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September, 1959

I will _____ will not _____ be able to attend the luncheon, September 14, 12 noon, at the Midway YMCA, 1761 University Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.
The price of luncheon is \$1.50.

Signed _____

Address _____

LWV of _____

We plan to have a luncheon for the Legislative Observers at the Midway YMCA, 1761 University Ave., St. Paul, on September 14, 1959, at 12 noon. The purpose of the meeting is to set up a schedule for Observers to visit Governor's Committees and Interim Commission meetings during the next year or so. The cost of the luncheon is \$1.50. We hope you will want to attend. If so, return the attached card to State Office by September 10th. TO ADDRESS BELOW, PLEASE.

Sept.1, 1959

Mrs. Homer Mantis and
Mrs. Edgar Kuderling, for

League of Women Voters of Minnesota, 15th & Washington Aves.S.E., Minneapolis 14, Minnesota - FE 8-8791, St.25

BIENNIUM BITS

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This issue of Biennium Bits is devoted to the appointments on the legislative interim commissions. The commissions are listed in alphabetical order with the respective appointments grouped according to Senate, House and other members. You are requested to retain this for permanent use. Following organization of all the commissions, a future issue of Biennium Bits will indicate the officers which you, in turn, may record on your issue.

INTERIM COMMISSIONS CREATED BY EXTRA SESSION LAWS 1959, CHAPTER 82 UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

1- COMMISSION ON AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS (Subd. 2, Sec. 15) Appropriation \$20,000

PURPOSE *To study agricultural laws for the purpose of revising, clarifying and codifying the statutes; to study the organizational structure of agricultural agencies in the state with a view to coordinating, licensing, regulatory services, and inspection work of state agencies and federal agencies in the field of agriculture.

Senator Robert R. Dunlap - Plainview
Senator P. J. Holand - Austin
Senator Harold S. Nelson - Owatonna
Senator John L. Olson - Worthington
Senator Raphael F. Salmore - Stillwater
Representative Odean Enestvedt - Sacred Heart
Representative Richard W. Fitzsimons - Argyle
Representative Alvin O. Hofstad - Madison
Representative Alf Larson - Hayfield
Representative George Mann - Windom

2- CAPITOL IMPROVEMENTS COMMISSION (Subd. 2, Sec. 4 - continued) Appropriation: The balance of the appropriation per Extra Session Laws 1957, Chapter 2, Section 2, Subdivision 33 (4) reappropriated. (July 1, 1959 \$50,410.56)

PURPOSE *To consider space utilization and building and equipment needs of the legislature and branches thereof within the State Capitol.

Senator Daniel S. Feidt - 1715 W. Franklin, Minneapolis
Senator Rudolph Hanson - Albert Lea
Senator Val Imm - Mankato
Senator Joseph A. Josefson - Minneota
Senator Donald O. Wright - 917 Plymouth Building, Minneapolis
Representative Fred A. Cina - Aurora
Representative Lloyd L. Duxbury, Jr. - Caledonia
Representative Clifton Parks - 1678 Beechwood, St. Paul
Representative Richard W. Richie - 509 Fred St., St. Paul
Representative Roy Schultz - Mankato

3- CIVIL WAR AND SIOUX INDIAN UPRISING CENTENNIAL COMMISSION (Subd. 2, Sec. 8)
Appropriation \$2,500

PURPOSE *To make proper and suitable plans for the observance of the centennial anniversary of the Civil War and the Sioux Indian Uprising.

Senator John T. Davies - 130-21st Ave. So., Minneapolis
Senator Alexander M. Keith - Rochester
Senator John L. Richardson - St. Cloud
Senator Leslie E. Westin - 2160 Edgerton Rd., St. Paul *Chairman*
Senator John M. Zwach - Walnut Grove
Representative John Tracy Anderson - 1048 Van Slyke Ave., St. Paul
Representative Wendell R. Anderson - 852 E. Wheelock Pkwy., St. Paul
Representative Dr. J. J. Kelly - Marshall
Representative Glenn D. McCarty - 2221 Humboldt Ave. S., Minneapolis
Representative Richard J. Parish - 3826 W. Broadway, Minneapolis

Russell W. Fridley, Director, Minnesota Historical Society

4- COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENTS COMMISSION (Subd. 2, Sec. 14)
Appropriation \$15,000

PURPOSE *To study the organization, structure and functions of county and township governments and legal basis and functions of offices therein; to determine operational and administrative procedures in such offices and the changes in county and township governments and offices thereof, if any, necessitated or suggested by the Home Rule Amendment adopted in 1958.

Senator Walter J. Franz - Mountain Lake
Senator Grover C. George - Goodhue *Chairman*
Senator Rudolph Hanson - Albert Lea
Senator L. W. Larson - Mabel
Senator Roy E. Wiseth - Goodridge
Representative Dan Conroy - Dumont
Representative Carl A. Jensen - Sleepy Eye
Representative Victor N. Jude - Maple Lake
Representative Birger Nurminen - Route #1, Aitkin
Representative Glenn Truesdell - Pine City

5 DULUTH AND SUPERIOR HARBORS COMMISSION (Subd. 2, Sec. 18)
Appropriation \$500

PURPOSE To confer with a similar commission from the State of Wisconsin for the purpose of investigating and studying the problems in connection with navigation and harbor facilities in the harbors of Duluth, Minnesota and Superior, Wisconsin.

Senator Gordon H. Butler - 2410 Branch St., Duluth 12
Senator Homer M. Carr - Proctor
Senator Richard E. Ferrario - Duluth
Representative Willard M. Munger - Duluth
Representative Roger F. Noreen - Duluth
Representative Jack M. Peterson - Duluth
Representative Lawrence Yetka - Reliable Building, Cloquet

6 COMMISSION ON EDUCATION (Subd. 2, Sec. 16)
Appropriation \$25,000 from Income Tax School Fund

PURPOSE *To study public elementary and secondary schools of the state, transportation aids, school finance, school building construction costs and needs, and related taxation programs.

Senator Robert R. Dunlap - Plainview *Chairman*
Senator Stanley W. Holmquist - Grove City
Senator Michael E. McGuire - Montgomery
Senator Gordon Rosenmeier - Little Falls
Senator Donald Sinclair - Stephen
Representative Wayne R. Bassett - Worthington
Representative Sally Luther - 1937 Kenwood Pkwy., Minneapolis
Representative Peter S. Popovich - 470 Summit Ave., St. Paul
Representative Dewey Reed - St. Cloud
Representative B. M. Wichterman - Plummer

7 ELECTION LAWS COMMISSION (Subd. 2, Sec. 5 - continued)
Appropriation \$17,000

PURPOSE To make a comprehensive, detailed and complete investigation, analysis and study of all laws of this state and the laws of such other jurisdictions as may be applicable and pertinent to elections in the state for purposes of national, state or local government. This study, and survey and analysis shall be made for the purpose of revising, clarifying and codifying the statutes of this state pertaining to elections.

Senator Claude H. Allen - 909 Lakeview, St. Paul
Senator Chris L. Erickson - Fairmont *Chairman*
Senator Franklin P. Kroehler - Henderson
Senator Vladimir Jhipka - Grand Rapids
Senator Donald O. Wright - 917 Plymouth Building, Minneapolis
Representative Robert Latz - 1220 Morgan Ave. N., Minneapolis
Representative Martin J. McGowan, Jr. - Appleton
Representative Julian O. Newhouse - Alexandria
Representative Rodney N. Searle - Waseca
Representative F. Gordon Wright - 2912 Chowen Ave. S., Minneapolis

8 COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES AND FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP (Subd. 2, Sec. 11)
Appropriation \$25,000

PURPOSE To consider all matters relating to forest land ownership, both public and private, and its use, and forest products and their uses; State-owned forest lands and use policies related to such lands; and the functions and operations of the division of forestry of the Department of Conservation.

