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Going At It Wrong

President Truman has appointed Federal Judge Thomas F. Murphy, of New York, to direct a governmental cleanup campaign for the administration. Thus, the administration has hired a judge appointed by the administration to clean up the same administration. It just doesn't sound right from here.

Anyone who is aware of the record Judge Murphy has built up in the past cannot deny his immense energy and capabilities. However, he cannot very well have a free hand in this investigation as long as the outcome may directly involve those who authorized the investigation: namely, the administration.

There is no denying that a cleanup campaign in our government is of the utmost importance. We have read of one scandal after another for the past 5 years, all of them involving men in whom the taxpayers of the United States had placed their trust.

But, this investigation should have no strings attached. Very probably, that is the reason J. Edgar Hoover wanted nothing to do with it. The president has stated that he wants this investigation to be non-political. Under the circumstances, that is not possible. If an investigation of the government is to be non-political, it should be conducted by a person with no political connections—a person named, possibly, by a bipartisan committee of congressmen.

Judge Murphy is an able, conscientious prosecutor. But he will be unable to do the type of job we desire under the circumstances. To begin with, to whom will he report? The president, probably—and if the results of an investigation happen to point the finger of illegal activity at one of Harry's old cronies, then the investigation report will end up beside the Hoover commission recommendations... in the white house wastebasket.

A bureaucrat is one who doesn't know which way the wind is blowing until he throws his hat into the ring.

PrairieLand Talk —

Lack of Nebraskans in 'Who's Who'

Not Alarming — or Even Significant

By ROMAINE SAUNDERS

LINCOLN—Absorbing the wisdom in the classic halls of our state university has inspired some of the group of students to come out with a lament over Nebraska's rating with the country's high-brows.

This "Who's Who" that comes up from year to year is neither alarming nor significant. Mostly one fellow's idea as to which of the country's millions are a little brighter than the rest.

Well, Nebraska has had some notables, don't think otherwise. Statesmen, churchmen, poets, authors, lawyers, editors and plain citizens from a galaxy of eminent prairieLand patriots that compare with the best of 'em anywhere. Just the other day Tom Shanner, whose mother was a pioneer Holt county school teacher, made the black-robed dignitaries of the United States supreme court sit up and take notice when as counsel in a community shaking case he presented his legal reasoning. Only the best of the profession ever get into the supreme court.

PrairieLand now has 2 eminent women authors and even in the realm of less commendable pursuits we have had the best in the business. For instance, Kate Shields from down toward the Cedar, outwitted her pursuers and got away from the sheriff's posse with her stolen horses. Three times a Nebraskan was elevated to a place on the ballot for president of the United States and our delegations in congress have often ranked high. A Nebraskan has graced a cabinet portfolio and sons and grandsons of Irish immigrants of the O'Neill community have helped to make history, in civil life and military service.

The field is open to university students, to young men and young women of prairieLand to win a place among the notables and leave their names in 4-line pica on the scroll of time.

PrairieLand Talker has been favored with greetings from friends during the holiday season. Many things go stale as the scroll of time unrolls but the soul-cheering messages that come on shining wings at this season are ever fresh. It is interesting, too, to note the variety of tastes in the decorative art work that adorns the cards in gay colors, ranging in picture story from hunting scenes

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