

Nebraska

SENATORS AMEND
THE SLOCUMB LAWMeasure by Mattes Frees Separately
Licensed Saloon Men from
Joint Liability.

NO FACT OVER LEGISLATION

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, Feb. 27.—(Special.)—The senate committee of the whole staged another "we-and-dry" fight this morning over S. F. 234, by Mattes of Otoe, which amends the Slocumb law by freeing separately licensed saloonkeepers from joint liability.

The drys after an hour of spirited debate went down to defeat, a motion to indefinitely postpone having lost by a vote of 11 to 9. There were thirteen absentees, but judging from the stand assumed by those on previous bills, they would only have increased the majority of the wets.

Advanced a Note.
The bill as recommended for engrossment and third reading will force persons selling saloonkeepers to sue each other separately, except in the case where two partners operate under the same license. Most of the ruinous suits as they are now brought join a large number of saloonkeepers.

The objection of the "dry" as advanced by Sandall of York, an attorney, was that the bill would enable the separate saloonkeepers to shift responsibility. Mattes of Otoe, introducer of the bill, led off his argument for it with an answer to the criticism advanced, in some instances even from wet quarters, that all liquor legislation, either pro or con, should be laid aside in anticipation of the big state-wide fight for prohibition that is predicted for 1916.

Suggestion from Drys.
He said that the suggestion came from the drys now in the minority and denied that there was any tacit understanding or agreement of the sort. The Otoe county member farther denied charges made against him personally. He said that in this instance the bill was handed to him by a Lancaster county man in no wise interested in the liquor business and actuated only by a desire to see justice.**Warning from Sandall.**
Sandall of York and Beal of Custer warned the wets that they were bringing a storm of prohibition about their heads by proposing liberal legislation. Howell of Douglas, a friend of the principle espoused in the bill, admitted that there might be some truth in the argument of the drys as to the policy of bringing up wet measures at this time. However, the American manhood, he said, demanded that he recognize the merit of the bill and vote for it. Beal called it "another one of those pestiferous wet bills." Sandall pleaded for the sacred Slocumb law. He argued that the law had been on the statute books since 1881 and should be allowed to stand.**Letting Down Bars.**
Moreover, he continued, the liability of joint tort-feasors had been a principle of law since the time of Blackstone and the last person for whom to let down the bars was the saloonkeeper. Sprick of Saline, said that the Slocumb law might be sacred, but that the constitution was more so and that fair protection should be given the saloonkeeper.The vote on the motion to postpone: Ayes: Beal, Burke, Hoar, Kiesel, Mallory, Robertson, Sandall, Saunders, Shumway—9.
Nays: Burrman, Gates, Grace, Henry, Howell, Lathrop, Mattes, Piller, Ruden, Sprick and Wilson of Dodge.**Gregory First to File.**
ALLIANCE, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—City Treasurer A. Gregory was the first to announce his candidacy for a city office at the coming spring election, starting his petition today. There have been no other announcements, although there are six councilmen, mayor and city clerk to elect. It is probable that applicants for these offices will make their announcements the coming week.**Large Elevator Opened.**
SUPERIOR, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—The new elevator of Boussemeyer Brothers, built by Omaha contractors, was opened today for the first time. ItYou Laugh at
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STUDENT STABBED DURING
QUARREL AT BROKEN BOW

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—As the result of a quarrel, George Ellingson, a Custer college student, is lying at his boarding house with a three-inch knife wound in his left side and Jack Ballinger, another student, is under bonds, charged with assault with intent to kill. The young men, who are probably over 20 years of age, were with other students in one of the rooms rehearsing some songs and the affair commenced.

It is alleged with a good-natured badinage on the part of Ellingson, at which Ballinger took umbrage. During a slight scuffle, it is said, Ballinger got hold of his knife and plunged it into his opponent's side, dangerously wounding him. The man who did the cutting came from Bingham, his father being a stockman in that vicinity. The injured man is a son of Martin Ellingson, a well-known farmer living north of here.

CULAVIN TO MAKE FIGHT
ON VALIDITY OF WILL

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Attorneys and claimants from all over the country and some from Canada are assembling here for the hearing of the appeal in the John O'Connor will case in the district court on Monday. Rudolph Olsen, who claims to be the son of O'Connor by his Indian wife, is here from Manitoba.

The will leaving the \$100,000 estate to John T. Culavin of Omaha, was sustained in county court and the case is up again on the appeal of a dozen professed heirs.

Culavin claims to be a nephew of O'Connor, but by stipulation today the question of heirship will be left out of the case, Culavin agreeing to make his fight on the will alone, which the contestants allege is a forgery.

