

Senate Probe of Administration Is Authorized

Bill Making Women Eligible For Jury Service Is Passed—Eight Measures Are Killed.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—After placing its unanimous approval on the senate bill making women eligible for jury duty...

Kill Eight Bills.

The senate postponed indefinitely eight bills upon committee reports today, passed nine to the general file...

Oppose Selling Land

A memorial was received from 100 citizens of northwest Nebraska, the center of state school land...

These bills were killed on recommendation of committees reporting them out.

S. F. 16—Modifying rules of evidence. S. F. 17—Requiring publication of personal tax lists.

S. F. 18—Child abandonment and maintenance. S. F. 19—Child abandonment.

S. F. 20—New divorce law. S. F. 21—Removing jurisdiction over litigation matters from Nebraska railway commission.

\$75,000 Potash Award Is Sustained by Court

Lincoln, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Nebraska supreme court, in an opinion handed down today affirmed a judgment for \$75,000 secured in the Douglas county district court by Peter Long against John H. Krause.

Long claimed that Krause had purchased a 240-acre farm of him, representing that he wanted it for agricultural purposes.

Recommend Passage of Wage Increase Measure

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A bill providing for an increase in salaries of deputies in the office of the register of deeds in Douglas county from \$125 to \$140 a month and an increase to \$300 a month for the chief deputy was placed on general file today in the lower house with a recommendation for its passage by the committee on fees and salaries.

Recommend Postponement Of Yeiser Blue Sky Bill

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The committee on manufacturers and commerce recommended today that a bill by Yeiser of Omaha, which would abolish the blue sky law in preparation for the enactment of a new one, be indefinitely postponed.

Life Sentence for Assault Bill May Be Postponed

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The bill providing for a life sentence for criminal assault was placed on general file today with a recommendation by the committee on judiciary that its consideration be indefinitely postponed.

New Trial Is Granted Man Convicted of Assault

Lincoln, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Nebraska supreme court has granted a new trial to Isaac McDougall of Red Willow county charged with attempted assault on a young girl. McDougall was sentenced to two to 15 years in the penitentiary after having been found guilty by the trial court.

Gothenburg Man President of State Fire Fighters Body

York, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—C. B. Frazier of Gothenburg was elected president of the Nebraska State Volunteer Firemen's association at its closing session here.

Miss Eva V. Anderson, stenographer in the state fire marshal's office, spoke on an organization of women for fire prevention. The 1922 convention will be held in Norfolk.

Aviation Field Purchase For Omaha Is Advocated

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A bill enabling the city of Omaha to vote bonds for the purchase and maintenance of an aviation field was passed among Douglas county representatives tonight for endorsement by Representative Medlar of Omaha.

Geneva Legion Post Ends Drive With 93 New Members

Geneva, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—At a banquet held by the Filles post No. 68, American Legion, Geneva, C. Davis of Lincoln, gave an address on "Government Insurance."

Railway and Steamship Clerks Elect Officers

Wymore, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks held its annual election here. This organization now has a national membership of more than 200,000.

New House Bills

H. R. 120, Green—Requiring campaign advertising to be plainly marked as paid advertisement and to carry at the head the name and address of the candidate in whose interest it is inserted.

United States Plans Showdown With Japan

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The United States government is planning a showdown with Japan over the control of the Pacific islands.

Davis Declares War on Tricky Insurance Men

War Risk Insurance Representative Charges War Veterans Are Prey of Unscrupulous Agents.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—Charges that attempts are being made in Omaha by agents of private insurance companies to prevent veterans of the world war from sharing in the benefits of government life insurance are made in a statement by Grover Davis, state representative of the bureau of war risk insurance with headquarters here.

Great Britain Is in Control of U. S. Ships

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Continued from First Page.)—Senator Jones continued, "do not leave the question open to doubt as to where the International Mercantile Marine company stands as regards British interests."

Trained School Nurse Starts Work in Kearney

Kearney, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Nellie B. Stevens, ex-service nurse, has assumed her position as school nurse in Kearney and made her initial tour of inspection of Kearney schools.

Farragut, Ia., Man Arrested On Worthless Check Charge

Nebraska City, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Chester Simmerman of Farragut, Ia., was arrested here on a charge of issuing a worthless check which he passed on a local garage man.

Haas Brothers

Entire Second Floor, Brown Block, 16th and Douglas Friday--9 to 12 Noon Our Greatest Sale of DRESSES

189 Dresses to be sold in three hours

Such an announcement from Haas Brothers must of necessity be supported by facts, and when you see these Dresses you'll wonder how such value-giving is possible.

37 Dresses, size 16 39 Dresses, size 18 40 Dresses, size 38 15 Dresses, size 40 5 Dresses, size 42

"Banker's Special" Is Passed By House in Committee of Whole

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The "banker's special" passed through the committee of the whole in the lower house today with only a few steps to permit minor amendments to board it.

The bill is now in the committee of phraseology for grammatical and technical repairs, after which it will emerge on the third reading. If passed on third reading it will be messaged over to the senate for passage in that body.

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Superior Woman Would Make Laws

Visits Legislature—"Get on To the Ropes"—Plans to Enter Next Election.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Republicans had better put their foot on the political accelerator or the democrats will copy the honor of nominating, and maybe electing the first woman to the Nebraska legislature.

Mrs. Zona Berg, Superior business woman and the daughter of J. H. Kesterson, a wealthy democratic business man and politician, was in Lincoln today a keen observer of legislative procedure for the avowed purpose of "getting on the ropes" in anticipating of throwing her well millinered hat in the legislative ring at the next election.

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Former Utah Governor Addresses Irrigation Meeting at Gering

Gering, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The state irrigation convention now in progress in this city has attracted a larger attendance than usual, and the sessions are proving interesting.

Numerous entertainment features are being provided, among them a special musical and vaudeville program and a banquet. The banquet toast list includes George E. Johnson, state engineer; Andrew Weiss, project manager U.S. R. S.; Attorney F. A. Dutton of Oshkosh; Senator B. K. Bushie, H. J. Johnson of Scottsbluff; J. T. Whitehead of Mitchell; Judge N. E. Olsen, Wesley T. Wilcox of North Platte, Governor Spry and President A. N. Mathers of Gering.

Gas Consumers Protest Ready-to-Serve Charges

Nebraska City, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A petition signed by 89 consumers of gas was read at the meeting of the city commissioners protesting against the collection of a readiness-to-serve charge of 50 cents a customer by the Nebraska City Gas company.

Wymore Community Club Outlines Year's Program

Wymore, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Wymore Community club held its annual election and Mr. Jacobs, retiring president, reviewed the work of the body during 1920.

McCook Commercial Club To Support Water Bonds

McCook, Neb., Jan. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Fifty McCook business men and members of the McCook Commercial club resumed their noon luncheons. It was voted to support the city council in the voting of \$50,000 water and funding bonds.

Thompson, Belden & Co.

Advertisement for Thompson, Belden & Co. featuring Silk Savings for Friday and Thompson-Belden Suits Half Price and Less. Includes descriptions of novelty silks, satin, and various suit styles with prices.

Advertisement for Haas Brothers featuring a sale of 189 dresses in three hours. Includes details about the sale, dress styles, and contact information.