Senator Norman W. Hanson - Cromwell
Senator P. J. Holand - Austin
Senator Leo J. Lauerman - Olivia *Chairman*
Senator John H. McKee - Bemidji
Senator C. C. Mitchell - Princeton
Senator Harold J. O'Loughlin - 1137 Portland Ave., St. Paul
Senator Arnim O. Sundet - Faribault
Representative E. J. Chilgren - Littlefork
Representative L. B. Erdahl - Frost
Representative Cliff Graba - Sebeka
Representative Francis LaBrosse - Duluth
Representative Alfred J. Otto - 194 Summit Ave., St. Paul
Representative Robert G. Renner - Walker
Representative Loren S. Rutter - Kinney

9 GREAT LAKES COMMISSION (MS 1957, Sec. 1.21-1.25 - PERMANENT)
Appropriation \$22,000

Senator Gordon Rosenmeier - Little Falls
Senator Thomas P. Welch - Buffalo
Representative Fred A. Cina - Aurora
Representative Lawrence Yetka - Reliable Building, Cloquet

10 COMMISSION ON HIGHWAYS (Subd. 2, Sec. 12)
Appropriation \$20,000 from Highway User Tax Distribution Fund

PURPOSE *To consider the entire operation of the State Highway Department including the inter-relationship of the Department with agencies of the Federal government and with other State departments, agencies, political subdivisions by reason of the county state aid highway system and the municipal street aid system.

Senator J. R. Keller - Winona *Chairman*
Senator Norman Larson - Ada
Senator Clifford Lofvegren - Alexandria
Senator Harold J. O'Loughlin - 1137 Portland Ave., St. Paul
Senator John M. Zwach - Walnut Grove
Representative Everett Battles - Warroad
Representative Aubrey W. Dirlam - Redwood Falls
Representative Charles L. Halsted - Brainerd
Representative G. J. Van De Riet - Fairmont
Representative Harvey A. Wilder - Crookston

11/ INDIAN AFFAIRS COMMISSION (Subd. 2, Sec. 7 - continued)
Appropriation \$7,500

PURPOSE To consider federal services to Indians with particular reference to present agreements relating to education, foster home care, welfare and relief, the care of tubercular Indians, the encouragement of employment of the Indians.

Senator Herman J. Kording - 3533-36th Ave. S., Minneapolis
Senator Norman Larson - Ada
Senator Clifford Lofvegren - Alexandria
Senator John H. McKee - Bemidji
Senator C. C. Mitchell - Princeton
Representative Harry Basford - Wolf Lake *Chairman*
Representative George E. Grant - Milaca
Representative Howard Ottinger - Chaska
Representative Loren S. Rutter - Kinney
Representative E. J. Windmiller - Fergus Falls

12/ COMMISSION ON INTERSTATE COOPERATION (MS 1957, Sec. 355.01-11 - PERMANENT)
Appropriation \$22,000

Senator Val Imm - Mankato
Senator J. R. Keller - Winona
Senator Edward G. Novak - 1424 Arundel, St. Paul
Senator Donald Sinclair - Stephen
Senator Thomas P. Welch - Buffalo
Representative John A. Hartle - Owatonna
Representative Carl M. Iverson - Ashby
Representative Sally Luther - 1937 Kenwood Pkwy., Minneapolis
Representative Leo D. Mosier - 4340 Washburn Ave. N., Minneapolis
Representative Joseph Prifrel, Jr. - 1031 Woodbridge St., St. Paul

13- COMMISSION ON TAXATION OF IRON ORE (Subd. 2, Sec. 10 - continued)

Appropriation \$15,000 from Iron Range Resources and Rehabilitation Fund
PURPOSE *To study: (1) The formulation of a stable and fair policy for the taxation of iron ore so that the State may receive the maximum possible benefit from this natural resource; (2) All information regarding the quality and extent of Minnesota mining reserves and those in other parts of the world; (3) The cost of mining and developing Minnesota iron ore and in other parts of the world; (4) The advisability of using Lake Erie price as a tax base; and, (5) National defense and the St. Lawrence Seaway as related to the iron ore industry.

Senator Henry M. Harren - Albany
Senator C. Elmer Johnson - Almelund
Senator J. R. Keller - Winona
Senator Louis A. Murray - East Grand Forks
Senator Elmer Peterson - Hibbing
Senator Thomas D. Vukelich - Gilbert
Senator Thomas P. Welch - Buffalo
Senator Donald O. Wright - 917 Plymouth Building, Minneapolis
Representative Fred A. Cina - Aurora
Representative Roy E. Dunn - Pelican Rapids
Representative Lloyd L. Duxbury, Jr. - Caledonia
Representative Carl G. Hagland - 1913 S. 6th St., Minneapolis
Representative Francis LaBrosse - Duluth
Representative August B. Mueller - Arlington
Representative Fred W. Schwanke - Deerwood
Representative D. D. Wozniak - 1216 Bayard Ave., St. Paul

14- IRON RANGE RESOURCES AND REHABILITATION COMMISSION (MS 1957, Sec. 298.22 - PERMANENT) Open Appropriation

Senator Leo J. Lauerman - Olivia
Senator Elmer Peterson - Hibbing
Senator Charles W. Root - 5104 Colfax Ave. So., Minneapolis
Representative Elmer E. Berglund - Bemidji
Representative Peter X. Fugina - Virginia
Representative Willard M. Munger - Duluth

17 JUVENILE DELINQUENCY, ADULT CRIME AND CORRECTIONS COMMISSION
(Subd. 2, Sec. 6 - continued)
Appropriation \$45,000

"The Commission may appoint advisory committees to give assistance, consultation, and advice concerning its studies; the members of any such advisory committees to serve without compensation, but with actual expenses."

PURPOSE To consider problems of juvenile delinquency, adult crime, and corrections, including the revision and recodification of the criminal laws; the growing problem of unemployment and lack of work experience among youth which is made critical by increasing mechanization and automation; the study to include the laws governing child labor, counselling and education-work programs in the schools, the role of the State employment service in finding jobs for youth, methods of enlisting the active cooperation of agriculture, commerce, industry, and labor in providing jobs for youth, and the desirability of youth development camps; the strengthening of local services for the prevention of delinquency and the correction of delinquents so as to reduce commitments to State institutions; long range planning and coordination of State and county institutional facilities for handling the growing number of delinquent children incidental to the great expansion of the teenage population; detention of children in non-metropolitan areas pending court disposition; parole procedures for adult offenders; and regional workhouses for short-term offenders.

Senator Ernest J. Anderson - Frost
Senator Daniel S. Feidt - 1715 W. Franklin, Minneapolis
Senator Harold W. Schultz - 1176 E. Hawthorne, St. Paul
Senator Paul A. Thuet - 210 Schult Building, South St. Paul
Senator Harry L. Wahlstrand - Willmar
Representative Harold J. Anderson - 4919 Colfax Ave. S., Minneapolis
Representative Jack Fena - Hibbing
Representative Joseph Prifrel, Jr. - 1031 Woodbridge St., St. Paul *Chairman*
Representative Emil Schaffer - Austin
Representative Reuben Wee - Balaton

16 - LEGISLATIVE BUILDING COMMISSION (MS 1957, Sec. 3.421-471 - PERMANENT)
Appropriation ~~\$350,000~~ \$37000

Senator Chris L. Erickson - Fairmont
Senator William C. F. Heuer - Bertha
Senator Joseph A. Josefson - Minneota
Senator Harold R. Popp - Hutchinson
Senator Charles W. Root - 5104 Colfax Ave. S., Minneapolis
Representative Delbert F. Anderson - Starbuck
Representative Eugene P. Knudsen - Kandiyohi
Representative Roger F. Noreen - Duluth *Chairman*
Representative William L. Shovell - 466 Johnson Pkwy., St. Paul
Representative John P. Skeate - 1324 Buchanan St. NE, Minneapolis

17 - LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMITTEE (MS 1957, Sec. 3.31-39 - PERMANENT)
Appropriation \$155,910

Senator Grover George - Goodhue
Senator Harold Kalina - 115-36th Ave. NE, Minneapolis
Senator Herman J. Kording - 3533-36th Ave. S., Minneapolis
Senator Franklin P. Kroehler - Henderson
Senator Harold J. O'Loughlin - 1137 Portland Ave., St. Paul
Senator Donald Sinclair - Stephen
Senator Thomas D. Vukelich - Gilbert
Senator Harry L. Wahlstrand - Willmar
Senator Thomas P. Welch - Buffalo
Representative George L. Angstman - Mora
Representative E. J. Chilgren - Littlefork
Representative Edmond F. Conn - Alden
Representative Walter E. Day - Bagley
Representative Sam Franz - Mountain Lake
Representative George A. French - 5140 Penn Ave. S., Minneapolis
Representative Alvin O. Hofstad - Madison
Representative Leo D. Mosier - 4340 Washburn Ave. N., Minneapolis
Representative D. D. Wozniak - 1216 Bayard Ave., St. Paul *Chairman*

18 COMMISSION ON THE PROBLEMS OF MENTALLY RETARDED, HANDICAPPED AND
GIFTED CHILDREN

(Subd. 2, Sec. 3)

Appropriation \$20,000

"This commission may appoint advisory committees, the members of which are to serve without compensation."