GOLDEN WEDDING
ANNIVERSARY IN UPLAND

UPLAND, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Niels Housen of Upland celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday. All of their children and grandchildren were present. Mr. Housen is 78 and Mrs. Housen is 76 years old.

They were both born in Denmark and moved to Franklin county, Nebraska, in 1858. They were amongst the early pioneers of Upland. They have seven children, Anton and Nels, in the hardware business here; Charles, in the hardware business in Osceola; James, retired; Chris and Martin who are farming near Upland, and Miss Anna Housen, who resides in Upland. There are twenty grandchildren.

SOUTH NEBRASKA UNDER
DEEP COVERING OF SNOW

FAIRBURY, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Owing to the heavy snow of last night rural mail carriers were unable to get out on their routes this morning through drifts and impassable roads and farmers had to go without mail or come to Fairbury. Railroads managed to keep trains running, but snow plows are being kept fired up at this point to clear lines in case of blockade.

Fairbury merchants say they have not had a good Saturday since before Christmas. jitney service was discontinued this morning and where calls were made carriages and cabs were used. Eight inches of snow fell here.

JUDGE BUTTON SENTENCES
JURA TO PENITENTIARY

SCHUYLER, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Judge Button today ruled the motion for a new trial in the case of Frank A. Jura, found guilty of statutory assault and sentenced the prisoner to six years in the penitentiary. Harry Hoppen, who pleaded guilty to robbing a freight car, was paroled after receiving a term of two years.

Trenton Wins Debate.

TRENTON, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—The Trenton-McCook high school debate held at this place last evening, went to Trenton. The speakers for Trenton were: Ray Wertz, Maurice O'Byrne and Elbert Taylor; for McCook, the debaters were as follows: Mabelle Jennings, Harry Treendy and Frank Barrett. The judges were: Senator John Cordell of McCook, C. R. Strickler of Beukelman and Superintendent A. W. Bailey of Stratton. The decision of the judges was unanimous for Trenton.

J. J. Malloy Falls Dead.

CEDAR BLUFFS, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—J. J. Malloy, a prosperous farmer, 59 years of age, living five miles southwest of this place, died of heart failure while riding home on a load of coal today. He was the son of the late Patrick Malloy, who was one of Saunders county's pioneers. He is survived by a wife and two children.

Strong Winds Cause Neuralgia.
Don't suffer, get a 25c bottle of Sloan's Liniment. It penetrates to the painful parts at once. Kill the pain. For sale at all druggists.—Advertisement.MANY AT CONFERENCE
FOR MISSIONARY WORK

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Two hundred and fifty delegates were registered this afternoon at the state student religious conference.

Grand Island and Kearney led in attendance with thirty-eight and thirty, respectively. Dr. Elmore, missionary from India, addressed the conference tonight on the conquest of the Hindu. Tomorrow the pulpits of the various churches will be occupied by the delegates and a meeting will be held in a moving picture theater.

An inspection of Hastings' college was a feature of today's program.

MURDERED BANKER ONCE
RESIDENT OF HICKMAN

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—John Brunke, assistant cashier of the Farmers State bank of Haxton, Colo., who was shot and killed by a bank robber Thursday, formerly lived at Hickman, Lancaster county, and was well known at Firth and Cortland. A number of former Cortland residents, among them being George and Henry Lucke, James Brunst and Milton Steele, live near Haxton.

News Notes of Sargent.

SARGENT, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—A district election was held today, when a second time the voters of the district have located the new school house on the old grounds by a majority of twelve, there being 124 for and 112 against.

Another election is called for next Tuesday to vote on \$7,000 warrants, for finishing and furnishing the new school house in addition to the \$15,500 bonds voted last May.

The junior class gave the play, "Aaron Borge, Freshman," at the Freeman opera house to a pleased audience Friday evening.

The body of Mrs. L. G. Howe was taken to Aurora today for interment. She died Monday morning with scarcely a half hour's warning from heart failure. She leaves a mother, Mrs. D. T. Tunison of this city; a sister, Mrs. William Scheer of Aurora; a husband and three children, aged 13, 10 and 4 years.

News Notes of Alliance.

ALLIANCE, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—F. M. Seidel, graduate of the Iowa State Agricultural college at Ames, Ia., has been employed by the Box Butte county farm management association as farm demonstrator for Box Butte county.

The Alliance Commercial club will hold its annual election of officers at a banquet to be given in the Phelan opera house Monday, March 1.

James A. Dolan and Emma Mary Sterke were married by Rev. Olin S. Baker at the Methodist parsonage.

