

Nebraska WOULD REAPPRAISE ALL SCHOOL LANDS

House Recommends Murty Measure for Local Assessors to Do Work Each Four Years.

STATE COLLECTS RENTALS (From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—H. R. 616, introduced by Murty as a minor amendment to the school land leasing laws...

A substitute bill by Mr. Ollis, differing only in one essential provision from the retracted Murty bill, was before the house at the same time.

The bill now provides that the local assessors shall reappraise all school lands this year and each five years thereafter. The state will collect rentals at the rate of 4 per cent from persons living on the leased lands and 5 per cent from others not living on the lands.

Two Popular Young Sisters Of Linwood Are Married (Linwood, Neb., March 20.—(Special).—The two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hayke, Misses Mamie and Agnes Hayke, were united in marriage Saturday to Dean Hewitt of David City and William Dodge of Elyria, Neb. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mrs. Minnie J. Dickinson, woman minister of Boise, Idaho, who has for several months been holding services in Nebraska.

Senate Will Admit Representatives to Floor (From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, March 20.—(Special).—Members of the lower house of the Nebraska legislature may be admitted to the floor of the senate during the remainder of the session during the reading of bills. Lieutenant Governor Howard this morning appeared before the house and offered the olive branch of peace in that form. The house has as yet shown no sign of reciprocity.

Omaha Preacher Accepts Call to Kearney Church (Kearney, Neb., March 20.—(Special).—Rev. W. J. H. Wilby, of Omaha has accepted a call from the Congregational church of this city and will fill that pastorate, beginning next Sunday. The church has been without a pastor for several months and for a time the congregation considered disposing of its property and closing the house of worship. In Rev. Wilby the congregation feels they have a leader who can unite the members of this church and place it upon a substantial basis.

State House Notes (From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, March 20.—(Special).—Twenty years ago Roy E. Henderson, then living at Steele City, Neb., killed some coyotes, presented their skins to the county clerk and received certificates from which the state auditor drew warrants to pay a bounty of \$1 a head. At the time he sent the certificates there was no money in the treasury for that purpose. Now he writes to State Auditor Smith to see if he can get his money. The auditor had replied that there is no fund for that purpose in the treasury and that the wolf bounty law was repealed by the 1913 legislature. Henderson now lives at Wynmore, Neb.

The state pure food department has prosecuted Ernest H. Mindeen, Neb., for selling extracts which did not contain the amount of alcohol on the label. Davis pleaded guilty on the advice of the county attorney. Commissioner Murchell said, and was fined the minimum and costs.

Dry Bill is Made Special Order in Senate Thursday

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The prohibition bill has been made a special order in the senate for Thursday morning at 10:30. It is not believed that there will be any effort to amend it from its present "bone dry" form.

Two Pioneer Citizens Die at West Point (West Point, Neb., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Daniel Flores, one of the oldest settlers here, died at the home of his son north of the city last night at the age of 84. He had been failing some years. He leaves a large family of grown sons and daughters. Mrs. Flores was a native of Pennsylvania and was a veterinary surgeon. He was the first veterinarian in this part of the state and enjoyed a large practice. He was a man universally liked and a genial and was one of the best known citizens here within a radius of fifty miles. His wife died thirty years ago. Funeral services will be held from the Grace Lutheran church. Date not yet set.

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Notes from Beatrice And Gage County (Beatrice, Neb., March 2.—(Special).—The Board of Education at Cortland has closed the schools at that place for a week because of a case of scarlet fever in the schools. Every precaution will be taken to prevent the disease from spreading. Joseph T. Roller, for the last thirty-five years a resident of Beatrice, and a veteran of the civil war, died at his home in Beatrice Sunday evening, aged 73 years. He is survived by a widow and eight children.

Two Slates at Chadron. Chadron, Neb., March 20.—(Special).—"The people" held a caucus for city officers for the ensuing year at the rink; the following were nominated: Benjamin Lowenthal, mayor; Dr. J. C. McDowell, Thomas Smith and E. J. Philipps, councilmen.

