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THE NEBRASKA SCENE

(By The Lowell Service)

Lincoln—In ruling the name of William A. Burkett off the primary ballot as a republican candidate for Congress in the First district, the Supreme court has added another barricade that protects the salaries, emoluments, and perquisites of office in Nebraska. Mr. Burkett filed a statement with the secretary of state, when he submitted his nominating petition, declaring that he would not take salary until the federal budget was balanced. He asserted that he meant to put a stop to "wanton spending." The Supreme court, in an opinion by Justice Carter, asserts that this pledge amounts to bribery of the electorate.

Mr. Burkett said he intended to appeal to the United States Supreme court for review. "I want to remove that stigma of bribery," he said, "because that is something that could follow me all my life. I am sincere in my desire to serve my country. It is time that officials should be required to show results before being allowed to enjoy lavish salaries." He is 26 years of age, and a nephew of the late Elmer J. Burkett, who served as First district congressman and as United States senator.

"An enlightened public policy," declared Judge Carter, "requires that candidates in this country be elected on a basis of fitness for the office, and not on that of bargain and sale. To permit elections to go to the highest bidder would open the doors of our public offices to the worst type of corruptive influences. Our elections must express the free, intelligent, and unbiased judgment and choice of the electors, uninfluenced by pecuniary offers of candidates. If free government is to continue to exist. The good faith of the realtor (Burkett) and his willingness to purge himself by a withdrawal of the statement cannot therefore be treated as a defense."

Referring to the argument of Burkett's attorneys that the defendant was not a candidate when he made the offer of free service, Justice Carter said: "In my opinion, a person becomes a candidate for an office when he announces that he will seek election to that office."

The party organizations, the courts, incumbents in office, and the representatives of taxpayers' organizations are agreed on the policy of fortifying the privileges of public office. As noted in this column the taxpayers' groups, column through their representatives at Lincoln, have opposed or shown indifference to the following:

- 1. Abolition of State offices, bureaus, and commissions, or reductions in stipends or expenses of officials at the state house.
2. Any increase in the valuations of the public utilities or other private interests by the state board of equalization.
3. The methods pursued by the state board of educational lands

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and funds, Nebraska's most important custodian of trust funds.

4. The alleged carelessness in leasing school lands.

5. The overdraft in the general fund.

In a recent statement, Hugh Ashmore of Palisade, speaking on behalf of the taxpayers' groups, urged that all forms of assistance be studied. In the last session of the taxpayers' federation in Lincoln, the time was almost wholly taken up in a study of county expenditures. Suggestions that expenses at the state house might be curtailed were ignored.

The Burkett and Copeland election contests have delayed the printing of ballots by county clerks. Application for an absent voter's ballot may be made thirty days before an election, which this year will be April 9.

Applications for mail ballots are now pouring in on the county clerks of the larger counties. These requests will be honored as soon as the ballots are received. The ballot must be postmarked not later than 8 p. m. on primary or election day. In both Omaha and Lincoln, a number of voters called for ballots, and the county clerks explained the situation. Some of the voters said they would be taking trips that precluded the possibility of receiving mail.

"I can't see why it's a crime to regret, vocally, the lack of a job!" So declared an unemployed man, as, reluctantly, at police insistence, he moved away from the entrance to the state WPA office, along with a number of other jobless men and women. The group came down in trucks from Omaha Tuesday afternoon, about fifty strong, and began to picket WPA headquarters, carrying placards. Police dispersed the crowd, telling them that picketing is illegal.

BRIEFLY STATED

Mr. and Mrs. Ira H. Moss, daughters, Suzanne and Sarah Lou, and George Hammond returned from Omaha on Friday, where they spent a few days visiting relatives and friends.

Ivan and Leone French left Tuesday to resume their studies at the University of Nebraska, after spending the holidays here with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. W. French.

Miss Roberta Arbuthnot, of Omaha, spent the week-end in O'Neill, visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Arbuthnot and with other relatives and friends here.

Miss Harlette Hammond left Sunday to resume her studies at Iowa State, Ames, Iowa, after spending the past week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrance Morrison and daughter left Sunday for their home at Anamosa, Iowa, after spending the Easter week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Morrison.