Doctors Insist On Opera-
tion—Not Necessary

I want to write and tell you what your Swamp-Root has done for me. During the years 1906 and 1907 I was troubled with what the physicians pronounced "Gravel of the Kidney." I was under the care of a physician for six months and two months more of another without securing relief or a cure. The physicians insisted on an operation, claiming that would be the only thing that would help me. My wife being bitterly opposed to an operation I did not consent, but continued under their treatment for some time. When I was most discouraged, believing that my end was near, I heard of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and at once began taking your medicine and noticed almost immediately that the medicine was having its effect. After taking seven bottles of your Swamp-Root I was entirely cured and have not had a sick spell for over a year.

When a person has been flat on his back for six months, suffering untold agony and spent considerable money with physicians without any benefit and then to be cured at an expense of not over \$5.00, you can well understand how grateful I feel toward you and your preparation. In appreciation for what your remedy has done for me, I am willing that you use this letter as a testimonial. Very respectfully yours,
ROBERT E. HENDRICK,
408 East 27th St., Kansas City, Mo., State of Missouri
County of JacksonOn this 9th day of August, 1909, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, Robert E. Hendrick, who subscribed the foregoing statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.
HENRY C. EMERY, Notary Public.Letter to
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Binghamton, N. Y.Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do for You
Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Omaha Sunday Bee. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.BAKERS TAKE LAW
INTO OWN HANDS

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bearing the name of the "Jay Burns Baking company, Omaha," on the wrappers of the loaves are marked "over thirteen ounces" on the 5-cent loaves and "over twenty-six ounces" on the 10-cent loaves. At the store of Karach & Co., Vinton and Elm streets, a caller had Mr. Karach place some of this weight on his scales. One of the loaves marked "Over thirteen ounces," weighed twelve ounces and Mr. Karach said another loaf marked "Over twenty-six ounces" weighed twenty-three ounces. At the same store Elsas's bread weighed fourteen ounces on the average.

Weight Way Short.

A visit was then made to the store of Julius Dreifuss, at the northeast corner of Twentieth and Farnam streets, where five-cent and ten-cent loaves of "Holsum" bread were purchased. This bread was bought at 10 o'clock yesterday and the clerk was positive the bread had been received from the baker a few hours before. He weighed the loaf marked thirteen ounces and said it weighed twelve ounces on his scales, and he weighed the loaf marked twenty-six ounces. These same loaves were taken to the office of the city sealer of weights and the official weights were given at small fractions over the weights given by the clerk at the Dreifuss store.

Ordered to Court.

Inspector Pegg issued a summons for Julius Dreifuss to appear in police court at 3:30 a. m. Tuesday to answer the charge of selling bread at a weight less than that indicated on the wrappers. Mr. Pegg explained that it is necessary to state the man who actually sold the bread and in this manner he can get evidence against the man who baked the bread.

"These weights of the Holsum bread bought at the Dreifuss store confirm what I have discovered during the last week or so. I have weighed Holsum bread at other stores and found some instances which showed even greater shortages," said Mr. Pegg. Notwithstanding there is no ordinance or law permitting the offering for sale loaves of bread less than sixteen or thirty-two ounces, Mr. Pegg believes he has a good case of selling bread less than the indicated weight as printed on the wrappers. He says he intends to weigh the bread of other bakers.

Would Keep Old Price.

The contention of the bakers who are fighting for the passage of the new bread ordinance is that they want to maintain the five and ten-cent prices which they assert are "times-honored prices." They want to have the weights of the loaves elastic and the prices fixed at five and ten cents.

John Kelpen, Inspector Pegg's assistant, went out at 11 o'clock yesterday and

bought 10-cent "Holsum" loaves of bread at the store of L. Rosenblum, 808 North Sixteenth street; Rayman & Romanek, 514 North Sixteenth, and Joe Batt 601 North Sixteenth, in each case the wrapper on the bread reading "over 26 ounces." The actual weights were 24, 24 and 24 ounces, respectively. Five-cent "Holsum" loaves purchased at the Rosenblum and Rayman & Romanek stores were marked "over 13 ounces;" actual weights were 12 1/2 and 12 1/2 ounces, respectively. In each of the cases mentioned summons were issued for appearance in police court next Tuesday morning.

Before Commissioners Monday.

Three of the city commissioners were approached on the bread question, but they did not seem to have any definite ideas on the subject. They said the matter would be threshed out next Monday morning.