Notes from York and York County. York, Neb., March 20.—(Special).—York Hotel company has advertised for bids for the erection of the \$100,000 hotel. Petition was filed for A. W. Thompson and Dr. George P. Shidler for members of the school board, to be voted for on the first Tuesday in April. The York foundry has purchased the elevator and machinery business of the Hastings foundry.

Pender Meat Market Robbed. Pender, Neb., March 20.—(Special).—The cash register in R. J. Luckeroth's meat market was robbed of a small amount of money Monday evening while the proprietor was at lunch in an adjoining cafe. Mr. Luckeroth heard a noise in his shop and returned at once. The burglar was found hiding in the back room. The man, who is a stranger here, was taken to jail.

Legislative Notes (From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, March 20.—(Special).—Employees of the Nebraska senate Tuesday morning presented Rev. James Huff of Omaha, the chaplain, with a bouquet of roses in honor of his seventy-second birthday. The presentation was made by Lieutenant Governor Howard. Sergeant-at-Arms Tom Costello of Grand Island headed the donors. The gift was a complete surprise. Rev. Mr. Huff formerly lived in Lincoln and was chaplain of the Nebraska legislature.

An amendment to House Bill No. 274, raising the salaries of stenographers in the supreme court clerk's office from \$1,000 to \$1,500, was introduced in the senate by McMillen of Gage, to give only \$500 a year increase to all the assistant reporters, clerks, librarians and stenographers. The bill was referred back to the committee of the whole for Senator McMillen's specific amendment.

Aurora Will Graduate Class of Forty-Four

(Aurora, Neb., March 20.—(Special).—The Aurora public schools are nearing the end of one of their most successful years and will graduate a class of forty-four. Superintendent A. E. Fisher is concluding his eighth year here and will go to Bayard, where he will be the president of the Farmers' State bank. The teaching corps next year will consist of the following: Superintendent, J. A. Doremus, now superintendent at Auburn; Kathleen G. Hearn, principal of the high school and instructor in Latin; Louie F. Murphy, science; Cassandra Burnett, supervisor of music; Lois Bennett, English; Frances Chez, history and normal training; Bertha Kramer, mathematics and botany; Minnie Thuman, German; Cora M. Taylor, commercial instructor; Hazel Lumm, domestic science; Harold Bohrer, manual training; Laura McCune, Alice Elliot, Esther Johnson, Henrietta Dorland, Gertrude Couch, Birden Ernst, Bessie Culbertson, Mamie Mortensen, Minnie Dixon, Hannah Nisson and Ella Anderson grade teachers; Anna Loy and Arvilla Wood, kindergarten. Miss Grace Work of Ord will be principal of the South school. Miss Mabel Yensen, now principal of the seventh and eighth grade department, will be principal of the high school at Bayard next year and her position has not been filled.

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Mrs. Mary Chapin of Lincoln Burns to Death (Lincoln, Neb., March 20.—Mrs. Mary Chapin, aged 91 years, mother of L. C. and H. A. Chapin, prominent florists here, was burned to death in her home today. Her clothing became ignited from a gas range and she was dead when firemen arrived. Her clothes were still smouldering and her body was badly charred.

Nominations at Ravenna. Ravenna, Neb., March 20.—(Special).—At a mass meeting held last evening, Dr. F. J. Wilkie was nominated for mayor, C. B. Cass for city treasurer and Charles Miner for police judge. William Vierberg was nominated for councilman in the First ward and C. D. Conn in the Second ward. All are renominations, except Mr. Conn, who defeated A. R. Kinney, former member of the council. It is not likely this ticket will have any opposition.

