

# Lincoln Bureau of The Omaha Bee

## OPPOSE VOTE BY WOMEN ON NEW CONSTITUTION

Convention on Record, 51 to 41—Open Market Bill Killed—Many Proposals Adopted.

Lincoln, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The constitutional convention today went on record as opposed to the women of the state voting on the ratification of the constitutional convention, notwithstanding that Spillman, Beebe, Bigelow and others made a hard fight for their rights. The main point appeared to be whether the provisions of the old constitution, under which the convention was called, would not apply until after the new constitution was adopted, and that the women were not the voters in fact as far as the ratification was concerned until after the vote was taken.

**Summary of Vote.**  
The anti side was fought by Alberts, Taylor, Heasty, Tyler and one or two others. The vote was as follows:

For—Abbott, Bigelow, Bratton, Bryant, Cleve, Cornell, Cowan, Elwood, Epperson, Evans, Fernau, Hare, Hastings, Hewitt, Holbrook, Howard, Johnson, Keefe, Keeney, Kunz, Lewis, Lute, Malicky, Norton, Norval, Osborne, Pitzer, Price, Pugsley, Ream, Rhodes, Scott, Sears, Spillman, Stebbins, Stewart, Strong, Sughrue, Ulstrom, Varner, Weaver.—41.

Against—Albert, Alder, Beeler, Butler, Byrum, Carothers, Confal, Davies, Donahoe, Farquet, Grueber, Davies, Donahoe, Farquet, Elansburg, Grueber, Halderman, Haskell, Heasty, Higgins, Kieck, Lahners, Landgren, Lehman, Magney, Marvin, Mattison, Meserve, McDonald, McLaughlin, Norman, Nye, Olsson, Radke, Rankin, Ross, Saunderson, Selleck, Sidner, Spirk, Sprick, Stoley, Sullivan, Taylor, TePoel, Thierlen, Tyler, Votava, Wall, Wilde, Wilson, Wiltse.—51.

Epperson's proposal, which would declare all boards of trade, stock exchanges, grain exchanges and other organizations handling grain, farm and manufacturing products, to be open markets, was killed this morning on an effort of its author to bring the proposal back for consideration.

**Many Proposals Adopted.**  
The following proposals have been adopted by the convention on second reading:

309—Provides that constitutional amendments submitted by the legislature shall be adopted by majority vote, which shall be equal to at least 56 per cent of the total vote. For, 82; against, 0.

108—Reduces the necessary signatures to an initiative petition from 10 to 17 per cent; constitutional amendments from 15 to 10; referendum from 10 to 5. Only title of act to be heard petitions. For, 72; against, 8.

104—Raises age limit for boys for reformatory from 16 to 18 years. For, 80; against, 0.

222—State normal board to consist of six members to be appointed by the governor with state superintendent member ex-officio. For, 73; against, 5.

73—Prohibits members of the legislature from accepting appointment to another public office during term for which elected. For, 74; against, 3.

163—The proposal on taxation providing all tangible property shall be taxed uniformly as to class, intangible property as provided by the legislature.

**Applications and Permits**  
For Stock Sales in State

Lincoln, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Applications to the bureau of securities have been made as follows for the right to issue and sell bonds:

Farmers Union Co-operative association, Wausa, Neb., \$29,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Red Cloud, \$10,000 common.  
Unit Cash and Sales Co., Lincoln, \$1,500 common.  
Talmage-Thurston Co., Omaha, \$133,500 common.  
Bixby Motor Co., Omaha, \$18,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Craig, \$10,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Coleridge, \$13,000 common.  
Burgess-Nash Building Co., Omaha, \$50,000 common; \$50,000 preferred.  
The Koresmeyer Co., Lincoln, \$62,000 common; \$15,000 preferred.  
Farmers Grain & Live Stock Co., Glenwood, \$29,000 common.  
Community Hotel Co., Coleridge, \$13,500 common.  
Chadron Petroleum Co., Chadron, \$25,500 common.  
Cornbelt Lumber Co., Lincoln, \$153,800 common; \$20,000 preferred.  
People's Co-operative Store, Nickerson, \$10,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Graf, \$25,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Bradshaw, \$12,100 common.

