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### LEGISLATURE MEETS

THIRTY-FIFTH LEGISLATIVE SESSION IS FORMALLY OPENED AT ST. PAUL.

LAWRENCE H. JOHNSON OF MINNEAPOLIS ELECTED SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE.

St. Paul, Jan. 9.—The thirty-fifth session of the Minnesota senate was called to order by Lieutenant Governor O. E. Eberhart of Slayton at 12:05 p. m.

Chief Justice C. J. Start swore in the president of the senate, Lieutenant Governor Eberhart, who took the oath of office.

Each of the senators, by districts, advanced to the rostrum and was sworn in by the chief justice of the supreme court. Samuel A. Langum was chosen secretary.

W. A. Alton of St. Paul was elected assistant secretary of the senate.

Frank Holcomb of St. Paul was unanimously elected enrolling clerk.

E. A. Nelson of Halleck was elected engrossing clerk.

James A. Ege of Minneapolis was elected sergeant-at-arms.

The chair announced the only contested election was that of Joseph M. Hackney by Pierce Butler of the Fourth district. This was the only communication the chair had received.

Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston, Polk county, presented the first resolution, placing in nomination the various appointees, who were all elected upon the motion of Senator Stephens.

The slate as elected by the Stephens resolution is as follows:

Secretary to lieutenant governor, Edward B. Nyquist; lieutenant governor's messenger, T. H. Lyles; second assistant secretary, W. A. Simonton; assistant enrolling clerk, T. J. Courtright; assistant engrossing clerk, Finley McMartin; assistant sergeant-at-arms, Ira Padden; chaplain, Rev. J. W. Ekman; clerk of the enrolling committee, J. J. Lomen; clerk of the engrossing committee, Ben Halverson; file clerk, Alexis Anderson; assistant clerk, J. B. Doran; keeper of the cloakroom, W. W. Leonard; doorkeeper, Hiram A. Buck; assistant doorkeeper, T. O. Dorseth; sergeant-at-arms of the gallery, Albert T. Anderson; sergeant press gallery, William E. Poe; sergeant cloakroom, E. Tornberg; clerk judiciary committee, E. A. Montgomery; assistant clerk judiciary committee, Alfred S. Teisberg; clerk finance committee, Samuel Dalen; clerk of railroads, J. A. Leach; clerk of taxes, I. L. Ingritson; postoffice messenger, George H. Randall; janitor senate chamber, R. E. Chapman.

Miscellaneous committee clerks, each of whom will serve from three to five committees: E. A. Simpson, Anna Connors, Andrew Horngren, A. B. Brown, Reuben Elquist, J. T. Devaney, Peter Schaffer, F. G. Tuttle, Thomas McKinley, Gilbert Hager, stenographers, Miss Kate Sexton, Mrs. L. C. Goodnow, Miss Nettie Hammond, Miss Ida F. Orden, Miss Helen N. Talbot, Miss Jessie Kernan, Mrs. Irene C. Buehl.

### PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE.

Convening of That Body Devoid of Spectacular Features.

The convening of the house was devoid of spectacular features. The galleries were filled with interested sightseers.

At noon Secretary of State Schmah called the house of representatives to order. He named Representative J. A. Gates of Kenyon as temporary secretary.

On the reading of the roll call the members were assembled by districts, and the oath of office was administered by Justice Brown of the supreme court.

Judge Hicks of Minneapolis nominated Lawrence H. Johnson of Minneapolis for speaker and A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota seconded the nomination.

For the minority party, James Handlan of St. Paul offered the name of Dr. J. H. Dorsey of Glencoe. The Democratic nomination was seconded by Joseph Peter of Empire.

The vote was a strict party one, 106 to 13, and Johnson's election was announced. The three Prohibition members voted for Johnson.

M. Bendixen of Morgan escorted Speaker Johnson to his seat. He was greeted with cheers by his colleagues, the Democrats joining in heartily.

In a few brief remarks Mr. Johnson thanked the members for the honor given him. He said he would try to treat all fairly; that party lines would be obliterated, and that he would join with all in trying to work for the best interests of the state.

The Republican slate adopted at the Republican caucus was adopted, each appointee being nominated and voted upon individually, were as follows:

Chief clerk, Adolph E. L. Johnson, Minneapolis; first assistant clerk, Archibald H. Vernon, St. Paul; second assistant, Oscar Arneson, Herman; reading clerk, John T. Jones, Minneapolis; enrolling clerk, Lester Bartlett, Buffalo; engrossing clerk, D. W. Meeker, Moorhead; sergeant-at-arms, B. F. Seitz, Red Wing; assistant sergeant-at-arms, George Deane, Millie Lac; postmaster, Albert H. Spring; assistant postmaster, George W. John, Garden City; chaplain, R. D. Phillips, Ceylon; speaker's clerk, Sherman S. Smith, Minneapolis.

### RIDDLED WITH BULLETS

ASSASSIN FIRED SEVEN SHOTS INTO BODY OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL PAVLOFF.

MAKES DESPERATE EFFORT TO ESCAPE

KILLS POLICEMAN AND WOUNDS ANOTHER PURSUER BEFORE BEING CAPTURED.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 10.—Lieutenant General Vladimir Pavloff, the military procurator or advocate general, generally known since the days of the late parliament as "Hangman Pavloff," from the epithet constantly applied to him by the radical deputies, was shot and killed at 10 o'clock a. m. while walking in the garden of the chief military court building, near the Molka canal. The assassin, who was disguised as a workman, was captured after a long chase through the crowded city streets, during which he fired about forty shots from two revolvers which he carried, killing a policeman and wounding a small boy.