E. P. Gaines, State Manager of the Mortgage Loan Division and

Political Advertisement

To The Voters of the Second District

I am a candidate for Supervisor on the Republican ticket for the Second District, and as I do not have time to make an extensive campaign, I am taking this means of soliciting your support. I am 41 years of age, a World War veteran and a life-long resident of the county. I have lived all but four years of my life in the Second District. If nominated and elected, I feel that I can and will conduct the affairs of the office in a fair and impartial manner.

A. L. BORG

Earl Jorgensen, Branch Manager of the Fire Division of the Travelers Insurance Company, of Omaha, were in O'Neill Wednesday on business.

Watch this paper next week for the New Delco Power Plant Announcement. 46-1

Mrs. J. P. Brown and Mrs. W. H. Harty left Wednesday morning for a few days visit in Omaha.

Bill Schroeder returned Tuesday night from a short trip to Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Horn, of Ainsworth, spent Sunday in O'Neill visiting friends.

Mrs. Catherine Coleman left Friday for Omaha, where she spent the week-end visiting relatives.

Bob Clift left Tuesday, for Lincoln, after spending the Easter vacation here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dunkerly spent the week end visiting relatives at Bloomfield, Nebraska.

This paper next week will carry announcements of the New Delco Power Plant. 46-1

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walling left Tuesday morning for Omaha, on a business trip.

Miss Luree Abart returned Sunday evening from North Platte, where she was bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Bethene Funk.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Cronin of Grand Island spent the Easter week end in O'Neill visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Angester and son, Billy Dean, of Omaha, spent the week-end in O'Neill, visiting at the home of Mrs. Teresa Connolly.

Mrs. A. M. King returned Saturday from Sioux City, where she spent a few days receiving medical treatment in St. Vincent's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Johnson and daughter spent Easter Sunday in Omaha, visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Louise O'Donnell arrived Thursday from Omaha to spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. O'Donnell.

The New Delco Power Plant announcement will be made next week in this paper. 46-1

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armbruster and son Bobbie, spent Easter in Norfolk visiting at the home of Mrs. Armbruster's parents.

F. J. Biglin and daughter, Jean, returned Friday from Omaha, where they spent a few days on business.

Miss Dorothy Jordan arrived Friday to spend the spring vacation here with her mother, Mrs. Anna Jordan.

Bill Cartwright of Stanton spent the week in O'Neill, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McNally.

Dale Henry Gilbert of Stuart, and Alice Marie Tasler, of Stuart, were granted a marriage license on March 23rd by County Judge L. W. Reimer.

O. M. Herre left Tuesday morning for Lincoln, taking his son, Jimmie, back to resume his studies at the University of Nebraska.

Mrs. R. R. Dickson entertained at a luncheon on Wednesday noon honoring her sister, Mrs. Clarence Campbell, of Omaha.

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F. E. Parkins left Wednesday morning for Omaha, where he will attend the electrical show being held there this week.

Mrs. John Osenbaugh and family spent Saturday afternoon at the Fay Puckett home northeast of this city.

Jack and Owen Davidson returned on Tuesday evening from Omaha, where they spent a few days on business.

J. B. Slate, assistant manager of the Traveler's Insurance company, was in O'Neill Wednesday on business.

Mrs. George Robertson left Sunday for Lincoln, where she will spend a few days visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Dailey drove to Spencer, Sunday, to visit Miss Clarissa Tequist, who has been ill at her home.

Miss Eula Clauson returned Monday from Norfolk, where she spent the Easter vacation with friends.

Mrs. Carl Asimus returned Wednesday from Omaha, where she spent several days visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Kilpatrick and daughters drove to Orchard Sunday, and spent the day there visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marron drove to Norfolk, Wednesday, where they attended the annual re-union of Creighton Alumnae of the Northeast Nebraska district.

Francis Soukup left Tuesday for Lincoln, where he is a senior in the University, after spending the Easter vacation here with his mother, Mrs. Mattie Soukup.

Judge R. R. Dickson and Reporter Ted McElhenny went to Bassett on Monday morning, where they held the regular spring jury term of district court in Rock county.