PURPOSE *To consider: (1) Problems of the mentally retarded including state out-patient services, assistance to privately operated programs, and other services of the state relating to the mentally retarded; (2) Problems and programs relating to the employment of handicapped persons; and, (3) Identification, education and consultation of gifted children, training of teachers and professional workers in such field, and the development of a long-range program for state services to gifted children.

Senator Fay George Child - Maynard (also c/o Business Incentives, Inc.,
99 Glenwood Ave. N., Minneapolis)

Senator Walter J. Franz - Mountain Lake

Senator Karl F. Grittner - 824 Cherokee, St. Paul

Senator Stanley W. Holmquist - Grove City

Senator Clifford Ukkelberg - Clitherall

Representative Moppy Anderson - Preston

Representative Ernest Beedle - 508 E. Belvidere, St. Paul

Representative Lawrence P. Cunningham - Pipestone

Representative George Wangenstein - Bovey

Representative Curtis B. Warnke - Wood Lake *Chairman*

19 COMMISSION ON MUNICIPAL LAWS (Subd. 2, Sec. 13)
Appropriation \$20,000

PURPOSE *To study: (1) The laws relating to incorporation of cities and villages and the annexation to or detachment of land from cities and villages; (2) The proposed solutions of problems caused by the co-existence of separate government subdivisions and separate districts throughout the state and laws granting special powers to urban towns; (3) Recommendations for changes in the statutes governing such matters; (4) Existing laws relative to contracting for municipal services between political bodies; and, (5) Means of coordinating municipal services with the metropolitan or urban areas containing municipalities with common boundaries.

Senator William B. Dosland - Moorhead
Senator Donald M. Fraser - 813-7th St. SE, Minneapolis 14
Senator Ralph W. Johnson - Isanti
Senator John L. Richardson - St. Cloud
Senator Leslie E. Westin - 2160 Edgerton Rd., St. Paul
Representative Harold R. Anderson - North Mankato
Representative Clarence G. Langley - Red Wing
Representative Richard W. O'Dea - 92 Wildwood Beach Rd., Mahtomedi
Representative Anthony Podgorski - 642 Van Buren, St. Paul
Representative Edward J. Volstad - 3327-25th Ave. S., Minneapolis *Chausman*

20 COMMISSION ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE-EMPLOYER RELATIONS (Subd. 2, Sec. 17)
Appropriation \$11,500

PURPOSE *To study the employee-employer relations and working conditions on a public service level including merit raises, old age counseling service, public pay scales, group insurance system, premium pay for overtime, and fair and equitable mileage allowance for travel.

Senator Ernest J. Anderson - Frost
Senator Henry M. Harren - Albany
Senator Joseph Vadheim - Tyler
Senator Harry L. Wahlstrand - Willmar *Chausman*
Senator Norman J. Walz - Detroit Lakes
Representative Stanley A. Enebo - 3304 E. 25th St., Minneapolis
Representative Peter X. Fugina - Virginia
Representative William B. McKenzie - 45 Tierney Ave., North St. Paul
Representative C. Donald Peterson - 4809 Wilford Way, Minneapolis
Representative Arne C. Wanvick - Duluth

21 PUBLIC RETIREMENT STUDY COMMISSION (Subd. 2, Sec. 9 - continued)
Appropriation \$47,000

PURPOSE To consider the retirement systems and plans available to employees of the State and its various political subdivisions, agencies, governmental corporations, and school districts, their governing laws, management, financial condition, benefits, and federal programs to which public employees are eligible, and related matters.

Senator Fay George Child - Maynard (also c/o Business Incentives, Inc., *Chairman*
99 Glenwood Ave. N., Minneapolis)

Senator H. P. Goodin - 3818 Thomas Ave. N., Minneapolis

Senator Harold Kalina - 115-36th Ave. NE, Minneapolis

Senator John A. Metcalf - 534 Holmes, Shakopee

Senator Harry L. Wahlstrand - Willmar

Representative John M. Fitzgerald - New Prague

Representative Graham Fuller - Ivanhoe

Representative R. N. Nelson - Breckenridge

Representative Glen W. Swenson - Buffalo

Representative Edward J. Volstad - 3327-25th Ave. S., Minneapolis

22 SEAWAY PORT AUTHORITY COMMISSION (Subd. 2, Sec. 1 - continued)
Appropriation \$13,000

PURPOSE *To consider problems in connection with the entire subject of the conservation, protection, and reclamation of publicly owned harbor lands and port facilities and to study the participation in such projects.

Senator Gordon H. Butler - 2410 Branch St., Duluth 12

Senator Robert R. Dunlap - Plainview

Senator Gordon Rosenmeier - Little Falls *Chairman*

Senator Harold W. Schultz - 1176 E. Hawthorne, St. Paul

Senator Donald Sinclair - Stephen

Representative Burnett J. Bergeson - Twin Valley

Representative Jack M. Peterson - Duluth

Representative Edward J. Tomczyk - 1614 N.E. California St., Minneapolis

Representative Roy L. Voxland - Kenyon

Representative Arne C. Wanvick - Duluth

23 STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION (MS 1957, Sec. 3.66-84 - PERMANENT)
Appropriation \$15,000

Senator Homer M. Carr - Proctor

Senator Harold S. Nelson - Owatonna

Senator Arnim O. Sundet - Faribault

Representative Fred H. Huebner - Donnelly

Representative Victor L. Johnson - Lake Bronson

Representative John P. Skeate - 1324 Buchanan St. NE, Minneapolis *Chairman*

24. UPPER MISSISSIPPI RESERVOIR AND MINNESOTA RIVER VALLEY
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

(Subd. 2, Sec. 2 - continued)

Appropriation \$15,000

PURPOSE *(1) To effectuate joint control between state and federal authorities of the Upper Mississippi reservoirs. (2) To advise and consult with the Commissioner of Conservation and others in consideration of appropriate agreements to carry out such controls. (3) To perform and formulate suggested federal and state legislation to perfect joint control. (4) To make a comprehensive, detailed and complete investigation of flood, irrigation, recreational, economic, and development problems in the Minnesota River Valley.

Senator Clifford J. Benson - Ortonville

Senator Val Imm - Mankato *LeBausman*

Senator J. R. Keller - Winona

Senator John A. Metcalf - 534 Holmes, Shakopee

Senator John M. Zwach - Walnut Grove

Representative James L. Adams - 616 E. 19th St., Minneapolis

Representative Odean Enestvedt - Sacred Heart

Representative John M. Fitzgerald - New Prague

Representative George P. Grussing - Clara City

Representative John H. Nordin - Route #1, Bethel

*Summary of provisions of Chapter 82. See Law for detail.