Soldiers' Home Notes (Grand Island, Neb., March 20.—(Special).—Mrs. Martha L. Smith has returned to the home after a six-month absence. The entertainment given by the young women of the Baptist college yesterday afternoon at the home chapel was a big success. Miss Myrtle Edwards was on the committee on arrangements. Miss Mattie Rhodes returned to the home from St. Francis hospital in Grand Island on last Thursday. On Sunday evening she was again taken with a severe chill and Dr. Carson was called. He ordered her to return to the hospital. The Women's Christian Temperance Union had an enjoyable meeting on Monday night at the home chapel.

Department Orders. Washington, March 20.—(Special Telegram).—Postoffice appointments: Iowa—Huxley, story county; Leon R. Sabo, vice A. L. Kinster, deceased; Joyce, Worth county; Martin O. Evans, vice Albert T. Hahn, deceased. Wyoming—Wapala, Park county, Mrs. Orelia Deering, vice Mr. Richards, resigned. Letter carriers appointed: Iowa—Terry, Joseph S. Ross, Greenwood; Mark, Harvey, Marion; Chas. Wanklin; Orchard, Linton F. Blandin; Winterset, A. Wilkinson; Stockport, Walker Johnson; Slater, Russell B. Ross; Storyville, Ron A. Anderson. South Dakota—White, August Griepentrog.

A Stylish Walking Boot for the woman who likes an out-of-door life in town or country. Tan Russia calf vamp and long tip richly perforated, and the new one-and-a-half inch heel, which is winning increasing favor every day. The illustration shows one of our Most Popular Street Shoes

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Kaiser Warned Clock of Democracy Is Just About to Strike Once More

Berlin, Monday, March 19.—(Via London, March 20).—Philipp Scheidemann, socialist leader in the Reichstag, says in the socialist newspaper Voerwaert: "It does not require many words to explain why almost the whole world is arrayed against us. The answer is given quickly. The whole world sees among our enemies more or less developed forms of democracy and in us it sees only Prussianism. We have always answered by referring to the absolutism of Russia, but now czarism has gone and the emperor's successor is to accept the throne only if the representatives of the people agree. These representatives are to be elected on the basis of universal, equal, direct and secret suffrage."

In Asia the empire of the mandarins opposed every reform. They desired an emperor with absolute power as long as he did their will and thereby undermined the monarchy and laid the foundation of a republic. In the European central empires similar spirits seek to build similar Chinese walls and hinder every reform. The clock shows five minutes to 12. They imagine they hold the hands to 11. "Why does the chancellor shrink back now from unconditional necessity? Always the hesitator, the procrastinator, Bethmann-Hollweg wants to begin to cure Prussia after the war. Russia also promised all reforms after the war, but the war lasted too long for the Russians. Why postpone till tomorrow what is absolutely necessary today? What even the king himself declared years ago was one of the most urgent matters of the business of the state? Now is the time for decisive action. The difficulties which might arise if the government adopts the Reichstag system of elections for Prussian elections are as a featherweight compared with the difficulties which will come if it does not do this. The chancellor should not delay one day. The Prussian people as well as the other German states will stand as one man by his side if he acts decisively."

In a different strain the Lokal Anzeiger, one of the newspaper organization closest to Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, says: "A change in the Prussian electoral system has been promised for a year and after the war will be debated and put into effect with all quiet thoroughness. That is no longer news; it is an obvious fact. To demand it for tomorrow and at that in connection with a hymn of jubilation for the Russian revolution, is so precarious a venture that it must be rejected. It is certain that Minister-President von Bethmann-Hollweg intended no such result from his last speech."

Bank Change at Randolph. Shenandoah, Ia., March 20.—(Special).—A. W. Murphy, president of Shenandoah National bank, has sold his interests in the Bank of Randolph to A. W. Fichter, cashier of the bank. A new bank has been organized at Randolph, and this new turn of affairs may change the plans.

