

Hoagland Loses Fight to Abolish Custodial Farm

Substitute Motion to Save Bill Doing Away With Women's Home at York Lost in Senate.

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Rallying only three other members to his support, Senator Walter Hoagland, on the floor of the upper house, waged a determined but futile fight Tuesday morning to save the life of S. E. No. 9, to abolish the state custodial farm for women at York, Neb., created by the last legislature.

The committee on public institutions had recommended the bill for indefinite postponement. The roll call vote on Senator Hoagland's substitute motion to place on general file was four to 22. The four were Senators Cooper, Bushes, Dutton and Hoagland.

Admitting that the institution had experienced fair success in reformations and cures of girls suffering from social diseases, Senator Hoagland argued that the contaminating influence of the town in proximity was bad, and that the institution should be of an entirely different character and capable of taking care of 1,000 women instead of 25.

Little Increase Possible.

He quoted Chairman Oberlies of the board of control as saying that with the \$80,000 appropriation sought from the present legislature, the farm of 120 acres could only increase its capacity from 16 to 25 women, with 100 women the maximum capacity of the farm.

"Can you procure a better place at North Platte?" asked Senator Johnson of Adams.

"No sir, we don't want such an institution at North Platte," Senator Hoagland replied.

The senator said the institution ought to be located on cheaper land, where the cost of expansion would be less.

Senator Miller, chairman of the committee, declared that it was not reasonable to believe that the institution capacity would be limited to 25 girls, with the \$80,000 appropriation.

Claims Good Results.

He said the work was being started slowly, and good results were being obtained.

Senator Perry Reed of Hamilton, in whose district the farm is located, said the site was as good as any that could be found. Instead of contaminating the town, he said that girls who escaped left the community immediately, but in every instance they were captured and returned.

He defended the view that such a home should be a place of confinement like an asylum or the penitentiary.

The board of control has accomplished all that could be expected and the work should continue, Senator Robbins of Douglas said.

Bross Slated for Head of Tax Commission Department

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Phi Bross, secretary of finance, will be head of the tax commission department of the state, according to present indications, and W. H. Osborne probably will serve in an advisory capacity. It is reported that an amendment has been placed in the Anderson taxation and revenue bill which makes Bross head of the department and places Osborne, former tax commissioner, under Bross, although, in reality, Osborne probably will direct the taxation department's work of the state.

Foster Salary Measure Reported Out Favorably

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—The Foster bill, providing that the lieutenant governor shall receive the salary of the governor during the time the governor is out of the state, was reported favorably out of committee today. This bill followed the attempt of Lieut. Gov. P. A. Barrows to receive straight gubernatorial salary rates for the time he acted as governor while Governor McKelvie was out of the state.

House Bill Calling for Women Jurors Voted Down

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—There will be no women jurors in Douglas county for the next two years.

The lower house voted down a provision in a senate bill by Senator Berka of Omaha, calling for women jurors in that county.

Two weeks ago the house killed another Berka bill, calling for statewide jury service by women.

Bill for Pure Seed Law Killed in Lower House

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—One of the few of Governor McKelvie's recommendations to be stepped on so far by the lower house was the pure seed law.

This bill, which would put the sale of seed on a similar basis to the sale of food products under the pure food law, was killed in the lower house today by a vote of 31 to 30.

Deficiency Appropriation Bill Introduced in House

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—A deficiency appropriation bill calling for \$30,000 to pay salaries of state constitutional officers from January 1 to March 31, 1921, was introduced in the lower house by the finance committee. This takes care of the increases granted under the new constitution. The new salaries began January 1, 1921.

Board of Control Salary Increase Fixed at \$500

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—A bill providing a \$500 a year increase in salaries of members of the board of control was placed on general file in the lower house today. The original bill called for increases amounting to \$2,000 a year, but the committee amendment cut the increases down to \$500.

Sue to Recover Note

Madison, Neb., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Wood Brothers have brought action in district court against S. T. Napper to recover \$5,918, alleged to be due on a promissory note.

Members of Harding's "Official Family" as Finally Announced by President-Elect From St. Augustine



ANDREW WILLIAM MELLON of Pittsburgh, Pa. Banker. Born Pittsburgh, Pa. Age 65. University education. Entered banking business 1874. President Mellon national bank, 1902 to present. Active in industrial and financial developments in western Pennsylvania. Trustee University of Pittsburgh and with brother founded Mellon Institute of Industrial Research. Identified with many charitable and welfare organizations.



