

Amendment Cuts State Judicial Districts To 9

Lively Debate Over Addition To S. F. No. 154 "Alfalfa John" Invites Douglas Outside.

Lincoln, March 22.—(Special.)—Judicial districts in Nebraska were cut from 18 to nine under an amendment to S. F. No. 154 adopted by the lower house today.

It proved to be a merry scrap, one in which the life of the supreme court commission, revived recently by a message from Governor McElvaine, was in jeopardy and in which "Alfalfa John" Franklin walked up to Representative Douglas of Polk and invited him outside.

The sergeant-at-arms took "Alfalfa John" by the arm and led him to his seat.

Douglas was speaking in behalf of the amendment. "Alfalfa John" was opposed to it and interjected a remark while Douglas was talking.

"I'm talking, not you," Douglas said.

Then "Alfalfa John" walked up to Douglas and issued an invitation.

May Sound Death Knell.

If the house amendment to the senate bill is accepted, there is little doubt that the supreme court commission bill now in the stinging committee will never see the light of day as it was pointed out that under the accepted amendment plan of judicial reapportionment district judges could be called in to sit on the supreme bench when members of the court were indisposed and the dispose of the alleged expensive organism.

Senate File No. 154, of the old judicial districts, and merely gave Douglas cause to the district judges. That was the only change in the original senate bill from the present status.

Representative Ferguson of Clay introduced the amendment. In support of it, Epperson declared the supreme court commission was costly and declared under the amendment plan with three and four judges in a district one could be spared to "sit in" when the supreme court needed him.

Justices indisposed.

"At present a number of our supreme court justices are indisposed and obliged to miss several months work every year," Epperson said.

Representative Byrum declared the only real antagonism to the Epperson amendment came from district judges who feared losing their jobs.

"We have raised their salaries to \$5,000 a year and why should we fear them?" Byrum said. "Also they are going out of their province in coming up here trying to kill an attempt to change the judicial districts, which is bound to come sooner or later."

The Epperson amendment calls for nine judges in the second judicial district, which includes Douglas, Washington and Burr counties. The amendment was adopted by a vote

of 44 to 36. The bill, with the amendment, carried by a vote of 48 to 43. Following is a vote on the bill with the Epperson amendment:

Vote On Bill.

For: Anderson (Knox), Bowman, Byrum, Davis, Douglas, Druesedow, Dyball, Dysart, Epperson, Foster, Frantz, Frazier, Gifford, Green, Griswold, Hanner, Hascall, Hilliard, Hoffmeister, Jeary, Johnson, Kendall, Lauritsen, Leftwich, Lynn, McFarland, McLeod, Medlar, Mellor, Moseley, Nelson, Niewiede, Nutzman, Osterman, Palmer, Park, Robertson, Sandquist, Smith, Sprick, Ullstrom, Vance, Wallace, Webster, Williams, Wolfe, Mr. Speaker.

Against: Action, Anderson (Hamilton), Armstrong, Astell, Barbours, Beans, Beckman, Behrens, Betha, Bock, Cizbe, Cole, Downing, Essam, Franklin, Frost, Good, Goodrich, Gould, Hakanson, Hoare, McClellan, Mears, Mickey, Miner, Morian, Murphy, O'Gara, Perkins, Peterson, Rank, Reed, Reneker, Ruddy, Snow, Sommerlad, Staats, Strong, Sturdevant, Thompson, Votaw, Westerhoff, Wight, Wood, Young.

New Districts.

The new districts created by the Epperson amendment follow:

District No. 1—Richardson, Lawrence, Gage, Jefferson, Johnson, Neuman, Otoe, Cass and Sarpy, three judges.

District No. 2—Douglas, Washington and Burr, nine judges.

District No. 3—Cuming, Stanton, Madison, Antelope, Pierce, Waver, Thurston, Dakota, Dixon, Cedar, Knox, Boyd, Holt, Rock, Brown, Keva, Paha and Cherry, four judges.

District No. 4—Lancaster, four judges.

District No. 5—Nuckolls, Thayer, Fillmore, Saline, Seward, York, Hamilton, Polk, Butler and Saunders, three judges.

District No. 6—Dodge, Colfax, Platte, Merrick, Nance, Boone, Wheeler, Greeley, Howard and Hall, three judges.

District No. 7—Garfield, Valley, Sherman, Buffalo, Dawson, Custer, Loup, Blaine, Thomas, Logan, MePherson and Hooker, two judges.