Mrs. Tom Green, Mrs. Al Sauser, Mrs. W. J. Wallace and Mrs. C. Coleman entertained the Catholic daughters at the Golden Hotel on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Donald Enright, daughter, Janet, and Donnie Colman spent Easter in Norfolk, visiting at the home of Mrs. Enright's mother, Mrs. Nettie Dunhaver.

J. P. Mann and Miss Genevieve Biglin returned Tuesday afternoon from Sioux City, Iowa, where Mr. Mann had been receiving medical treatment in St. Vincent's hospital.

Henry Reimers left Tuesday for Lincoln, to resume his studies at the University, after spending the

spring vacation with his parents. Judge and Mrs. L. W. Reimers.

Margaret Clauson will leave Saturday night for Kansas City, Mo., where she will spend some time studying skin analysis and the new heatless permanent wave.

Miss Mae Hammond arrived Friday from Omaha, to spend Easter here with her sister, Mrs. I. H. Moss and Mr. Moss, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Oppen, of Omaha, spent the week end in O'Neill, visiting Mrs. Oppen's mother, Mrs. Jeanne Scott, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ruzicka drove to Clarkson, Nebraska, Sunday, and spent the day there visiting at the home of Mr. Ruzicka's father, Anton Ruzicka.

Miss Marie Reardon and Misses Nancy Jo and Mary Ann Nelson arrived Sunday evening and will visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Reardon.

Miss Helen Biglin entertained the Martez Club at a seven o'clock dinner at the M & M Cafe, followed by cards at her home in this city on Tuesday evening.

J. B. Ryan went to Omaha Sunday to spend Easter with his son, Father C. J. Ryan, S. J., who has been in Omaha for the past six weeks.

Jack Vincent left Tuesday to resume his studies at the University of Nebraska, after spending Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vincent.

Sister Calixta of Jackson, Nebraska, arrived Sunday evening to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. F. N. Cronin, and other relatives.

Miss Nadine Coyne arrived Sunday evening from St. Teresa's College, Winona, Minn., to spend the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Coyne.

Miss Patrice Robertson of Sheldon, Iowa, arrived here Thursday to spend the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robertson.

Miss Margaret Hammond arrived Friday from Omaha, where she is attending school to spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hammond.

Mrs. Clarence Campbell of Omaha, arrived Saturday to spend the Easter holidays here with her sister, Mrs. J. F. O'Donnell, and

Mr. O'Donnell and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. J. Biglin and son Billie, drove to Sioux City, Sunday, taking the Misses Ruth Ann and Rose Mary there to take a train for Ames, Iowa, where they will resume their studies at Iowa State.

Mrs. Esther Cole Harris, daughter Betty, and son Guy, returned Sunday evening from Sioux City, Iowa, where they spent Easter with Ruth and Junior Harris, who are students at Morningside College.

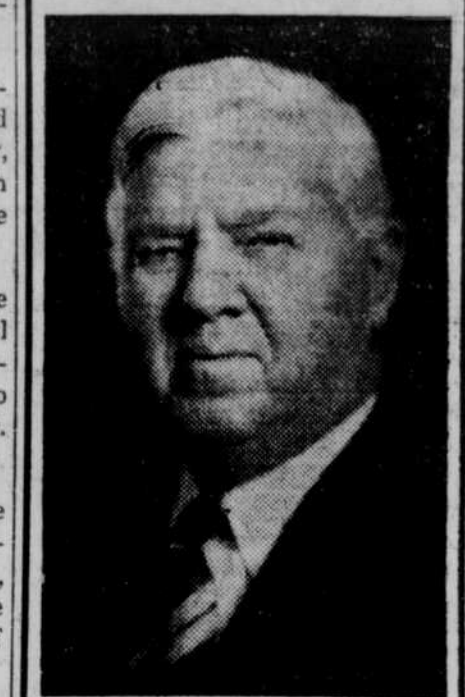
Robert Biglin, a student at the University of Nebraska, Medical School at Omaha, Nebraska, arrived home Friday evening, to spend Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Biglin.

Hugh McKenna, who spent the spring vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McKenna, left Tuesday for Lincoln, to resume his studies at the University of Nebraska.

Miss Dorothy Warner and grandmother, Mrs. Olive Pendergast, returned from Broken Bow Tuesday evening after spending several days visiting Miss Warner's parents.

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