Complete Stocks Here of Kid Gloves for Women And in view of the ever-increasing shortage, this is a bit of news of more than ordinary interest. Announcements of complete stocks when market quotations are anything but satisfactory is an achievement that only a store of this magnitude can attain to. Service, as we interpret it, does not stop at obstacles like the prevailing difficulty in manufacturing and importing conditions and scarcity—it is here where big organization steps in to complete a service founded on wonderful prestige and buying power—and with thirty-five years of service to the people of Omaha back of it, this establishment has completed an organization and established a prestige which even extraordinary market conditions do not dismay. It is therefore, especially interesting to you and gratifying to us, at this time, to be enabled to say Complete Stocks of Kid Gloves for Women are Here. Main Floor.

Bon-Ton Corsets Are Extremely Fashionable That great style artist, "Poiret," states unreservedly that without the properly fitted Corset, no costume, no matter how good it may be, will be a complete success. On the Fit of the Corset Depends the Success of the Apparel To realize this fully, we suggest that you pay a visit to our Corset Department and permit our expert Corsetiers to demonstrate this fully. A properly fitted corset is conducive to good health as well This season's Bon-Ton Corsets are a reflection of the idea of INDIVIDUALITY IN CORSETS advocated at all times by Poiret. You may rest assured that there is a Bon-Ton model designed for your special needs. Bon-Ton Corsets give you poise, style and comfort. Make your purchase of Corsets for Spring right now—begin right—make the foundation for your costumes perfect. All fittings are free of charge and satisfaction is guaranteed. Second Floor.

The Men to be--and the Men that are A Living Model Exhibit in the Men's Store Saturday--Details Later.

Reisner and Cronin Mix on Floor, With Words as Weapons

(From Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, March 20.—(Special Telegram).—If the democrats can't make things interesting, republicans can and this afternoon a continued discussion of the school lands leasing bill almost resulted in another physical encounter in the house in which the "Fighting Parson," as he has been dubbed, Mr. Reisner, and the "Black Eagle of the Elkhorn," Mr. Cronin, exchanged words which caused the speaker to make a break for his station, seize the gavel from the hands of Mr. Moseley, who was presiding over the committee of the whole and frantically pound the desk while the sergeant-at-arms rushed over to Mr. Reisner and besought him to be calm. Reisner had charged that the amendment to the bill introduced by Cronin was at the instance of Senator Robertson and was unfair and dishonest and all in the interests of the cattle kings. He used the words, "steal" and "fraud" and charged that the whole thing would not bear the light of day. Cronin leaped to his feet and pointing his finger at Reisner, shouted: "You can't question my motives in this matter and charge me with being connected with anything which is dishonest. You can't throw me over that rail and you better not try it." "I can throw you over that rail if I want to, and don't you forget it," Reisner shouted, and then came a volley of words from both though neither of them resorted to anything but the English language.

Notice That "Wreckers Are Coming" Fills Store of Parisian Cloak Co. with Surge of Army of Feminine Apparel Seekers. STOCK MUST BE CLOSED SOON. Omaha Women to a Unit Declare This "Closing Out" to Be a Buying Opportunity Rare and Real. Garments by Hundreds Were Sold Monday. PRICES REDUCED 1/4, 1-3 & 1/2. The Parisian Cloak Company, 318-320 South 16th St., has been invaded; not by an enemy, but by an army of friends. The invaders will even deeply deplore the surrender of The Parisian, for the passing of this concern also means the passing of the most startling sale of women's garments yet offered to Omaha women.

Yes, indeed, the crowds participating Monday, the opening day of The Parisian Cloak Co.'s Closing Out Sale, were easily the largest ever gathered at one time beneath the roof of any one similar Omaha establishment. The advance advertising of the slogan: "The Wreckers Are Coming," excited the curiosity of every reader of every newspaper published in Omaha. Many thought it heralded a new moving picture serial. However, when the explanation came about in Sunday's papers, women were glad to know that the "Wreckers" promised visit was to be preceded by a series of striking apparel bargains, far deeper in scope than any within their memory.