League of Women Voters of Minnesota, 15th & Washington S.E., Minneapolis 14, Minnesota

Luncheon - Legislative Observers, September 14, 1959, Midway YMCA

Present - Dorothy Anderson, Jan Sigford, Lyda Boyer (Roseville), Maxine Piper (Wh. Bear), Beverly Hausker (West St. Paul), Anne Green (Roseville), Louise Kuderling, Mary Mantis, Isabel Tulagin (St. Paul), Mrs. Daniel Meaney (Mahtomedi), Mrs. Edwin Baer (Mahtomedi), Mrs. Frank Steldt (Wh. Bear), Miriam Seltzer (Mpls), Annette Witing, Marjorie Johnson (Roseville), Connie Burchett (Anoka), Vera Pierson (South St. Paul), Mrs. Phillip Bourne (Roseville), Ann Duff & R. William

Mary Mantis started meeting by welcoming observers. Explained difference between interim commission and governor's committee. Said that a letter from the state office will be sent to each interim commission at which we will have an observer, telling who she is, why she is there, etc.

D.A. gave short speech on short notice. Reminded observers that they are public relations representatives of the League. That they should be a source of lot of ideas, esp. for future state program suggestions, mentioned /our getting out something like "Lively Issues" before the next state program suggestions are due from local leagues. We should have a report on the observer program at Council next spring. Then asked the observers present what kind of reporting they themselves want to do. If commission attended is in the field of our state program, it would be helpful for the state chairman to receive reports of items pertinent to the topic.

Louise Kuderling - thought she had been something of a guinea pig as we hadn't visited interim commissions before (she was a faithful visitor at Legis. Interim Commission on Election Laws for over a year). An interim commission compares with a legislative committee that meets during the regular legislative session, same structure with a chairman and secretary who are members of the legislature and a recording secretary who is a member of the office staff. Meetings are held in the same committee rooms at the capitol. Reminded observers that they should get there early for the first meeting, if possible, and introduce themselves to the chairman of the commission even though a letter does go from the state office. Commissions are always anxious to know who is there -- what special interest group. We are not expecting you to venture your opinion on the topics under discussion? They will ask you, sooner or later, what you think. Each time you speak you want to preface it with "the LWV has no position in this field. I am not speaking for the LWV." An observer can give her own personal opinion - she is an interested citizen, but it must be clear to them that you are speaking as an individual, not as a member of the LWV.

MM read list of interim commissions and passed alumni paper for people to sign up for their choices. Explained that the state office will let the observers know when the first meeting of their commission will be held. Hopefully, after attending the first meeting the observer will be put on a mailing list for minutes of the meetings and will therefore know when the next meeting will be. The observer will let the state office know if for some reason she cannot attend the commission meetings for which she signed. The observer should be on time at the meetings even if she has to leave early. Louise explained that the time of meeting will vary according to the makeup of the comm.

DA - the first purpose of the observer system is not the information on the topic you will get -- you are going to observe government in action.

If the observer gets committee minutes, she could write a digest for the report at council. Report to the state resource chairman pertinent remarks that will not appear in the minutes.

1959 INTERIM COMMISSIONS

✓ COMMISSION ON AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS - Chairman,

CAPITOL IMPROVEMENTS COMMISSION - Chairman,

✓ CIVIL WAR & SIOUX INDIAN UPRISING CENTENNIAL COMMISSION - Chairman, Sen. Westin

✓ COUNTY & TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENTS COMMISSION - Chairman, Senator George ✓

- DULUTH & SUPERIOR HARBORS COMMISSION - Chairman,

✓ COMMISSION ON EDUCATION - Chairman, Senator Dunlap ✓ ✓

✓ ELECTION LAWS COMMISSION - Chairman, Senator Erickson ✓ ✓

✓ COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES & FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP - Chairman, Senator Lauerman

✓ COMMISSION ON HIGHWAYS - Chairman, Senator Keller

✓ INDIAN AFFAIRS COMMISSION - Chairman, Rep. Basford

✓ COMMISSION ON TAXATION OF IRON ORE - Chairman,

✓ JUVENILE DELINQUENCY, ADULT CRIME & CORRECTIONS COMMISSION - Chairman, Rep. Prifrel

✓ COMMISSION ON THE PROBLEMS OF MENTALLY RETARDED, HANDICAPPED & GIFTED CHILDREN ✓
Chairman, Rep. Warnke

✓ COMMISSION ON MUNICIPAL LAWS - Chairman, Rep. Volstad

COMMISSION ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE-EMPLOYER RELATIONS - Chairman, Senator Wahlstrand

PUBLIC RETIREMENT STUDY COMMISSION - Chairman, Senator Child

✓ SEAWAY PORT AUTHORITY COMMISSION - Chairman, Senator Rosenmeier

✓ UPPER MISSISSIPPI RESERVOIR & MINN. RIVER VALLEY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION - Chmn, Senator Ingham

Paid

Ca 2-8632

✓ J. H. Paul Beverly Hausker substituting
for Garathy Ingelston
Ca 2-3932

- ✓ Jay Sigford - state Board
✓ Lydia Boyer - Roseville
✓ Mayne Piper - White Bear Lake
✓ Anne Green - Roseville
✓ Louise Ruckelshaus - St. Board
✓ Mary Mantis - ex Legis. Co.
✓ Isabel Tulagin - St. Paul
✓ Mrs. O. Anderson - Mahlomed - off. Bay
✓ Mrs. Daniel Mcaney - Mahlomed
✓ " Edwin Baer - "
✓ Mrs. Frank Stolt - White Bear Lake
✓ Robert Williams - affie
✓ Miriam Seltzer - Mpls.
✓ Annette Whiting - St. Bd.
✓ Mary Jane Johnson - Roseville
✓ Corrie Burchett - Coon Rapids
16 ✓ Mrs. Phillip Bourne - Roseville
✓ Mrs. J. Homer Preison - So. St. Paul

Ann Duff - state Bd.

COMMISSION ON JUVENILE DELINQUENCY,
ADULT CRIME, AND CORRECTIONS

OCT 18 1960

204 State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Minutes of Meeting --- Friday, August 26, 1960

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Joseph Prifrel, Jr., at 9:30 A. M. The roll was called and a quorum was present as follows:

Senators

E. J. Anderson
Harold W. Schultz
Paul A. Thuet
Harry L. Wahlstrand

Representatives

Harold J. Anderson
Jack Fena
Joseph Prifrel
Emil Schaffer

A motion was made, seconded, and carried that the minutes of the last meeting be accepted as presented.

Financing of Driver Training

The first point of discussion was the proposed compulsory driver training bill and the financing thereof. Senator Anderson reported that the Advisory Committee, of which he is chairman, had a meeting on Thursday, August 25th, to discuss the bill and the 2-cent per quart tax on motor vehicle lubricating oil proposed to finance it. The representatives of groups opposing the tax pointed out to the Advisory Committee the difficulties in collecting the tax. The Committee agreed, after consideration, that this would be a difficult tax to collect. Question that it might not be constitutional was raised. In checking on this after the Advisory Committee meeting, Mr. Ellington found out from the Revisor of Statutes that a precedent had been set and the money from a tax on lubricating oil would not be dedicated.

These problems were discussed in detail and the Commission agreed that it should seek other methods of financing driver training. Various sources of revenue were discussed and tentative approval was given, separately and by motion, to the following as possible sources of revenue:

- (1) Charge of \$5.00 at the time the behind-the-wheel driver test is taken.
- (2) Charge of \$5.00 for return of suspended license.
- (3) Charge of \$10.00 for return of license after revocation -- over and above the present fee.
- (4) Additional fee on moving violation fines should be \$1.00 for under \$20; \$3.00 for over \$20 and to \$50; and \$5.00 on \$100.
- (5) Raise the driver's license fee from \$3.00 for 4 years to \$4.00 for 4 years.

There was also a suggestion that the chauffeur's license money be taken from the General Revenue Fund where it now goes and be used for driver training.

All of the above sources of revenue would bring in approximately \$1,200,000 a year. It was estimated that the fund would need about \$1,500,000 a year for \$30 per pupil reimbursement to the schools.

