

STATE'S RECORDS BEING DAMAGED

House Finance Committee Does Not Take Trouble to Inspect Historical Building Basement.

PROBLEM DOESN'T WORRY THEM

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 15.—(Special.)—I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of the state of Nebraska, and will faithfully discharge the duties of member of the legislature according to the best of my ability, etc.

PRISONERS OF WAR ON THE DECK OF THE PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH, HAMP-TON ROADS—An American bark, the William P. Frye, was sunk in the South Atlantic by the German cruiser on January 28, and her crew are among the group of prisoners in the picture.



PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH & PRISONERS OF WAR.

Anti-Cigarette Bill Recommended to Pass After a Long Debate

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 15.—(Special.)—Representative Peterson's cigarette bill, house roll, 317, ran the gamut of a vigorous attack by its opponents in the house committee of the whole Monday forenoon and squeezed through, after being amended, by the narrow margin of 3 to 2, on a motion to express it for third reading. The bill will have a rocky road to travel, as those who made the fight upon it are determined to defeat it on final passage if they can.

COLORADO LEGISLATOR WILL LOSE HIS OFFICE

DENVER, March 15.—Attempts by Representative William W. Howland, arrested late yesterday on a charge of perjury, to secure bail today were unsuccessful. The charge against Howland grew out of his testimony before a special house committee investigating circumstances surrounding the receipt of a package of money by Howland at his desk, February 5.

State Treasurer Wants Counties To Send in Cash

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 15.—(Special.)—State Treasurer Hall issued a statement today that was a combined cry for help because of the depleted condition of the state treasury and a general defiance to the county treasurers who have refused to comply with his request for monthly remittances.

STATE LEGISLATIVE LEAGUE WILL BE HELD AT LINCOLN

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 15.—(Special.)—The annual banquet of the Nebraska Legislative League will be held at 4:30 o'clock at the Lincoln Hotel, Thursday evening, March 18. W. J. Taylor of Cass county is to be toastmaster. Following a brief address by President George W. Potts brief speeches will be heard.

Legislative Proceedings

Bills Passed by the Senate. S. F. 238. Kiesel of Nemaha—Authorizes drainage district boards to refund surplus funds to rate among the members of the district. S. F. 239. Piller of Butler—Provides for a system of state sickness and death benefits.

HOWARD WILL DELIVER TALKS IN SOUTH OMAHA

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 15.—(Special.)—Representative Jerry Howard will have his legislative responsibilities long enough Tuesday to go to South Omaha and talk to his constituents. He will deliver two addresses, one at the corner of Twenty-fourth and N streets at 8 o'clock in the evening and the other at Twenty-eighth and R streets, called the "Bloody Corner," at 1:45 the same evening.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OBSERVES ANNIVERSAR

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 15.—(Special.)—Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Pearson celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary this afternoon by circulating carnations to the members of the senate, employees of that body and newspaper men in the senate.

It is Just Natural To Admire Babies



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TAKE UP LIGHTING BILL

House Committee Unable to Decide What Action to Take Over Measure.

COMPENSATION ALSO COMES UP

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 15.—(Special.)—The house committee on telephone and telegraph tonight wrestled with the problems embraced in S. F. 6, the Saunders bill to enable the Omaha water district to go into the lighting business, and finally had to quit, meeting again tomorrow morning to take up the matter again. A motion to report out the bill without recommendation was voted down, as was also an amendment to submit the matter to a vote of the people.

Senate Takes Up Compensation.

But one bill was passed by the senate Monday afternoon, the time being spent almost wholly in committee of the whole. Malley's bill embodying an amendment to the workmen's compensation act, recognizing the state labor commissioner as the administrator of the law, was recommended for passage. Some amendments which were considered radical were stricken out and passed on to the Howell bill, S. F. 23, which is on general file.

Clay Center Wins Debate.

CLAY CENTER, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—Clay Center, Saturday evening, defeated Grafton in debate on the State League topic, "Government ownership of railroads." Leola Palmer, Melvin Wilson and Worth McDonald of Clay Center High School presented the argument for the alternative, while Ruth Haines, Gordon Miles and Nellie Halloran of Grafton spoke for the negative. The decision of the judges was two to one.

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