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Appointed and commissioned Mrs. Mabel M. Hall of Scott County, Davenport, a member of the Commission for the Blind for the term of two years commencing July 1, 1929.

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Received and transmitted to the Printing Board Part 1 of the Fifteenth Annual Report of the Iowa State Highway Commission.

Approved the transfer of \$500 from the appropriation for Salaries and Wages of the Department of Agriculture to the appropriation for Support, Economics and Sociology Division of the State Library as requested by W. C. Merckens, Secretary of the Executive Council.

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Approved resolution of Board of Control of State Institutions ordering Homer Smith, Guard at the Men's Reformatory, Anamosa, to go to Warsaw, Missouri, to receive from the authorities there one Ross Pardoe, #11242, who escaped from Backbone State Park, August 31, 1926, and return him to the Reformatory to serve out the remainder of his term. Said trip, with written approval of the Governor, to be borne by the State of Iowa.

E. J. Hines, Secretary
Board of Control of State Institutions.

The foregoing resolution approved the 14th day of January, A. D. 1929.

Received the following committees of the 43rd General Assembly:

A committee from the Senate, composed of Senators Klemme of Winneshiek, Bennett of Monona and McDonald of Cherokee which appeared to notify the Governor the Senate is duly organized and ready for business.

A committee from the House of Representatives, composed of Representatives Nelson of Hancock, McCreery of Linn and Sass of Woodbury which appeared to notify the Governor that the House is duly organized and ready to receive any communication that he may desire to transmit.

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Received and accepted the resignation of Homer A. Miller of Polk County, Des Moines, as a member of the State Banking Board effective January 15, 1929.

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Received a committee consisting of Senator Bergman of Jasper on the part of the Senate, and Representatives Pendray of Jackson and Nelson of Hancock, on the part of the House which appeared to notify the Governor that the joint convention is in session and to extend an invitation to him to appear before the body for the purpose of reading his Biennial Message. The committee escorted the Governor to the Speaker's Desk and the President of the Joint Convention presented Governor John Hammill who read the following BIENNIAL MESSAGE:

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

Under the provisions of Chapter 28, Section 445, Code of Iowa, 1927, the following named officers are appointed on the Staff of the Commander-in-Chief, with the grades set opposite their respective names:

Brig. Gen. Winfred H. Bailey, the Adjutant General Chief of Staff
Lt. Col. Charles H. Grahl, Asst. Adjutant General-- Asst. Chief of Staff.

AIDES

John C. Loper	Marshalltown	Colonel
Charles J. Wilson	Washington	Colonel
George A. Bemis	Garner	Lt. Colonel
Hugh Geiger	Minden	Lt. Colonel
Frank Wenig	Spencer	Lt. Colonel
E. E. Stoup	Oelwein	Lt. Colonel
O.S. VonKrog	Eldora	Lt. Colonel
William J. O'Connell	Des Moines	Lt. Colonel
Oley Nelson	Stanhope	Lt. Colonel
J.M. McNamara	Des Moines	Lt. Colonel
Dale A. Griswold	Des Moines	Lt. Colonel
Robert J. Shaw	Sigourney	Lt. Colonel
Rex H. Fowler	Des Moines	Lt. Colonel

2. Captain Horace F. Wulf, 133rd Inf. I.N.G., is, in addition to his other duties, detailed to the personal staff of the Commander-in-Chief as Acting Aide.