The crime was executed deliberately and showed evidence of the same careful preparation which was characteristic of the murders of Generals Ignatieff and Von der Launitz and undoubtedly was carried out by the same organization, which, it is reported, has sentenced Emperor Nicholas and several of the ministers to death. The assassin, who wore the uniform of a military clerk attached to the court, succeeded in obtaining an entrance to the garden under the pretext of submitting a report to the military procurator. He approached the unsuspecting general within arm's length, drew an automatic pistol and discharged the whole load, seven shots, into General Pavloff's body. Every shot was well aimed and two of them tore a gaping wound in his breast, from which the general expired while being carried to his apartments, which were located in the same building.

Hastily slipping another "clip" of cartridges into his revolver and drawing a second weapon the assassin ran across the garden to the carriage entrance, threatened the porter with his pistols and dashed down Glinka street, past the Imperial Opera House, with a crowd of thirty house porters and court attaches in close pursuit.

Desperate Attempt to Escape.

A policeman stationed in front of the opera house attempted to seize the assassin, but was shot down by the latter, who turned and opened fire on his pursuers, wounding a boy. The assassin then resumed his flight through the streets, firing at the police officers and house porters who attempted to bar his way. When his ammunition became exhausted he was intercepted and captured at Lantern lane.

The entire career of General Pavloff was in the judicial department of the army. After serving several years as a military judge he was appointed judge advocate general of the war ministry and later procurator of the supreme military court.

General Pavloff sprang into national prominence when he was delegated by War Minister Rodiger to answer the interpellations of the government in regard to courtmartial and executions in the Baltic provinces and in Poland. The military procurator justified these with such cold bloodedness and disregard of the sentiments of the members that it caused the indignation of almost the entire house and he was driven from the rostrum with cries of "murderer," "hangman," "assassin." When the general next appeared in the house he was not allowed to speak and was threatened with personal violence.

### CUBAN ELECTION LAW.

Committee on Revision Divided on Franchise Question.

Havana, Jan. 10.—There is a probability of a bitter struggle in the law commission appointed to revise the election law of Cuba. The commission, which consists of twelve members, of whom three are American, are understood to be divided on the suffrage question. The Liberal members, who are in a minority, are in favor of letting conditions remain as they are, but most of the others are inclined to some form of plural voting through which, by recognizing educational and property qualifications, the power of the ignorant element would be offset.

Union and Nonunionists Battle.

Eureka, Cal., Jan. 10.—A. W. Jenks is dead, his brother, S. W. Jenks, is dying and John Hays is probably fatally wounded as a result of a street battle between union and nonunion longshoremen. The two Jenks are nonunion and Hays is a union man.

Senator Gamble Renominated.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 10.—By viva voce vote the Republican legislative caucus selected United States Senator Gamble to succeed himself. Before the vote was taken Mr. Gamble explained charges made against him.

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Men's brown, grey and blue, hard and soft finished, worsted suits, checked, plaid and striped pattern of Kuh, Nathan & Fisher's well known custom make goods, none nobbler, none better finished, none more exclusive than these, worth \$25.00--\$22.00, now \$18.45 and **\$17.45**

Men's fancy worsted, heavy weight suits, all styles, worth \$15, \$12, now \$9.95 and **\$7.95**

Men's double breasted, black or grey, cheviots, and cassimere suits, worth \$12.00, now **\$7.95**

Men's black, grey or fancy mixed cheviot or cassimere suits, worth \$7.50, now **\$4.95**

Men's overcoats in blacks, greys and mixtures, kerseys, freizes and cheviots all this seasons make, good values at \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15, now **\$7.45**

Boys overcoats and suits, broken lots, in cheviots, cassimeres and tweeds, all styles, worth 5, 4, 3.50, 3, now 3.45, 2.89 & **\$2.24**

Men's trousers, heavy all wool, guaranteed not to rip, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, now **\$1.98**

Sheep lined corduroy coats, double seams, patent buttons, heavy fleece, only **\$3.98**

Men's heavy fleeced underwear, only **39c**

Men's heavy woolen underwear in grey, euchre and pink, **89c**

Men's extra heavy, all wool, Eagle brand, underwear, **\$1.19**

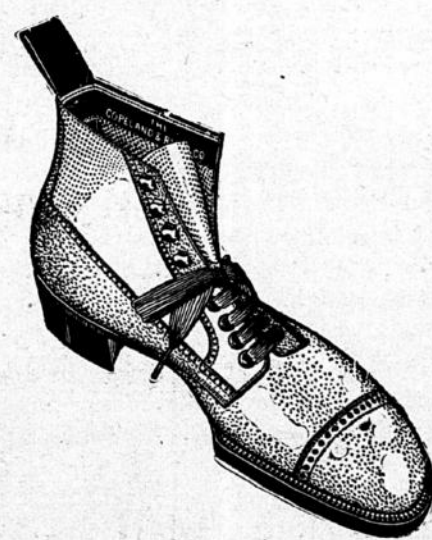
Men's heavy woolen sox, regular price 50c, sale price **39c**

Men's heavy flannel shirts, single or double breasted, solid or fancy colors, worth \$1.50, now **98c**

Men's fine negligee shirts, all wool, fancy patterns, with collar or band, worth \$2.50, now **\$1.87**

CAPS: Gelf, yacht, auto and brighton styles, fur lined, worth 75c and \$1.00, now **39c**

BROKEN LOTS OF SHOES of every leather. Box Calf, Velour Calf, Vici Kid, Patent Colt, Lace and Blucher Styles, heavy or medium weight. About 100 pairs in all; worth \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00, now **\$1.98**



ONE SPECIAL LOT, about 25 pairs, worth \$2.00, now **\$1.38**

ONE LOT FELT SHOES, Foxed Rubber Heels and Soles, warmest thing out, worth \$3.00 now **\$2.38**

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