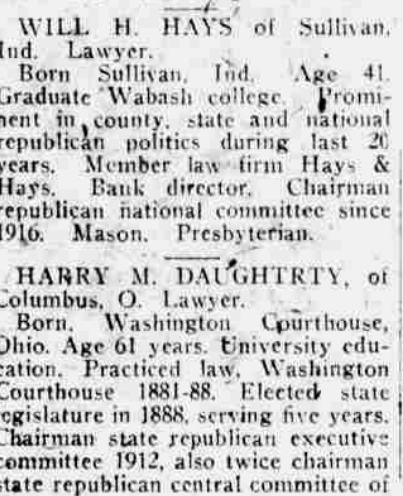
WILL HAYS of Sullivan, Ind. Lawyer. Born Sullivan, Ind. Age 41. Graduate Wabash college. Prominent in county, state and national republican politics during last 20 years. Member law firm Hays & Hays. Bank director. Chairman republican national committee since 1916. Mason. Presbyterian.



JAMES JOHN DAVIS of Pittsburgh, Pa. Labor leader. Born Tredgar, Wales. Age 47 years. Went to Pittsburgh with parents at age of 4 years. At 11 began work in steel mills, becoming a puddler. Removed to Elwood City, Ind., 1893. Held city and county offices there. Chose in 1906 to reorganize Loyal Order of Moose of which he is now the head. Member of Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers and always has been active in union affairs.



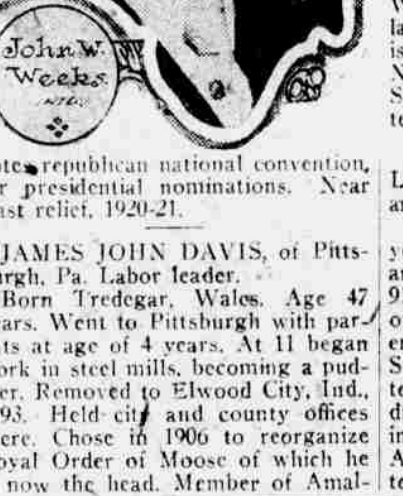
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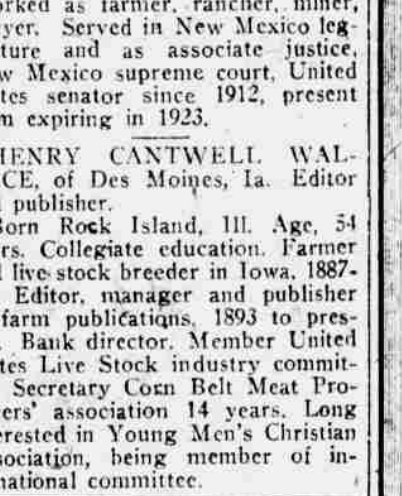
HARRY M. DAUGHERTY, of Columbus, O. Lawyer. Born, Washington Court house, Ohio. Age 61 years. University education. Practiced law, Washington Court house 1881-88. Elected state legislator in 1888, serving five years. Chairman state republican executive committee, 1912, also twice chairman state republican central committee of Ohio. Campaign manager for Harding at Chicago convention.



HERBERT CLARK HOOVER of Stanford university, California. Mining engineer. Born West Branch, Ia. Age 46 years. University training. Wide experience in geological and mining enterprises. United States and abroad. Chairman American relief committee, London, 1914-15. Relief in Belgium, 1915-18. United States food administrator, 1915-19. Honored and decorated by foreign nations for war services. Received 1912 vote republican national convention, for presidential nominations. Near East relief, 1920-21.



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HENRY CANTWELL WALLACE of Des Moines, Ia. Editor and publisher. Born Rock Island, Ill. Age 54 years. Collegiate education. Farmer and live stock breeder in Iowa, 1887-91. Editor, manager and publisher of farm publications, 1893 to present. Bank director. Member United States Live Stock industry committee. Secretary Corn Belt Meat Producers' association 14 years. Long interested in Young Men's Christian Association, being member of international committee.

Solons Vote to Probe Rents Here And in Lincoln

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Under a heavy bombardment from his fellow Omaha members and Representative James Rodman of Kimball, Representative Harry Foster of Omaha drove his resolution calling for a legislative investigation of alleged rent profiteering by Omaha and Lincoln landlords through the lower house this afternoon. The resolution passed by a vote of 50 to 41.

