican party.

McKelvie reviews Norris' recent reply to H. J. Kennedy and 100 citizens of Broken Bow who wrote to the senator saying they had supported Coolidge and were in favor of letting him pick his own cabinet, to which Norris replied that the Warren statements were "propaganda." McKelvie's letter is as follows:

I am not finding fault with Senator Norris' opposition to Warren. That was his right. But I do question his judgment and even his integrity of purpose in imposing the motives of republicans who felt free to make a representation to him in the matter. To refer to these petitioners as members of the republican machine, that is temporarily in control, and as "nothing more or less than propaganda in behalf of a monopoly," the latter part of this charge is so general and vague that it means nothing, but the first part of it is full of meaning.

We who live in Nebraska know full well that no party in this state has a political machine in the unfavorable sense of the term. The fact is there is very little, if any, county organization. We may assume, therefore, that the senator regards it as an offering to affiliate with a political party. By his own actions he has indicated this belief except when he is a candidate for office. He reminds us of the fabled jointed snake that scatters its segments in the four winds when attacked and reassembles itself when the conditions seem to warrant. In point of conscience it would seem better that those who thus behave would disassociate themselves entirely from political parties and base their candidacy as well as their deeds upon independent action. There is no law to prevent this.

And they used to catch people And jail them for debt, But jailing insane Is medieval yet.

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A dual purpose such a frock will serve, delightful for either afternoon or informal evening wear. The patterns are the wonderful effects one expects from Mallinson-modernized flowers in vivid shades on dark grounds, and lighter shades in patterns of wonderful intricacy. 40 inches wide.

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Large Patterns

Printed crepes have a way of making large, splashy patterns smart in this season of ensembles, where the coat is lined of plain fabric with the print of the dress. An inclusive assortment includes the favored color combinations. 40-inch widths, at—

3.95 the yard

Plaids and Stripes

share equal honors on the field of sports and in smart street apparel. In wash fabrics, silks and woolsens, one finds new patterns designed by true fabric artists.

Wool Crepe

An admirable example is that of a plaided all-wool crepe in which the plaid is marked off with fine lines of silk embossed upon the wool crepe background of black, grey or tan. 54 inches wide.

4.50 the yard

Striped Tubable Silks

The soft pastel colorings of the French, woven in fancy-striped and Roman striped patterns of summery loveliness. The colors are beautiful! And to make up with these stripes are plain color crepe de chine of exactly the same weave and texture—woven especially to accompany the stripes.

2.95 the yard

Street Floor.

Coat and Dress! Ensemble!

Which?

Will it be a stunning ensemble costume that proudly displays to the world how harmonious and Paris-wise it is? Or will it be a smart coat in one of the new light shades, and a dress well-chosen for wear with it, thus showing your knowledge of what is correct this spring?

Ensemble Suits

The harmonious costume, one composed of coat and frock designed to be worn together, is likely to be of fine twill cloth with a frock of silk, either plain or printed, with just sufficient wool to make it the companion of the coat. Other ensembles are of natural kasha, of flannel or of corded silks. This mode of the matching coat and frocks is not an extravagant one, for we price ensembles at

49.50 to 98.50

Prints Are New and Smart

Smart beneath a coat of plain color fabric is the frock of prints—and equally smart it will serve for summer occasions which do not require the coat.

Short sleeves or flowing peasant sleeves; slim, straight skirts displaying the unbroken boldness of the patterns, or skirts with a new movement of fullness about the hemline—these one may choose for Easter and thereafter.

15.00 to 59.50

Many Coats Are Furred

And in most cases it is not on the collar that fur appears, but at the sides, across the front or all the way 'round the bottom. Trim, straight models of the type illustrated, and others which gather all their fullness to the front.

75.00 to 125.00

We've really a wonderful group of spring coats for \$25, a price that is so satisfying and sensible to pay. They are of novelty woolsens (admirable copies of the more expensive qualities), or of suede-cloth; a few models are fur-trimmed with muffloon. A representative line of sizes.

25.00

Third Floor

Eclipse Scarfs

Jersey scarfs, made double and tie-dyed ombre effect in eclipse pattern, finished with hand-tied fringe. Yellow, green, blue, brown, and violet.

9.50

Street Floor

Spring Buttonieres

Flower buttonieres made all of ombre shaded velvet ribbons in spring bud shades are dainty and feminine. To be worn on coat, suit or frock, for every costume flaunts a flower.

1.00

Tinted Pearls

Choker lengths remain most popular and the larger the bead, the smarter. Longer lengths, too, and often of more than one strand. The important fact is that they complete the color note of one's costume. Our display of novelty jewelry includes indestructible pearls of exquisite quality and tinting.

3.00 to 8.50

Street Floor

Hat and Scarf Sets

The mode has a penchant for matching its apparel. Smart little hats and their accompanying scarfs are just another new example of printed crepe; the set—

10.00

Fourth Floor

Silk Bags

Handbags with rhinestone buckle, needlepoint embroidery, or plain; clever pouch shapes in one or two colors with pipings of leather in matching shade.

5.85 to 15.85

Street Floor

The Women's Press-Club

Presents Margaret Hitchcock Doorley and company, in Mrs. Doorley's own play, "The Mole," at the Orpheum theater, week of March 22.

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