**Permits Granted.**

Rainbolt Cora Co., Omaha, \$20,000 common.  
The Farmers Union Co-operative association of Tangemann.  
Postoffice, Talmage, Oto county, Neb., \$15,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Sterling, \$75,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Oacola, \$64,575 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Hardville, \$25,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, DeBolt, Neb., \$20,000 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Mason City, \$19,500 common.  
Farmers Union Co-operative association, Reiland, \$1,125 common.  
Hobson Elevator and Shipping association, Hobson, \$13,125 common.  
Parrott Manufacturing Co., Fremont, \$10,000 common.  
Billings Dental Supply Co., Omaha, \$100,000 common.  
Denton Hardware and Implement Co., Denton, \$15,000 common.  
Norfolk Hotel Co., Norfolk, \$105,000 common.  
Quintette Holding Co., Omaha, \$9,000 common.  
Conservative Finance Co., Lincoln, \$69,000 common.  
Stroud & Co., Omaha, \$92,000 preferred.  
Chase-Tinsman Flow Co., Lincoln, \$159,000 common.

**Refuses One Filing of Two-Ticket Candidate**

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 24.—The secretary of state Tuesday accepted a filing by Robert G. Ross, Lexington, Neb., as a candidate in the democratic presidential preference primary, April 20, but withheld acceptance of petitions by Mr. Ross as a republican candidate pending a decision as to whether he could run in both fields.

## Charter Diet Fixes State Salaries and Creates New Office

Lincoln, Feb. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—After refusing last week to cut out any of the state officers, as the executive committee had recommended, and putting back into the list of executive officers to be elected—the lieutenant governor, attorney general, secretary of state and state superintendent—the constitutional convention proceeded Tuesday to refuse to re-instate the land commissioner as an elective officer, and added a tax commissioner as a new officer.

It also provided for salaries for the state supreme judge of \$7,500 each, but cut down the proposal for \$7,500 for the governor to \$6,000 and other state officers from \$6,000 to \$4,000. The lieutenant governor will receive, as now, twice the pay of a senator, but as the provision was made for a raise of members of the legislature from \$600 to \$800, the lieutenant governor will receive \$1,600.

The vote to lower the amounts was very close, the vote standing 47 for to 46 against.

**Nebraskans at Ft. Sheridan To Be Relieved by Anties**

Lincoln, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Secretary H. H. Anties of the department of public welfare will go to Fort Sheridan, Ill., next Sunday at the request of Governor McKelvie to look after the condition of 40 Nebraska soldier boys and four nurses being held in the fort hospital.

**Norfolk, Neb., to Have a Half Million-Dollar Hotel**

Norfolk, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—A \$500,000 hotel building was made a certainty here when a stock-selling campaign among citizens was concluded. The total amount subscribed has reached \$502,000. The hotel will be constructed at one of the city's most important business intersections. Actual work starts March 1.

**Examine Dental Students.**

Lincoln, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—A special examination for dental students was had at the rooms of the Lincoln Dental college Tuesday. The examinations were in charge of an examining board consisting of Dr. F. Preiss of Sutton, Dr. G. B. Boehler of Alma, and Dr. M. O. Frazier of Lincoln.

**Bandits Carry Off Women From Mexican Mining Camp**

Agua Prieta, Sonora, Mex., Feb. 24.—The Los Torres mine, in southern Sonora, was raided Sunday night following a clash with federal soldiers in a pass near the mine, according to military advices received today. The bandits carried off all Mexican women in the camp. Troops are pursuing the brigands.

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## BROWN SUGAR PRICES IN STATE VARY GREATLY

Interesting Reports to Nebraska Food Director—Silks Jump \$1.50 a Yard Over Night.

Lincoln, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Complaint cards are being received by Mrs. C. G. Ryan, head of the department in charge of solving the high cost of living, which shows that brown sugar has a wide range in price in some of the towns of the state, the prices running all the way from 17 to 25 cents.

Milk in Lincoln appears to be sold at a greater margin in some stores than in others, the complaints showing a difference of 1 cent a quart. The matter of weights is also a proposition which will demand attention, according to Mrs. Ryan. Cartons appear to be very deceptive and size is no authority for the amount of contents, some of the larger ones appearing to contain less than the smaller ones.

Grated sugar runs from 18 cents a pound to 23 cents, according to the "nerve" of the seller and the susceptibility of the buyer.

The attention of Mrs. Ryan has been called by a certain lady in Lincoln who went to a store and purchased several yards of silk. The next day she found she was needing a few yards more and on going back discovered the price on the same bolt had gone up \$1.50 a yard.

Even the complaints have entered the automobile field and a man out in the state complains that the automobile garages in his town have entered into a combination and as a result he has to pay \$15 a month to store his truck.