Only three members of the Douglas county delegation voted for the resolution. They are: Ed Palmer, Ed Smith and Harry Foster. John O. Seiser, Jr., sat mute when his name was called. George Dyball was not present. Representatives Bowman, Randall, Hascall, Drucesdow, Dysart, Robertson and Medlar voted against the investigation.

"I refuse to vote for a resolution which is merely camouflage behind which a democratic city commissioner in Omaha hopes to be re-elected," Randall declared. "That is the secret driving power behind the resolution."

Aims at Butler. said he remarks were aimed at City Commissioner Dan Butler.

"There is another driving power which has been at work in opposition to this resolution, just as powerful in making certain members vote against it," Representative McFarland of York, who signed the resolution with Foster said. "No one can say I am influenced by an Omaha city commissioner. I am for the resolution because I want to see something done to relieve the present high rentals young men and women are obliged to pay."

Representative Rodman accused Foster of grandstanding and declared he heard Foster say: "I don't give a continental whether it gets anywhere or not."

Speaker W. L. Anderson, who is empowered to appoint a committee of five to conduct the investigation, stated that he would announce the personnel of the committee in a short time. It was taken for granted that Foster would be appointed chairman.

"Setback" to Plan. One "setback" to the Foster plan for the investigation was administered by Rodman, who put through an amendment which will make it impossible for the committee to obtain funds to visit Omaha, unless it does so at its own expense.

"I'm sorry that happened," Foster said, "but the landlords and tenants were willing to come down here at their own expense to fight for and against the bill. The landlords claim they are making only a small profit and if they wish to prove their claim and act in good faith, they'll come down here with their books when we send for them."

This committee is empowered by the resolution to subpoena witnesses and force them to testify under oath.

A system of highways now under construction in this country is carried on at an annual cost of over \$1,000,000,000.

New Cabinet Members Announced by Harding

(Continued from Page One.) He was a representative in the Fifty-ninth, Sixtieth and Sixty-first congresses, making a particular study of naval affairs as a member of the naval committee.

New York, Feb. 22.—Herbert Hoover has not been asked to become a member of President-elect Harding's cabinet and his friends believe the Department of Commerce offers no such field for service as the public institutions with which he is now connected, said a statement issued here today by George Barr Baker, identified with Mr. Hoover in some work.

"Mr. Hoover had hoped," said Mr. Baker, "that as soon as the funds for child relief were secured he could turn some of his attention toward his own profession of engineering, as he is not a rich man and does not feel that he can continue indefinitely to give his entire time to public work. In fact, I know that he has had negotiations to this end."

Seen at his office this morning, Mr. Hoover said:

"I have not received any invitation to become a member of Mr. Harding's cabinet. I am going to be at my office until 1 o'clock this afternoon. It is possible that a telegram might have been sent to me and been delayed in delivery."

Mr. Hoover declined to say what would be his attitude should an offer come to him from the president-elect.

Apologies of Japanese Acceptable to America

(Continued from Page One.) his regret at the occurrence of the incident. The sentry who fired the fatal shot has been held to be excused by the orders and actions of his superiors upon whom responsibility has been squarely placed and who are to be punished as above stated. The sentry, however, was found guilty of deception in his testimony as to the circumstances of the fatality and for this has been sentenced to confinement for 30 days.

In addition to the expressions of regret on the part of the commander-in-chief of the Japanese expeditionary force, the minister for foreign affairs, in communicating the action of the court-martial, conveys to the American government "the expression of deep regret on the part of the Japanese government at the occurrence of this sad event and expresses the hope that the government of the United States will fully appreciate the sincere spirit in which the Japanese government has acted in dealing with this most unfortunate incident."

It also was disclosed that Tientsin incident which threatened to disturb the relations of Japan and the United States in 1919 was settled by mutual exchange of expressions of regret. The correspondence continued until December 7, 1920, when the Japanese ambassador tendered an expression of regret and the following day the secretary of state replied.

Wilson Will Devote Life To Fighting for World Peace

Washington, Feb. 22.—President Wilson, in an address today to a delegation from the Woodrow Wilson club of Harvard university, whom he received at the White House, declared he would bend his efforts to the last in support of the cause of world peace.