District No. 8—Clay, Adams, Webster, Franklin, Kearney, Phelps, Harlan, Furnas, Gosper, Frontier, Red Willow, Hitchcock, Hayes, Perkins, Chase and Dundy, three judges.

District No. 9—Lincoln, Keith, Arthur, Grant, Sheridan, Garden, Deuel, Cheyenne, Morrill, Box Butte, Dawes, Sioux, Scotts Bluff, Banner and Kimball, three judges.

Senate Refuses To Abolish State Securities Bureau

Measure Loses By One Vote; Dutton Deprecates "Running Wild" on Regulatory Legislation.

Lincoln, March 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Senator Walter V. Hoagland of Lincoln county lacked the vote of only one member of the senate today to abolish the state bureau of securities as provided in his bill S. F. No. 310, which had been a special order at the forenoon and the afternoon sessions of the senate.

The roll call vote to advance the bill to third reading was 15 to 15. Not being a majority, the vote lost. Then a vote to postpone in committee of the whole carried, 16 to 14, Senator Hlan shifting his position to postponement.

Senator Hoagland, after the committee reported, moved not to concur in the report to indefinitely postpone and demanded a roll call. He lost 16 to 17.

"You're running wild on regulatory legislation. You are fastening autocracy on the people of the state and you have turned down measure after measure that would have helped the people," said Senator Dutton in opening the debate in the afternoon on behalf of the bill.

"You're not secure and safe because you were swept into office on the coat-tail of Warren G. Harding," he declared. "The people are dissatisfied with this sort of thing."

Senator Dutton, himself, is a republican.

Senator Busheer of Kimball interrupted to challenge the statement that the senate had done nothing for the people. Senator Dutton clung to his point. In a final plea for the bill, Senator Hoagland said the people had been licensed for a long time over the futility of the present license and blue sky law. "You can't regulate horse stealing or burglary—you've got to prohibit it and penalize it," he said. "That's what my bill does."

Big interests do not fear fines, but big men fear the penitentiary. This bill will keep "the by night" stock promoters out of Nebraska.

Howell Light Bill Killed by Municipal Affairs Committee

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Lincoln, March 22.—(Special Telegram.)—S. F. No. 249, a duplicate of H. R. No. 1, the Howell electric light bill, was killed tonight in the senate committee on municipal affairs by a vote of 5 to 1. Earlier in the day Senator Robbins endeavored to get consent of the senate to obtain a special hearing in committee on the bill. But the senate, by a vote of 15 to 13, refused to make any exception to the rule adopted that all senate bills in senate committees on Wednesday noon, March 23, are killed.

R. B. Howell, author of S. F. No. 249 and H. R. No. 1, arrived in Lincoln tonight and held a long conference with Senator Robbins. Mr. Howell declined to state what his next move would be.

The senate passed these additional bills on third readings:

S. F. No. 32—Bonds up to \$10,000 for relief of Kimball county High school passed, 32 to 0.

S. F. No. 245—New veterinary medicine law. Passed, 30 to 1.

H. R. No. 70—County judge's salaries. Passed, 26 to 4.

Rent Probe to Start

Lincoln, March 22.—(Special.)—Representative Harry Foster announced today that the first meeting of the rent investigation committee would be held at 10 Thursday morning at the city hall in Omaha.

\$10,000,000 Bonus Bill Defeated in House

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Lincoln, March 22.—(Special.)—The Sturdevant \$10,000,000 bonus bill went down to defeat on third reading in the lower house today by a vote of 46 to 40.

American Legion members voted solidly against the bill. They declined to vote on it when the measure went through the committee of the whole. Later they held a caucus and signed an agreement to vote solidly against the bill when it came up for third reading.

At the same time they pledged their support to the American Legion bonus bill providing for a \$2,000,000 appropriation, interest from which will be used to aid disabled veterans. This bill has passed the house and is now in the senate.


Contracts for Work On Hospital Are Let

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Lincoln, March 22.—(Special.)—The state board of control in a re-advertising of bids for a kitchen at the Norfolk, (Neb.) state hospital, has let the contract to C. C. Bickel, of University Place, Neb., for \$63,576, with a \$5,346 plumbing contract for the same building going to the B. B. Daubert company of Norfolk.

The appropriation for the building is \$75,000. Bids opened some months ago were rejected because they exceeded the appropriation.

Contract for a kitchen at the home for dependent children in Lincoln has been let to George M. Robertson for \$2,297.



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