

Factions Join to Fight Party Circle Change

Leaders of All Political Faiths in State Urge Voters to Defeat Proposed Constitutional Change.

Prominent republicans, democrats, progressives and members of other political parties are united on one question at the coming election. They believe the proposed state constitutional amendment to eliminate the party circle on ballots should be voted down.

Without the party circle to guide them, voters would be completely in the dark. With nothing before them but a list of names, they would be helpless to choose wisely.

A circular is being mailed out to educate voters on this subject, to show them that such an amendment would "put masks upon the candidates and blunders upon the voters."

The circular asking voters to vote "no" on the proposed amendment, is signed by Governor Samuel R. McKelvie, republican, and former United States Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock, democrat; by former United States Senator Norris Brown, republican, and former Governor Keith Neville, democrat, and by more than 100 other men and women of various political parties.

Such an amendment would forbid the people of Nebraska to organize political parties or to exercise in effective manner their right to nominate and elect to office by joint endeavor the men and women of their choice," says the message to the voters.

Here is the full text and list of names attached: To the Voters of Nebraska: The undersigned, irrespective of party, call your attention to the proposed amendment to the state constitution, submitted next Tuesday, November 4.

There is widespread misunderstanding as to what this amendment really provides. Its ostensible purpose is (1) to write the direct primary law into the state constitution and (2) to eliminate the party circle. Its real purpose and effect is much more serious. It forbids the use, upon the election ballot, of any party designation or any identification whatsoever opposite the names of candidates.

This amendment, if adopted, will destroy every political party in Nebraska. Furthermore, it will prevent the effective organization of any new political party in Nebraska.

The amendment denies the voter the right to vote, among the candidates, are republicans, or democrats, or prohibitionists, or socialists. It prohibits a candidate from admitting his allegiance to a party platform or his responsibility to the party which supports his candidacy. It puts masks upon the candidates and blunders upon the voters.

We do not here oppose the direct primary or the elimination of the party circle. Many voters favor one or both of these proposals. We object to this amendment because, under pretense of serving these ends, it attempts to capitalize this favorable sentiment for a totally different purpose.

This amendment would forbid the people of Nebraska freely to organize political parties or to exercise in effective manner their right, heretofore inalienable, to nominate and elect to office, by joint endeavor, the men and women of their choice.

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ditional forms of free American government. It is not necessary to vote "yes" to sustain the primary. That already is the law. To vote "yes" is to encourage deceit, destroy responsibility and precipitate governmental chaos. When you vote "no" you vote to retain the direct primary as it is, with the party designation which serves to identify one candidate from another.

We appeal to you to explain this matter to your neighbors and friends. This is the only constitutional amendment to be voted on. Put an X before "no."

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Mrs. W. A. Harrison, York. E. M. Pollard, Nehawka. Clinton Brome, Omaha. T. J. Majors, Peru. A. N. Mathers, Gering. Myron Learned, Omaha. John F. Cordell, McCook. H. E. Potter, Fairbury. N. P. McDonald, Kearney. Miss Helen Marr, Fremont. C. A. Randall, Newman Grove. Frank A. Dean, Holdrege. George A. Eberly, Stanton. Mrs. Belle G. Mossman, Madison. Clarence M. Davis, Ord. Charles H. Sloan, Geneva. Frank A. Barton, Pawnee City. J. C. Harpham, Lincoln. Charles E. Abbott, Fremont. C. H. Randall, Randolph. S. R. McKelvie, Lincoln. R. J. Becker, Battle Creek. W. L. Huff, Steinauer. A. R. Davis, Wayne. Lula T. Andrews, Omaha. Lon L. Love, Lincoln. J. R. Getty, University Place. Mrs. Draper Smith, Omaha. Mrs. M. D. Cameron, Omaha. Mrs. Halleck Rose, Omaha. Martin Dimery, Sidney.

Frank Kulp Near Death at His California Home Beatrice, Oct. 28.—According to word received here, Frank Kulp, formerly superintendent of bridges for the Burlington on the Wynore division, is lying critically ill at his home at Long Beach, Cal. His wife died a few years ago at Wynore.

Beatrice—Mrs. Frank Novotny, formerly a resident of Virginia, Neb., died at her home here after a brief illness, aged 61. She is survived by her husband and six children.