Senate Chamber Adorned in Honor Of Washington

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—The Nebraska state senate, reconvening Tuesday morning, Washington's birthday, found a gingerbread hatchet and a tiny flag on the top of each desk. The senate chamber itself was draped in flags, and a chain of patriotic pennants was hung across the front of the room.

The decoration work was credited to Terry Wilhelm, senate postmaster, and Harry Bradley.

In the course of the morning's routine the senate reached S. F. No. 160, the Norval bill, amended to make it an offense to prohibit the use of the English language, and Americanization fireworks appropriate for the day might have been started if the time had not become short and the senate had not put over the consideration of this bill in committee of the whole, until some future time.

Senate committees reported out for indefinite postponement S. F. No. 274, relating to Nebraska citizens marrying in other states, and S. F. No. 173, to prohibit the use of medical, peyote and anhalonium, drugs used as narcotics by the Indians.

In committee of the whole, the senate advanced to third reading: S. F. No. 34—Giving Douglas county attorney a chief clerk at a salary of \$2,000 a year.

S. F. No. 32—Readjusting county judges' fees in probate matters.

S. F. No. 5—Creating six supreme court judicial districts. Amended in committee to switch Howard, Greeley and Wheeler counties from district No. 6 to No. 3.

S. F. No. 4—Creating board of regent districts. Same amendments. The senate devoted the last half hour Tuesday morning to a eulogy of George Washington, delivered by Chaplain A. A. Cressman, and then adjourned to meet at 9:30 Wednesday.

W. B. Ireland Re-Elected Head of Madison Schools

Madison, Neb., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—The following teachers have been re-elected in the Madison schools: W. B. Ireland, superintendent; Lotie F. Lean, principal; Mrs. Alice Hall, principal of grade building; Etta Hofstaedt, English; Mary Krause, home economics; Gertrude Norman, seventh grade; Gretchen Kridler, sixth grade; Blanche Ives, fourth grade; Dorothy Arnett, third grade; Velma Beezley, second grade; Winifred Ressigue, first grade. Latin and manual training, fifth grade and north side primary teachers have not been selected.

Methodist Pastor Accepts Call by Church at Omaha

Cambridge, Neb., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Rev. Victor West of the Methodist church has been called to the Walnut Hill church of Omaha and will depart to his new charge the first of March. Rev. West has been here slightly over a year and has built up his congregation to nearly double its original size.

Smith Bread Bill Is Resurrected

Measure Placed Back on General File With But Few Dissenting Votes.

Lincoln, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—And the third day the Smith bread bill and the measure which would resurrect the measure in this manner:

The senate, after a hot scrap Friday voted to postpone the bill indefinitely. The bakers who had haunted the state house for two weeks went home chuckling.

Representative Ed Smith of Omaha, author of the bill, began studying senate rules and learned that for three days after the senate takes action it may reconsider that action.

Meantime, some of the senators began hearing from "the boys" at home who read about their action. Mrs. Fred Carey of Lincoln, formerly of Omaha, and other Lincoln women did a little lobbying on their own account.

This morning, the third day, Senator Cooper of Omaha and Senator Cronin of Holt, asked the senate to reconsider its action and put the standard bread loaf back on general file. With only a few dissenting votes the senators put the bill back on general file.

M. A. Hall, Lincoln attorney representing Nebraska bakers, was in the legislative halls shortly after the senate took action and the fight on the Smith bill is on again.

Community Club Pledges Support to Boy Scouts

Gothenburg, Neb., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—The 12 directors of the Gothenburg Community club met for their regular luncheon and business meeting at the Hotel Platte, Prof. Harold M. Williams, local scoutmaster, addressed the meeting in behalf of the Boy Scout program for Bird week, which closes Friday and Saturday with a sale of bird houses. The club responded with a vote to co-operate with the Boy Scouts and give their efforts financial support, especially in helping to buy a community bird house, which the scouts will build.

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9x12 High Grade Wilton Rugs,	97.50	8-3x10-6 Wilton Velvet Rugs,	65.00
9x12 Wilton Velvet Rugs,	49.50	6x9 Axminster Rugs,	29.50
9x12 Seamless Velvet Rugs,	59.50	6x9 Axminster Rugs,	35.00
9x12 Fringed Velvet Rugs,	69.50	6x9 Seamless Axminster Rugs,	45.00

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