It was further suggested that all of these sources of revenue be taken up with the subcommittee of the Advisory Committee on Financing of Driver Training and a report of their suggestions be made to the Commission for final action on the sources of revenue.

Uniform Recording and Reporting of Delinquencies

Senator Thuest reported on the progress made by the Advisory Committee on Uniform Recording and Reporting of Delinquencies. Mr. Ellingston said that effective collection and use of statistics has been a problem facing the major agencies. A committee was set up at the University of people who have done research in delinquency. This committee, together with the Department of Corrections, the Probation Department of Ramsey County, and the Hennepin County Department of Court Services, have jointly hired a research man and he is coordinating all the statistics. What he has been able to do is push through joint agreement on reporting of both police officers and the juvenile court and probation departments.

Mr. Ellingston introduced Dr. Nathan Mandel who explained how he was going about the work between the agencies. Dr. Mandel explained how uneconomical it was for the agencies to go about accumulating statistics individually. Although a solution to the problem is not easy, a good start is in the central department of crime statistics. He said that a uniform system is fine and all is well as long as all the various agencies and courts agree to it, but if for some reason someone changes his mind then there is no way to assure adherence to the system -- there is no law requiring it. However, Dr. Mandel said that at this point he would not recommend approaching it from the compulsory standpoint but rather to first sell people the idea of the advantages of recording and reporting in a unified manner and then use these same people in developing the law -- make it their law rather than to impose it upon them. Another problem is to gain agreement on terms -- what is meant by "discharge", "probation and parole", etc. Eventually, it is hoped, that with this system a manual can be put out for all the agencies and defining terms and forms and reports. The duplication of forms in a single agency is a tremendous waste alone and a large saving will be effected by having uniform report forms.

Regarding research, Dr. Mandel said it is impossible to proceed properly unless there is reporting that is meaningful. It cannot be said there are so many parolees when the word "parole" is not defined. A problem it is hoped to get at is the inconsistency in sentencing between counties -- where one man gets a certain sentence in one county and another man who is similar in all respects and commits a similar crime gets a much different sentence in another county. Dr. Mandel suggested that the court should refer the man to the adult corrections authority to make a pre-sentence investigation to determine what treatment best fits the individual. Mr. Ellingston said discrepancies in sentencing could be avoided by an indeterminate sentence with the men, except for lifers, being released by the parole board at any time it felt they were ready. Further, the man may not need incarceration and that is where a diagnostic center would come in, such as that now being built for juveniles.

Dr. Mandel said it is planned to do some research to see what the effect is of the probation system put into effect last session -- how do the probationers and parolees work out -- what is the percentage of success.

Senator Thuet agreed that Dr. Mandel should be named to the Advisory Committee on Uniform Recording and Reporting of Delinquencies since the work he is engaged in will help complete the work of that committee.

Revision of the Criminal Law

Senator Schultz called to attention the report before the members of the achievements and activities of the commission, stating that the explanation of the revision is correct. It is hoped to have the revision completed for the 1961 session of the Legislature.

At this point Dr. Mandel told the group that he has been noticing a lot of sentences from 5 to 2 1/2. This actually permits the parole board to take 2 1/2 as the minimum whereas 5 is supposed to be. He questioned what this meant. Mr. Ellingston said that the parole board overrides the minimum except for lifers -- while the court or the law says 1 to 5, this does not mean anything, because the parole board has the power to release when they think the man is ready.

Uniform Traffic Ticket

Mr. Ellingston reported that the Advisory Committee has come up with a uniform traffic ticket. Final refining is being done and it will be presented to the commission at a later date. It spells out in very simple detail precisely the offenses and conditions. It is a very simple and efficient form patterned after the St. Paul ticket. It will give the essential details of the accident with a minimum of judgment on the part of the officer.

Mr. Ellingston said this may not need legislation. This is something that might be done by court order but it will have to be investigated further. A uniform traffic ticket will be a tremendous advance in terms of equal justice to all traffic offenders in the state. It is planned that a manual will be sent out with the ticket to educate all the law enforcement officers as to the use and value of the ticket. This will give equality of arresting procedure and, hopefully, through the manual there will be some equality of court disposition. Municipal judges now have an agreed upon standard form of sentencing and it is hoped to spread this to all the justices of the peace. There is one problem and that is that Duluth has installed equipment that will not handle the uniform ticket but it is felt that the goal would eventually justify the need for changing the equipment.

Jobs for Youth

Mr. Ellingston said that this is the hardest job the commission tackled and the least has been done on it. It turns out to be such a complex problem that requires vast and intensive study in order to prepare a complete analysis of all aspects of the problem. This analysis will be completed and at least presented to the Advisory Committee before the end of the year. This seems a

problem that requires a long and concentrated investigation, for which there has not been time this interim.

Mr. Ellingston explained briefly some of the phases of the problem that fall within the scope of the schools, such as the school-work program for the low I.Q. student, etc.

There was considerable discussion on the problem of job shortages in Minnesota -- not only for juveniles and young adults but also for the older adults -- this problem is particularly felt on the Iron Range where the economy largely depends upon the steel production and that has been down 50% this last year.

It was felt generally that the problem of jobs for girls is less since there are many areas that their services are still needed. Jobs for boys are much more difficult to find. In many places they are filling jobs with girls or older women where they used to have boys.

Report on Huber Act

Mr. Ellingston gave a brief report on the information compiled from the questionnaires on the Huber Act which were sent out to all law enforcement officers and municipal and district court judges in the state. The material was compiled by two graduate students of the Criminal Law Seminar conducted by Professors Pirsig and Ellingston. The results are very encouraging. The greatest use of this act has been in Minneapolis. In 1957 the Minneapolis Workhouse had 20 offenders sentenced under the Huber Act, 72 in 1958, and 466 in 1959. Those convicted are largely of drunken driving.

The issue was raised as to whether this act was any punishment at all and it was pointed out by different members that those who have been sentenced under the Huber Act have felt that it was a great hardship to go through but they were most grateful for the opportunity to continue on their jobs. An offender who was placed on the Huber Act and then went out after his term was up and got himself into difficulty again would not be likely to get the sentence under the Huber Act a second time -- the judge would probably not feel they were entitled to it. The fact that the use of this Act relieves what could be a great hardship on families of offenders is a strong point in arguing for its use.

Mr. Ellingston pointed out that in terms of the economic value to society here, the Minneapolis Workhouse Superintendent said that the use of this law has saved the city of Minneapolis the need for building an additional building at the workhouse which would have cost in the neighborhood of a million dollars. Minneapolis had \$27,000 paid back by these offenders for their keep on this Act. Besides that, their families were not forced to go on relief in order to live.

The rural areas do not have the opportunity to use the law as much as the metropolitan counties but it is used wherever it seems possible and many areas expressed they would use it if they had the facilities.

The success of the law depends on its administration and that on the judgment of the judge.

Legislation Passed Last Session

Mr. Ellingston reminded the members that the Commission was responsible for the passage of two pieces of legislation -- the probation bill and the bill providing for the Department of Corrections -- and had a share in passage of the juvenile court code. He said that inevitably there would be bugs in such bills which show up after they have been in operation for a time. Amendments to these laws will be presented to the Commission for their consideration at a future meeting.

Other Business

The financial report of the Commission was read and approved.

There was discussion as to the estimated cost of the final report. Senator Wahlstrand suggested that Church Lithographers be contacted because they seem to be giving a very good bid for printing of the Employer-Employee Relations Commission's report.

There was discussion as to the next meeting of the Commission. Mr. Fena expressed hope that the Commission could hold a hearing in Hibbing because of the severe economic problem suffered there by both adults and children.

The date for the next meeting was set at September 16, 1960 at Shakopee at 9 A. M. The members would tour the institution in the morning and Mr. Turnbladh would appear in a brief business meeting to present the proposal for establishment of CCC-type camps for youth and the Department of Corrections program to be submitted to the 1961 Legislature.

Thereupon the meeting adjourned.