Now then, in all seriousness! The Parisian is to quit business. The present home of the Parisian is soon to be the scene of falling brick, loosening mortar, etc. Where peaceful selling holds forth now there will be substituted the r-r-rip-p r-r-rip-p of parting lumber. Dust will fly. Stones will be piled loose. Workmen will earnestly but honestly ply their destructive calling. Soon one will again see blue sky through a vacant space. But this vacancy will afterwards be the building site for an immense new structure to be reared upon this spot by enterprising Omaha capitalists.

The Parisian, unfortunately, was served with notice to vacate just as it came in possession of a huge new Spring stock. The management had bought the stock thinking that a few months of grace would surely be accorded and that another Spring season could be safely timed over. But, "The Wreckers Are Coming" in all earnestness, and "The Wearables Are Going" in the interval. All stocks will go at prices that will move them quickest—1/4 off, 1-3 off and even 1/2 off reductions prevail. And don't let it escape your mind for an instant that the wearables offered are this Spring's garments; choice, pre-dominating, partly made up, exquisitely fashioned products of the effete east. The Parisian has always held its head high on styles. The buyers here are buyers in every sense of the word. They know a promising style a mile off. But, even with all their cleverness, they must stand by and see sacrificed in price that which should have brought a decent margin of "Spring" profit.

Of course there will be a goodly stock of wearables remaining here for some days, all to be offered at Parisian's Closing Out Sale Prices. But, you, of course, know how quickly the perdest garments are chosen. Other women as well as yourself know nobly clothes when they see them and will annex themselves all the quicker when offered such incentives as 1/4 off, 1-3 off and 1/2 off. So you see you would better be here soon. Make up your mind to join the "invading" forces today or tomorrow. Attack the stronghold and get a style that suits. No need to forage, for the wearables will be sold too cheaply to make that necessary. Don't pay the first price asked you by some cloak house or other that is to stay in business; instead see how much of a reduction there is offered by the concern that must soon give over its quarters to the "Wreckers."

Come. Make Wednesday and Thursday Red Letter Days in your 1917 Spring. Clad yourself. Clad yourself economically at a trifling cost. Get the benefit of all the price inducements offered you by The Parisian Cloak Co.'s Closing Out Sale at 318-320 South 16th St. And remember—it's true—"The Wreckers Are Coming."—Adv.

Poiret Holds Sway Here. Brandeis Stores The Store Is Astir With Newness Moving Winter Backward and Making March Open the Door to Spring The Style Exhibit in This Store Reveals Many Remarkable Phazes First of all—everywhere we hear this remark: "It is the most complete style show of all"—and rightly so—for this year, we are specializing more than we have ever done—taking each separate section of this great Apparel store and making it a series of Specialty Shops—giving to our vast clientele—PERSONAL SERVICE. Secondly—it is very unusual to find garments such as we exhibit so moderately priced right at the beginning of the season—and this is doubly noticeable in a season where moderation in price is rare. Our Exclusive Agency for the Poiret American Adaptions is a triumph of which we are justly proud—and to witness the appreciation of the women who came to view these little masterpieces was truly gratifying to us. Nowhere else in this section of the country may you have the privilege of viewing these Poiret sponsored articles of apparel. On Wednesday We Shall Offer Women's Stylish Suits, at \$29 and \$35 Made of Men's Serges, Gabardines, etc., braid-trimmed and adorned with large buttons; tailored and belted; many styles of cuffs and variety of large collars. In Blues, Tans, Grays, etc. Women's Smart Gowns, \$45 to \$75 A bewildering assortment of some of the most fascinating styles we have ever been privileged to show. Beaded and Braided—many of that beautiful filmy material, Georgette Crepe—a score or more of styles to choose from. Second Floor. The Men to be--and the Men that are A Living Model Exhibit in the Men's Store Saturday--Details Later.