James Austin of the New England bakery on Leavenworth street said flour is now \$7.00 a barrel and he admitted a recent decline and he further explained that a slight increase or decrease in the price makes no material difference in the price of bread. He said that flour is high compared to a year ago and he said his company is now putting out thirteen-ounce loaves for 5 cents and the weight is marked on the wrappers. A south side grocer said he was given to understand that within the last two weeks the master bakers met and decided to reduce the weight of loaves two ounces on the sixteen-ounce loaves rather than raise the price from 5 to 6 cents.

News Notes of Geneva.

GENEVA, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heiderstadt received word of the illness of their son Charles at Independence, Mo.

Judge Hurd is holding district court. A divorce was granted Erma Whitte from Frederick Whitte.

Mrs. Martha Cook, who died at Arcadia, Fla., on February 19, was buried

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\$23 Brass Bed, 3/4 size \$18.75	\$62 Brass Bed, full size \$42.00
\$45 Brass Bed, 3/4 size \$32.50	\$39 Brass Bed, full size \$32.50
\$42 Brass Bed, full size \$29.00	\$40 Brass Bed, full size \$25.00
\$30 Brass Bed, full size \$20.00	\$40 Brass Bed, full size \$25.00
\$38 Brass Bed, full size \$28.00	\$42 Brass Bed, full size \$25.00
\$60 Brass Bed, full size \$35.00	\$59 Brass Bed, full size \$42.00
\$18 Brass Bed, full size \$12.75	\$29 Brass Bed, full size \$23.00

White Iron Beds	
\$6.75 Iron Bed, full size \$4.90	\$18.00 Iron Bed, full size \$9.00
\$9.00 Iron Bed, full size \$6.00	\$27 Iron Bed, full size \$12.50
\$13.50 Iron Bed, full size \$7.50	\$12 Iron Bed, full size \$6.50
\$4.50 Iron Bed, full size \$3.00	\$18 Iron Bed, 3/4 size \$12.00

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All the short lengths remaining from winter sales—mostly 10 to 30 yards of a pattern, in some cases less. Prices are marked to close them out at once. Silk Armures, Silk Poplins, Silk and Wool Tapestries, Sunfasts, etc.—at striking reductions.

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from her home in Geneva today. She was 32 years of age.
Mrs. M. E. Wheeler was buried today at 3 p. m. from the home of her daughter, Miss Agnes Wheeler, with whom she had lived for a number of years. She had been a missionary of the Methodist church for twelve years to China, as her husband also had been before his death in 1893 in Shanghai, China.**Carriers Form Organization.**
FAIRBURY, Neb., Feb. 27.—(Special.)—The Jefferson county rural mail carriers held a meeting this week and perfected an organization. The officers elected include: A. J. Davis, president;

Frank Wing, vice president; L. L. Rine, secretary and treasurer. Carriers Krause of Jackson and Mann of Plymouth, were elected delegates to the state convention at Lincoln, July 4. L. E. Miller was elected alternate. Approximately twenty-five men are listed in the new organization and only one town in the county is not included, this being Edgar. The rural carriers decided to hold an annual picnic in Fairbury at the city park each Labor day.

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A full size, satin finish, best lacquer, 2-inch continuous posts, five 1/2-inch vertical fillers—large metal casters. Was \$9. Sale price \$6.50

\$26.00 Brass Bed, \$21.00
Massive, 2 1/2-inch continuous posts, mounted on large metal casters, full size (5) 1/2-inch vertical fillers, best satin finish lacquer, price was \$26, sale price—\$21

\$25.00 Brass Bed, \$19.50
The posts are round, 2 1/2-inch and mounted on metal casters; there are (7) one-inch vertical fillers—full size in the best satin lacquered finish; price was \$25; sale price—\$19.50

\$38.00 Brass Bed, \$30.00
A full size brass bed in best satin lacquered finish—massive 2 1/2-inch continuous posts and (5) 1 1/2-inch vertical fillers; price was \$38; sale price—\$30

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\$45 Buffet, genuine mahogany...	\$22.50	\$5.50 Dining Chair, golden oak, leather seat	\$2.75
\$72 Buffet, golden wax solid quartered oak...	\$36	\$35 Chiffonier, genuine mahog.	\$17.50
\$20 Serving Table, gold-on wax solid quart. oak...	\$10	\$12 Dining Chair, early English oak, leather seat.	\$5
\$117 Dining Suite, 2-piece, buffet, china cabinet and serving table, genuine mahogany	\$62.50	\$30 Buffet, solid golden oak	\$15
\$45 China Cabinet, genuine mahogany,	\$27.50	\$34 Dressing Table, golden oak	\$15
\$5.50 Bedroom Chair, solid quartered golden oak	\$2.75	\$80 China Cabinet, solid mahog., mirror back.	\$40
		\$52 China Cabinet, Flanders oak	\$26

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