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COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES AND FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

September 21, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FOREST RESOURCES COMMISSION

The next meeting of the commission will be held at 9:30 a. m.
on Friday, September 30, 1960 in Room 113 of the State Capitol.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card
whether or not you will attend.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
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Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS COMMISSION

September 13, 1960

State Capitol

St. Paul, Minnesota

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The Commission on Agricultural Problems will meet on Friday, September 30, 1960, in Room 28 at 8:30 a. m. at the St. Paul Capitol.

Because there are a large number of persons to contact and most of whom are aware of the work of the Commission regarding their own field this will be the only notice and invitation that will be extended to most persons.

Please take note of the following agenda for the item and time that applies to you.

8:30 a. m.	Bee Keepers (by request, concerning repeal of licensing provision).
9:00 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.	Mr. Pete Stallcop, Executive Secretary Northwest Country Elevator Association; Mr. Lloyd Nelson, Minnesota Farmers Elevator Association, Grain Exchange; Mr. S. B. Hviding, Peavey Elevator Association, Grain Exchange, and Mr. Alvin W. Donahoo, Secretary, Minneapolis Grain Exchange, relating to increase in terminal charges and abolition of State Board of Appeals.
10:30 a. m. to 12:00 noon	Grain Bank Proposed Legislation.
1:30 a. m.	Hearing on State and County Fairs.
5:00 a. m.	Dan Carlson, Ice Cream Manufacturers
3:30 a. m.	Meat Inspection Proposed Bill.

COMMISSION ON MUNICIPAL LAWS

OCT 3 1960

State Capitol
Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

September 28, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

It is necessary to set the October meeting of the Commission on Municipal Laws for Wednesday, October 19, 1960 at 9:30 a.m., in Room 28 of the State Capitol.

Meantime, a committee of professional planners constituting the planning committee of the League of Municipalities is working with me on the recodification and revision of all of the laws relating to planning and zoning in Minnesota. I met with them last week and we have an all day work session scheduled for Friday, September 30th.

The League of Municipalities is scheduling discussion of the proposed Twin Cities Service District for sewer and water at the annual fall league meetings in the metropolitan area, including the one at Hopkins tonight.

The Village Council of Bloomington adopted a very significant resolution at its September 19th meeting. I have a letter from Raymond T. Olsen, Village Manager, which says: "The Village Council approved the principles of a metropolitan service district. The Council, however, reserves judgment upon detailed principles until it receives a draft of the proposed legislation." This may be a very important break through.

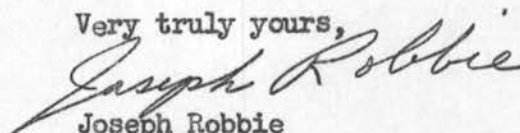
Conferences are being held with the State Department of Health with respect to needed new laws relating to drilling of shallow wells and protecting health standards.

We are also drawing the legislative proposals for necessary amendments to the Minnesota Municipal Act, MSA Chapter 414, which contains the new municipal incorporation and annexation code.

I will keep you informed.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please return the enclosed card indicating whether or not you can attend the October 19th meeting.

Very truly yours,



Joseph Robbie
Executive Secretary

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OCT 5 1960

COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES AND FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP
State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota
October 3, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FOREST RESOURCES COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the commission will be held at 9:30 a. m.
on Friday, October 14, 1960, in Room 113 of the State Capitol.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card
whether or not you will attend.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
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Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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TO: J. Magnuson

FROM: Roberta Williams

SUBJECT Meeting

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

15th and WASHINGTON AVES. S.E.
MINNEAPOLIS 14, MINNESOTA

DATE

10/5/60

Tried to call you just now but the lady said you would not be back until noon,
at which time I'll probably be eating lunch and this afternoon we have a meeting.
Sooooo, better I write. The next meeting of the Forest Resources Commission:

October 14, 1960 in Room 113 of the State Capitol
at 9:30 a.m.

DEC 21 1960

COMMISSION ON EDUCATION
State Capitol
St. Paul, Minnesota

December 20, 1960

NOTICE OF MEETING

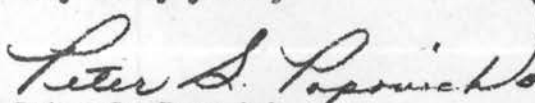
TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

This is to notify you that the next and last meeting of the Interim Commission on Education is scheduled for Thursday, December 29, 1960 in Room 28, State Capitol, beginning at 10:00 A.M.

The time will be spent in discussing recommendations for the final report.

Commission members kindly indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend. It is hoped we can have a 100% attendance.

Very truly yours,


Peter S. Popovich
Secretary

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DEC 9 1960

COMMISSION ON THE PROBLEMS OF MENTALLY RETARDED,
HANDICAPPED AND GIFTED CHILDREN

State Capitol

St. Paul 1, Minnesota

December 8, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the Commission on the Problems of the Mentally Retarded, Handicapped and Gifted Children will meet on Friday, December 16, 1960, beginning PROMPTLY at 10:00 A.M. in Room 28 of the State Capitol.

All members of the Commission are urged to be present in order to **approve** the final report so that it can be sent to the printer.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Mappy Anderson
Mappy Anderson,
Secretary

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DEC 8 1960

COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES AND FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP
State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

December 6, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FOREST RESOURCES COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the Commission will be held at 9:30 a. m.
on Friday and Saturday, December 16th and 17th, in Room 3 of the
State Capitol. The commission report will be discussed.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card
whether or not you will attend.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
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Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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DEC 5 1960

PUBLIC RETIREMENT STUDY COMMISSION
236 STATE CAPITOL
Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

December 2, 1960

N O T I C E O F M E E T I N G

The next regular meeting of the Public Retirement Study Commission will be held on Thursday and Friday, December 8th and 9th, commencing at 9:30 a.m., in Room 236, State Capitol.

The committee will review material and findings of the past year and a half with a view to arriving at decisions for the committee's report.

H. P. Goodin, Secretary

NOV 30 1960

COMMISSION ON JUVENILE DELINQUENCY,
ADULT CRIME, AND CORRECTIONS

204 State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

November 29, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the Commission has been set for two days, Friday and Saturday, December 9th and 10th, at our office in the State Capitol, Room 204, at 9 A. M.

At our last meeting on November 21st we were handicapped by lack of a quorum and we urgently need the participation of all members so that we can complete the many things that have to be done before the Session begins.

The problem that took so much time was discussion and action on proposed amendments to the juvenile court code and these will be subject to decision by the full Commission at this coming meeting. However, the agenda on Friday morning will begin with a presentation of the needs of the Department of Corrections. Following that will be discussion of and final action on methods of financing driver training for all youth. The proposed revision of the juvenile court code and of the juvenile probation act will be taken up as soon as this major business is out of the way.

Will you let us know on the enclosed card whether we may expect you. Your presence at this meeting is really urgently required.

The Commission's Advisory Committee on Jobs for Youth is holding a two-day meeting at the State Capitol on December 5th and 6th. For those who were not at the meeting on November 21st, a copy of some of the material prepared for that meeting is enclosed. The Advisory Committee represents all parts of the state and the discussion promises to be interesting. If you plan to come would you let Mr. Ellington know.

Sincerely yours,

Harold J. Anderson
Harold J. Anderson B.
Secretary

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NOV 29 1960

COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENTS COMMISSION

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

November 28, 1960

There will be a meeting of the County and Township Governments Commission at 10:00 a.m. on December 14, 1960, in Room 3, State Capitol.

At this meeting, the Commission will review a preliminary draft of its report.

Rudolph Hanson,
Secretary

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NOV 21 1960

COMMISSION ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE-EMPLOYER
RELATIONS

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minn.

November 18, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The next meeting of the Commission on Public Employee-Employer Relations has been scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 1st, 2nd and 3rd, in Rooms 231-2 of the State Capitol at 9:00 A. M.