RADIO

Program for October 29. (Courtesy of Radio Digest) By Associated Press. WEEI, Boston, (303), 6, Radio Rally; 6:30, Big Brother club; 6:45, talk; 8, police night. WGR, Buffalo, (219), 6:30, news; 7, address, "Buffalo Harbor and Canals" by Cornish Library; 7:15-10, musical; 11, dance. WMAQ, Chicago News, (447.5), 6, Chicago theater organ; 6:30, Story Lady; 8, lecture; 8:30, play-digest; 9:15, pianist; 9:45, talk. WLSR, Chicago, (545), 6:30, organ; 6:45-10:15, entertainers, orchestra, piano; 10:40, Ford and Glenn. WJW, Cincinnati, (453), 7:15, music. WTAM, Cleveland, (595), 7, concert. WJOL, Des Moines, (525), 7:30, music, solo, movie chats. WJLB, Detroit Free Press, (617), 7:30, music orchestra. WJWJ, Detroit News, (517), 6, orchestra; 7:30, orchestra; 8, orchestra; 9, orchestra. WTAS, Elgin, (256), 6-8, string quartet; 8:12, orchestra; 8:30, vocal; 9, instrumental; 1-1, Wampus program; 1, orchestra. WJAS, Louisville Times, (400), 7:30, concert. WOR, Newark, (405), 7, orchestra; 9:15, Serenade, instrumental sextet, orchestra; 7, financial review; 7:10, talk; 7:30, band; 7:45, talk; 8:00, band; 8:15, violinist; 8:45, democratic talk; 9, popular songs; 9:15, soprano; 9:30, orchestra. WJAP, New York, (493), 6, Synagogue services; 6:30, tenor, orchestra; 7, flute; 7:15, concert; 8, soprano. WJPH, Philadelphia, (395), 8:30, orchestra; 9, talk. WJAB, Philadelphia, (500), 6:30, orchestra; 7:15, concert; 8, orchestra; 9:15, recital; 9:30, dance. WJAE, Pittsburgh, (442), 4:30, Sunshine Girl; 6:45, special; 7:30, musical. KDKA, Pittsburgh, (415), 4:15, kindergarten circle; 7 feature; 7:15, talk; 7:30, string quartet, soprano. KGW, Portland, (492), 10, concert; 12, orchestra. WJAK, Providence, (350), 7:35, program, New York studio. KFO, San Francisco, (423), 7:30, orchestra; 9, orchestra; 10-1, band, talk, solo. French lesson quartet; 8, bedtime. WJZ, Springfield, (357), 6:30, bedtime; 6:40, concert; 7:10, Jewish program; 8, band; 10, orchestra; 10:30, songs; 10:45, orchestra. KSD, St. Louis Post Dispatch, (545), 8, famous organist. WCAP, Washington, (449), 6:45, address; 7, to be announced; 7:30, concert.

Drugs Blamed for Chambers Twin Suicides

Ashes of Father Placed Beside Those of Daughter in Cemetery Near San Mateo, California.

By MILLER HOLLAND. International News Service Staff Correspondent. San Mateo, Cal., Oct. 28.—In Cypress Lawn cemetery, several miles north of this small city, repose today the ashes of Frank Ross Chambers, jr., son of an aged New York millionaire, side by side with those of Marilouise Chambers, his 17-year-old daughter by his first marriage—both parent and child dead by their own hand within two weeks of each other. After a brief funeral service held here, attended by Mrs. Beatrice Chambers, Chambers' 19-year-old second wife, and her mother, Mrs. George Evans of Los Angeles, the dead man's body was cremated and placed in an urn next to the cindered remains of Marilouise.

Late last night a coroner's jury holding an inquest over Chambers' suicide returned a unanimous verdict "that the deceased man came to his death from a pistol bullet inflicted by his own hand. The bullet passed through his head, causing death." All members of the coroner's jury had viewed the body prior to the funeral. Mrs. Beatrice Chambers and her mother were present at the inquest but were not questioned. The hearing was devoid of any sensational revelations.

Kills Him in Home. Chambers killed himself in his home here last Friday, October 24, drug-crazed and grief-stricken over the death of his daughter, who took her own life two weeks previously after having battled for months against the ravages brought on by an alleged addiction to narcotics. A diary in the girl's handwriting found in her father's room the night of his suicide revealed that Marilouise Chambers had been a victim of a drug she used to drown the unhappiness caused by the divorce of her parents a year ago in Portland, Ore., and also to forget a "great sorrow" that came into her life a few years back when she was in Tacoma and Seattle, Wash.

According to last night's testimony, given mainly by James Foesel, a Burns detective from Los Angeles,

employed by Chambers as a companion after the death of Marilouise, Chambers was heartbroken over his daughter's suicide and during the last two weeks of his life used narcotics to such an extent, Foesel said, that he became crazed with the drugs. Foesel also stated that Chambers even resorted to the drinking of ether diluted in water in order to calm his shattered nerves. "Chambers Nervous Wreck." "Chambers was a nervous wreck," Foesel told the coroner's jury, "and his condition was undoubtedly caused by grief over his daughter's death and by his subsequent excessive use of narcotics and ether." An anonymous letter threatening Chambers' life was received by Marilouise's father several days before his suicide, but it was not taken very seriously, Foesel declared in his testimony. "It was my opinion that some crank wrote it," the Burns detective said, "and I explained to Chambers that he need not worry over it." His father, as an apparent precautionary measure, Chambers applied to Chief of Police T. F. Burke of San Mateo for a permit to carry a pistol. This was refused him. In spite of this refusal, Chambers purchased an automatic pistol the Monday before his death, last night's testimony revealed. It was this pistol that served to end his life.

Cook Exonerated in Chinese Death

Chin Hin Guiltless, Jury Finds; Police Hold to Jealousy Theory.