**Mohler Appeals Verdict of \$10,000 for Young Woman**

Lincoln, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Jacob Harvey Mohler of Lincoln has appealed to the supreme court from a judgment secured in Lancaster county district court by Kathryn Clinton Morris in the sum of \$10,000 for failure to keep his promise to wed.

In the suit in the district court, which was for \$25,000, Miss Morris said that Mohler had met her in Chicago and promised marriage. The relation continued at different points under promise of marriage. Finally she came to Lincoln and went to his residence and lived with him two weeks. Mohler denies many of the allegations.

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## Charles Osterman of Central City, Pioneer Of Days of '56, Dies

Central City, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Charles Osterman, a resident of Nebraska since 1856, and of Merrick county since 1894, passed away at his home southeast of Central City early Tuesday morning, death being due to gradual physical decline.

He homesteaded at Fontenelle, Washington county, and later engaged in the retail and wholesale grocery business at Fremont. Mr. Osterman was one of Merrick county's most successful and well-known citizens.

He is survived by nine children. For years he has been associated with his sons Theodore M. and Edward Osterman in farming. The funeral will be held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon from the Methodist church.

**Judge Todd Resigns**

Burwell, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—After continuous service of a little over 15 years County Judge George S. Todd has handed his resignation to the county commissioners and L. B. Fenner has been appointed in his place.

**Scouts to Entertain Mothers**

Wahoo, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The Wahoo Boy Scouts will entertain their mothers at an old-fashioned basket supper in their new five-room scout house, recently donated to them by the city council.

## CHICAGO MOVIE SHOWS THREATEN TO CLOSE FEB. 29

Refuse to Grant Demands of Operators to Employ Men So as to Finish Work.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Owners of moving picture theaters in Chicago today announced they would close their houses February 29 unless the Moving Picture Operators' union dismissed its business agent and modified its demands to the theaters "to employ men who are not needed just so that some unemployed men in your organization may be paid."

The announcement was made in a letter to operators advising them their services would not be required after Sunday.

Tom Malloy, agent of the operators' union, declared film exchanges which sided with theater owners would be "boycotted in every theater in the United States and Canada."

Film exchanges announced they would cease delivery of films after February 29.

Malloy was a business partner of "Mossy" Enright, noted Chicago labor feudist and gunman, who recently was shot and killed.

## Will Demand Extreme Penalty for Langley; One Juror Selected

Beatrice, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The work of selecting the jury to try O. W. Langley of Cortland, charged with the murder of Justice Chris Pfeiffer at Cortland the evening of August 18, last, began Tuesday before Judge Pemberton of the district court. Indications are that County Attorney Vasey will seek the extreme penalty.

Out of about a dozen called to the jury box only one juror was selected, and it will in all probability take the remainder of the week in getting a jury. About 50 witnesses have been subpoenaed, a large number of these being from Cortland and vicinity.

**Will Spend \$800,000 to Improve Yellowstone Trail**

Aberdeen, S. D., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—At its meeting in Milwaukee last week the executive committee of the Yellowstone Trail association decided to make some improvement in the method of crossing the Missouri river at Moberge. If it is found impossible to get state aid for an automobile and wagon bridge, an effort will be made to add a wing to the present Milwaukee railroad bridge which could be used for the traffic. A ferry is used at present. Approximately \$800,000 will be spent on the Yellowstone trail in South Dakota this year.

## To the Citizens of Douglas, Sarpy and Washington Counties:

There are, no doubt, many of you who, in an effort to combat the prevailing high cost of living, have planned to raise your own vegetables and garden truck this year.

I have been allotted a limited number of seeds, which I would be very glad to send to prospective gardeners upon request.

If, therefore, you wish a portion of these seeds sent you and have not already written me for the same, I would thank you to fill out and mail the blank here appended.

Yours faithfully,  
**ALBERT W. JEFFERIS, M. C.**  
Second District, Nebraska.

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House of Representatives,  
Washington, D. C.

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**Illustration No. 1**  
Is an artist's actual reproduction of this attractive blouse. It is of finest quality Batiste—all hand-made with hand-run tucks and four rows of hand-drawn work down the front. The blouse is finished with a roll collar and cuffs which are of four-inch real Filet lace.

**Illustration No. 2**  
Is an artist's actual reproduction. This blouse is of fine imported Voile, with hand-drawn work down the front and through the collars and cuffs, and eight hand-run tucks down the front and back. It has a convertible collar which can be worn high or low.

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