Mr. Thomas Johnson, Research Analyst for the commission has indicated he will have prepared for the consideration of the commission preliminary draft of various phases of the report.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Norman J. Walz
Norman J. Walz, Secretary

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NOV 17 1960

COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES AND FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP
State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

November 15, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FOREST RESOURCES COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the commission will be held at 9:30 a. m.
on Friday and Saturday, November 25th and 26th, in Room 3 of the
State Capitol. The commission report will be discussed.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card
whether or not you will attend.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
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Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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NOV 16 1960

INDIAN AFFAIRS COMMISSION

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

November 14, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

Representative Harry Basford, Chairman, has requested that I notify you that the next meeting of the Indian Affairs Commission will be held on Friday, November 18, 1960 at 2:00 P.M. in Room 28 of the State Capitol.

Matters on the agenda will be:

1. Relief of Distress Contract and its effect on the Red Lake Band.
2. Extra Session Laws of 1959, Chapter 1, and its effect on Indian Lands.
3. Nett Lake Medical Care Program.
4. Discussion of Final Report.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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cc: Representative D. D. Wozniak
Mr. Roger Headley
Mr. Ove Wangenstein

NOV 5 1960

PUBLIC RETIREMENT STUDY COMMISSION

236 STATE CAPITOL

Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

November 10, 1960

N O T I C E O F M E E T I N G

The next regular meeting of the Public Retirement Study Commission will be held on Thursday and Friday, November 17th and 18th, commencing at 9:00 a.m., in room 236, State Capitol.

The committee will review material and findings of the past year and a half with a view to arriving at decisions for the committee's report.

H. P. Goodin, Secretary

Notice of Meeting

NOV 14 1960

COMMISSION ON JUVENILE DELINQUENCY, ADULT CRIME, AND CORRECTIONS

204 State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

November 10, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION;

The next meeting of the Commission will be held on Monday, November 21st at 9 A. M. in Room 204 of the State Capitol.

We shall be discussing proposed amendments to the juvenile court code, including the juvenile traffic code, and to the juvenile probation act, both of which were adopted in 1959. There will be some law enforcement representatives as well as juvenile court judges and probation officers expressing dissenting opinions on certain proposals.

It is hoped the Commission can conclude its discussion on proposals to finance driver training for youth. Some informed witnesses will be present.

Will you please let us know whether we may expect you on the enclosed postcard?

Sincerely yours,

Harold J. Anderson
Harold J. Anderson B,
Secretary

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Enclosure

NOV 8 1960

COMMISSION ON AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS

November 7, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The Commission on Agricultural Problems will hold a meeting on November 14, 1960, at 9:00 a. m., in Room 113 of the State Capitol, St. Paul, Minnesota.

The caucus meeting dates for House members have not been established. In the event that they are held on November 14th the Commission will meet on Tuesday, November 15th. If there is a conflict, I will notify you of any changes, if time permits.

Please indicate on the enclosed card, if you will attend the meeting.

Sincerely yours,

Richard W. Fitzsimons
Richard W. Fitzsimons
Secretary

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NOV 2 1960

SEAWAY PORT AUTHORITY COMMISSION

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

November 1, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the Seaway Port Authority Commission will be held on Friday, November 11, 1960 at 10:00 A.M. in Room 113 of the State Capitol.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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OCT 27 1960

COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENTS COMMISSION

STATE CAPITOL
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

October 26, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The County and Township Governments Commission will meet at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, November 3rd, in Room 113, State Capitol. During the morning the Commission will continue its work in preparation of the final report.

The afternoon session will start at 1:00 at which time there will be a special hearing on the subject of changing the date of property assessment from May 1 to January 1. They will consider also the possibility of adopting an average annual inventory in connection with this change in assessment date. Representatives from the following groups have been invited to appear at the afternoon session: State Tax Commissioner, State Assn. of Assessing Officers, County Commissioner's Association, State Auditor's Association, Township Officer's Association, League of Minnesota Municipalities, and Revisor of Statutes.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Hanson

Rudolph Hanson
Secretary

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OCT 21 1960

ELECTION LAWS COMMISSION

State Capitol
Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

October 20, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

Due to unforeseen circumstances the meeting of the Election Laws Commission originally scheduled for Thursday, October 20, 1960 was cancelled. On contacting the members of the commission, the majority have indicated they would be able to meet on Friday, October 28th, 1960. Therefore, the next meeting of the commission has been set by the Chairman for FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1960 at 9:00 A.M. in Room 28 of the State Capitol.

The order of business for this meeting will be the same as originally set for the October 20th meeting, that is, the study of the problems relative to election contests and consideration of proposals for revising this chapter.

As previously advised Justice Oscar B. Knutson of the Supreme Court has consented to appear before the commission to discuss these problems. It is important that all commission members make a special effort to attend this meeting.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Because of the shortness of time, will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will attend and return the card immediately. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Paul D. McRoberts
Executive Secretary

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OCT 13 1960

SEAWAY PORT AUTHORITY COMMISSION

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

October 10, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

Senator Rosenmeier, Chairman, has requested that I call a meeting of the Seaway Port Authority Commission for Wednesday, October 19th. The meeting will be held in Duluth beginning at 9:00 A.M. I am writing Mr. Robert Morris, of the Chamber of Commerce, for a room in which to hold our meeting, and I am sure that he will be able to accommodate us.

It is expected that the Port Authority of Duluth will present their request for legislation at this meeting, and you are urged to be present.

Please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary
SEAWAY PORT AUTHORITY COMMISSION

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OCT 11 1960

COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENTS COMMISSION

STATE CAPITOL
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

October 10, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The County and Township Governments Commission will meet at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 20, in Room 28, State Capitol.

The purpose of the meeting will be to continue work on the final report.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Hanson
Rudolph Hanson
Secretary

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COMMISSION ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE-EMPLOYER
RELATIONS

State Capitol
Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

October 10, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The next meeting of the Commission on Public Employee-Employer Relations will be held on Friday and Saturday, October 21 and 22, 1960, in Rooms 231-2 State Capitol, at 9:00 a.m.

I hope members of the commission will make every effort to be present.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Norman J. Walz
Norman J. Walz
Secretary

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OCT 11 1960

ELECTION LAWS COMMISSION

State Capitol
Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

October 10, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The next meeting of the Election Laws Commission will be held on Thursday, October 20, 1960, at 9:00 a.m., in Room 113 of the State Capitol.

The purpose of this meeting is to study the problems relative to election contests, and to consider proposals for revising this chapter.

Justice Oscar B. Knutson of the Supreme Court has consented to appear before the commission to discuss these problems. It should be noted that some recent decisions of the Supreme Court have called the legislature's attention to certain failures in the election contest law. Justice Knutson, in writing the opinion in PHILLIPS v. ERICSON 248 Minn. 452; 80 NW (2d) 513, reviewed all of the prior laws and court decisions relating to this subject and is, therefore, most qualified to speak on the subject. Justice Knutson is scheduled to appear at 10:00 a.m.

I hope that all commission members will make a special effort to attend this very important meeting.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Paul D. McRoberts
Executive Secretary

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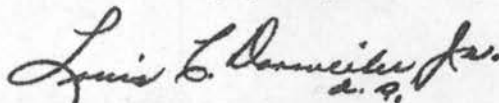
COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES AND FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP
State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota
October 19, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FOREST RESOURCES COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the commission will be held at 9:30 a. m.
on Friday and Saturday, October 28 and 29, 1960, in Room 113 of
the State Capitol.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card
whether or not you will attend.

Very truly yours,



Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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SEP 21 1960

COMMISSION ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE-EMPLOYER RELATIONS

231-232 State Capitol
Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

September 19, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The next meeting of the Commission on Public Employee-Employer Relations will meet at 9:00 A.M. on Thursday and Friday, September 29 and 30, 1960, in Rooms 231 and 232 of the State Capitol.

The main purpose of this meeting is to have the subcommittees meet and work on their reports.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Norman Walz
Norman Walz
Secretary

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SEP 22 1960

PUBLIC RETIREMENT STUDY COMMISSION

236 STATE CAPITOL

Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

September 19, 1960

N O T I C E O F M E E T I N G

The next regular meeting of the Public Retirement Study Commission will be held on Thursday and Friday, September 22-23, 1960, commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon of each day, for the purpose of considering staff reports, laid-over material, and such other business and correspondence as may properly come before the meeting.