Chin Hin, Chinese cook, was not connected with the murder Monday morning of Ong Len, waiter, a coroner's jury found Tuesday morning. The jury recommended that Hin be released. All evidence heard at the inquest Tuesday morning at Heafey & Heafey's mortuary indicated the improbability that a tong dispute was responsible for Len's death. Len was shot dead in the kitchen of a restaurant at 1304 Douglas street early Monday. Through interpreters Hin told the coroner's jury a connected story of his actions at the time of the shooting. He said he found Len's body beside a table, locked the front door of the restaurant and hurried to the Keystone hotel to tell his partner, Harry Wong of the shooting. Wong took the stand and corroborated this part of Hin's story. Charlie Hule, 119 North Twelfth street, and Charles Yuen, 3916 North Twenty-fifth street, both prominent Chinese merchants, ridiculed the theory of a tong war in their testimony at the inquest. Yuen declared that only one strange Chinese had appeared in Omaha since the outbreak of the tong wars in the east. This man, he said, had been forced by Chinese merchants to leave the city. Chinese who testified declared that neither Hin nor Len were members of any tong, so far as could be learned.

Accident Causes Death of Scottsbluff Farmer Bridgeport, Oct. 28.—Internal injuries sustained when he was thrown from his wagon by a frightened team and then crushed under the weight of one of the horses that fell on him, caused the death of Frank Hiersche, a farmer of the Scottsbluff district. A broken harness caused the horses to bolt and throw him from the wagon.

Man Crushed Under Falling Poles Succumbs to injuries Bridgeport, Oct. 28.—Telegraph poles falling from a car inflicted injuries on Lewis Revel, an employe of the telegraph company at Maxwell, from which he died in the hospital three days after the accident, and after he had rallied from an operation that amputated his crushed leg. Postmortem examination disclosed he had been injured internally.

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Winside—Funeral services were held Monday for Mrs. William McMillan, 56, who died Sunday of cancer of the bone, having been ill two years. She had lived in and near Winside 41 years. She is survived by her husband and eight children.

Beatrice—Mrs. Cora Maud McFall, 25, formerly of Holmesville, died suddenly at North Platte, Neb. She was the daughter of Charles Martin, old resident of that place. The body was brought here for burial.

York—Word was received Monday of the death of Dr. W. M. Taylor, a former York resident, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ila Westwood, at Bethune, Colo. Burial will be in York.

Beatrice—Mrs. George Stevens, living southwest of the city, died at a hospital here after an illness of less than a week. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Caroline.

York—Miss Helen Everetts, a clerk in a local variety store, injured herself quite seriously Monday when she ran against a pair of scissors protruding from a counter. The scissors entered so deep as to strike the hip bone.

Harvard—Funeral services were held Sunday for Mrs. J. K. Whiteman, many years resident here. Mrs. Whiteman, who lived alone in her home in North Harvard, died at the home of Harrie G. Thomas, a brother-in-law, to which she was removed after being taken seriously ill.

Winside—German Trinity church of Winside held its annual harvest festival last Sunday. Rev. A. Teckhaus of Wayne delivered an address and there was special music by the choir.

Wymore—Ruth Mary, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Phillips of Lincoln, died here and was buried in the Wymore cemetery Monday. The family had come to Wymore Saturday to visit relatives, and the child died after a short illness.

Twenty Acres Yield 90 1-2 Bushels of Corn to Acre Bridgeport, Oct. 28.—Ninety-one and

Hardy Asiatic Pear Seed to Be Tried in South Dakota

Brookings, S. D., Oct. 28.—Dr. N. E. Hansen, professor of horticulture at South Dakota State college, has just returned from a 12 weeks' tour in search of new seeds and plants in northeastern Asia. He spent most of his time in northern China, where China, Mongolia and Siberia meet.

The primary object of the journey was to obtain as much seed as possible of the hardest pear in the world and 63 pounds of seed was collected from the fresh fruit and brought back. This was much more than was hoped for.

In addition, new plants were obtained, especially the Siberian and Mongolian relatives of the apricot and peach and some new northern plums, cherries, apples, grapes, small fruit and ornamental trees and shrubs. In the gardens of Chinese villages, Dr. Hansen also found many new early muskmelons.

Mrs. Myrtle Snook Dies. Chester, Neb., Oct. 28.—Mrs. Myrtle Snook, 51, wife of Earnest Snook, widely known Burlington railway bridge foreman of this place, died at her home here Sunday and was buried today. The family had been residents of Chester for the past 21 years. Before coming to Chester the family lived at Shickley, where Snook was a track foreman. Mrs. Snook is survived by the husband and six sons, Charles, Harry, Royal, Gerald, Dale and Reginald, all of Chester.

Winside Shippers Organize. Winside, Oct. 28.—A Farmers' Livestock Shipping Association has been organized here with 109 members. C. J. Nieman and Otto Graef were appointed managers.

Brief City News. Vote for Robert Smith for Clerk of the District Court.—Adv.

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