H. P. Goodin, Secretary

SEP 20 1960

COMMISSION ON THE PROBLEMS OF MENTALLY RETARDED,
HANDICAPPED AND GIFTED CHILDREN

State Capitol

St. Paul 1, Minnesota

September 19, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION AND GIFTED SUBCOMMITTEE:

The next meeting of the Commission on the Problems of the Mentally Retarded, Handicapped and Gifted Children will meet on Friday, September 30, 1960, beginning PROMPTLY at 10:00 A.M. in Room 3 of the State Capitol. The report of the Subcommittee of the Gifted will be discussed. Also the committee will decide on just how they intend to handle the final report.

THE GIFTED SUBCOMMITTEE WILL HOLD ITS MEETING AT 9:30 A.M. IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE FULL COMMISSION MEETING.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Mappy Anderson
Mappy Anderson,
Secretary

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SEP 14 1960

COMMISSION ON HIGHWAYS

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

September 13, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the Commission on Highways will be held on Tuesday, September 20, 1960, beginning at 10:00 A.M. in Room 113 of the State Capitol. The agenda for this meeting includes the following:

(1) 10:00 A.M. Discussion of the Booz-Allen & Hamilton contract with the Department of Highways by the Honorable Stafford King, the Honorable Walter Mondale, Commissioner Arthur Naftalin, Deputy Commissioner Frank Marzitelli, Mr. Eugene Smith and Mr. Ingram Morehouse.

(2) 11:30 A. M. Statement regarding the acquisition of highway right of way by the Honorable Walter Mondale.

(3) 1:30 P.M. Review of the Department of Highways overtime policy.

(4) 2:30 P.M. Review of the Department of Highways policy of selecting surface types for the trunk highways by Mr. John Swanberg.

COMMISSION MEMBERS:

Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting and return it to this office.

Very truly yours,



Gerald H. Swanson
Executive Secretary

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Encl.

SEP 13 1960

ELECTION LAWS COMMISSION

State Capitol
St. Paul, Minn.

September 12, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The next meeting of the Election Laws Commission will be held on Thursday, September 22nd, at 9:30 A. M. in room 113 of the State Capitol.

The purpose of the meeting will be to continue consideration of the chapter of the Election Laws pertaining to absentee voters as well as other matters.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Yours very truly,

Paul D. McRoberts
Executive Secretary 9.

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JUN 1 1960

COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES AND FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

May 31, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

Will you please indicate on the enclosed addressed card, whether or not you will attend the meeting of the Commission on Forest Resources and Forest Land Ownership at International Falls on June 10th and 11th.

Mr. Chilgren is making reservations at the International Motel, and the card should be returned to him as soon as possible.

It is expected that the committee will assemble at the Motel at 8:30 a. m. on Friday for an hour and a half tour of pulpwood loading, manufacture of insulation board, etc., with the formal meeting scheduled at 10 a. m. The meeting will be held at the Community Building. It is expected that the committee will continue Saturday morning, adjourning at 11 a. m. for the trip to Kettle Falls.

Mr. Lawson of the Forestry Division plans to have two boats available - one leaving from Black Bay on Rainy Lake and the other from Gappy's Landing on Lake Kabetogama, those going to Kettle Falls from Black Bay will return on the boat to Gappy's Landing and vice-versa, which will give all members of the commission an opportunity to see the Kabetogama Peninsula.

If there is any future developments, I will inform you.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Derweiler, Jr.
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Louis C. Derweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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SEP 7 1960

CIVIL WAR AND SIOUX UPRISING CENTENNIAL COMMISSION

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

September 6, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the Civil War and Sioux Uprising Centennial Commission will be held on Thursday, September 15, 1960 at 3:00 P.M. in Room 113 of the State Capitol.

You are urged to be present as this will be an important meeting. The Commission will review recommendations of the State committees and approve the budget.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.

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Director of Research
LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMITTEE

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AUG 31 1960

COMMISSION ON FOREST RESOURCES AND FOREST LAND OWNERSHIP

State Capitol
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

August 30, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FOREST RESOURCES COMMISSION:

The next meeting of the commission will be held at 9:30 a. m.
on Friday, September 9, 1960 in Room 113 of the State Capitol.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card
whether or not you will attend.

Very truly yours,

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.

Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Executive Secretary

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AUG 31 1960

COMMISSION ON THE PROBLEMS OF MENTALLY RETARDED,
HANDICAPPED AND GIFTED CHILDREN

State Capitol

St. Paul 1, Minnesota

August 30, 1960

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION AND SUBCOMMITTEES:

The next meeting of the Commission on the Problems of the Mentally Retarded, Handicapped and Gifted Children will meet on Friday, September 9th, 1960, beginning PROMPTLY at 10:00 A.M. in Room 3 of the State Capitol. THE SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE GIFTED TOGETHER WITH THE FULL COMMISSION will also hear MRS. MARY PILCH at 11:00 at this meeting.

The AGENDA of the meeting is as follows:

10:00 Report of the Subcommittee on the Employment of the Handicapped.

11:00 Mrs. Mary Pilch and the Report of the Gifted Research Project.

The afternoon session will be devoted to the unfinished work of the morning session and the Report of the Subcommittee on the Retarded.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Mopsy Anderson
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Secretary.

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AUG 29 1960

PUBLIC RETIREMENT STUDY COMMISSION


236 STATE CAPITOL

Saint Paul 1, Minnesota

August 26, 1960

N O T I C E O F M E E T I N G

The next regular meeting of the Public Retirement Study Commission will be held on Thursday, September 1, 1960, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, in Room 236, State Capitol, for the purpose of considering staff reports, laid-over material, and such other business and correspondence as may properly come before the meeting.


H. P. Goodin, Secretary

AUG 26 1960

COMMISSION ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE-EMPLOYER
RELATIONS

State Capitol
St. Paul, Minn.

August 22, 1960

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS:

The next meeting of the Commission on Public Employee-Employer Relations will be held on Thursday and Friday, September 1st and 2nd, 1960, Rooms 231-2, State Capitol, 9:00 A. M.

It is important all members of the commission be present so that the sub-committees can meet and complete work on the problems submitted for study and consideration, and prepare recommendations to be presented to the commission as a whole.

COMMISSION MEMBERS: Please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,

Norman J. Walz
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Secretary *g. J.*

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No. 110

LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMITTEE

109 STATE CAPITOL
ST. PAUL 1, MINNESOTA

April 20, 1960

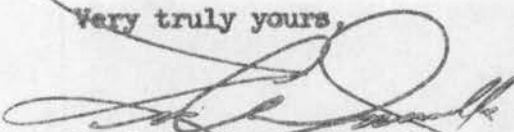
TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE L.R.C. SUBCOMMITTEE STUDYING THE SPREAD
OF RETAIL GASOLINE PRICES ON THE IRON RANGE AND OTHER AREAS
OF THE STATE:

The next meeting of the Legislative Research Committee Subcommittee studying the spread of retail gasoline prices on the Iron Range and other areas of the state will be held on Friday, April 29, 1960 at 9:30 A.M. in Room 113 of the State Capitol.

Mr. James W. Clark, Commissioner of the Department of Business Development, Mr. Pete Jokull, Director of the Petroleum Division, and representatives of the Attorney General's Office, have been requested to be present to discuss means of eliminating fraudulent advertizing in the sale of petroleum products and the enforcement of statutes providing for a percentage of markup over cost. Mr. H. K. Franklin, representing the Petroleum Retailers Conference, and Mr. W. H. Pearson, representing the Independent Oil Men's Association, were also requested to attend this meeting. Other members of the industry are invited to be present.

SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS: Will you please indicate on the enclosed card whether or not you will be able to attend this meeting.

Very truly yours,



Louis C. Dorweiler, Jr.
Director of Research

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