

BURLINGTON FILES REPORT

Earnings in Nebraska show Large Increase During Past Year.

OVER THREE THOUSAND PER MILE NET

Secretary of State Junkin Refuses to Counteract Voucher for Claims After the Warrants Are Issued.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, April 22.—(Special.)—Notwithstanding the howl of the railroads in Nebraska about being hampered by legislation, the gross earnings of the Burlington, according to the report filed today with the State Board of Assessment, shows an increase in the last year over the previous year of almost \$2,000,000 and the net earnings are increased almost \$600,000.

The Burlington managed to eke out only \$13,166,836.47 during the last year, which, after deducting the operating expenses, left this road only \$4,458,831.10 to the good.

This means that the road, after paying all expenses, including the taxes, carried out only Nebraska for every mile of road it has in this state, main line and branches, in the sum of \$3.05, and it has 2,613.53 miles. In the report the net earnings are considerably smaller than is set forth in the above figures, because the company had a little juggling by including in its taxes paid in 1937 the sum of \$26,800.44, but as this sum represents the taxes due during the last three years when it refused to pay up like other taxpayers, the board will not consider it as charged up against the earnings of this year.

One thing the road did do this year, and that is it did not deduct an arrear of 4-10 of 1 mill allowed lines west of the river. The board, it is understood, last year refused to take this into consideration and it is left out of the return this year. The amount deducted last year amounted to \$1,376,682.75. This left net earnings last year of \$2,080,000, compared with a net earning of \$2,061 per mile this year. The following is a comparison of the figures of this year and last:

Table with columns for 1936 and 1937, rows for Gross earnings, Operating expenses, Taxes, Net earnings, Back taxes, and Earnings per mile.

The railroad counted net earnings at \$7,579,516.67.

Collecting Freight Schedules.
The State Railway commission is getting in a lot of freight schedules from various railroads and expects to be in good shape to do business on May 7, when the members meet with the railroad men and fix up a schedule of rates to be put into effect.

New Deal on Vouchers.
Secretary of State Junkin will hereafter sign no vouchers upon which warrants have already been issued, but instead he will insist on approved vouchers before the warrant is drawn or he will refuse to become jointly responsible with the auditor.

Watch Your Thirty Feet of Bowels!
YOU have thirty feet of intestines. What makes food travel through them?
A set of Muscles that line the walls of these Intestines or Bowels.

When a piece of Food rubs the walls of the Intestines these Muscles tighten behind it, and thus it starts a Muscle-wave which drives it through the whole length of the Bowels.

It should take about 12 hours to do this properly, so that nutritious parts of the food may have time to be digested and absorbed.

But,—if it takes twice or three times that period the food spoils in passing, and becomes as poisonous as if it had decayed before being eaten.

Now, the cause of delay (Constipation) is simply Weakness, or Laziness of the Bowel-Muscles.

Want of Exercise, Indoor Employment, weakens these Bowel-Muscles, just as it weakens Arm and Leg Muscles.

THE BILL AGAINST THE STATE, AND ON NUMEROUS occasions it has not been necessary for the man with the claim to even file with the voucher receipts for money expended.

Secretary of State Galusha was one secretary who insisted on the receipts accompanying the voucher, and on a few occasions he refused to endorse the claim because of the absence of the receipts.

Occasionally, however, the warrants have been issued without the approval of the secretary of state.

One voucher filed by J. C. Martin of Central City for work done for the attorney general in the suit against the Lumber Dealers' association, for \$331.45, contains this notation, written with a lead pencil and signed "deluska":

- What about railroad receipts? No answer is written there, but the warrant was issued. The voucher contains these items: Eighteen days, myself and stenographer (\$18)..... \$27.00 Railroad fare..... 75.39 Board, "bus hire"..... 33.00 Telephone and telegraph..... 3.25 Total..... \$139.43 Received on other voucher..... \$331.45 Balance..... \$191.98

The other voucher merely sets out that the bill is for work in the case against the American Lumber company and is done under the direction of the attorney general.

Upon these two vouchers the name of the secretary of state has been placed with a rubber stamp.

Arbor Day Observance.
Inasmuch as the Arbor day proclamation was the first ever issued by Governor Sheldon, employees at the state house observed it faithfully this afternoon and most of them witnessed the ball game, and so did the state officers.

Sickness in Sheldon Family.
Mrs. Sheldon, mother of the governor, continues very ill and the governor is devoting most of his time to her, coming back to Lincoln at night, to work practically until dawn in the morning, and then up excuses to get away during the afternoon. Governor Sheldon was besieged with visitors during the entire morning.

Bankers Talk Shop at Fremont.
Opinion Law Regarding Reserves Should Be Amended.

FREMONT, Neb., April 22.—(Special Telegram.)—At the bankers' meeting this afternoon the time was occupied by discussions on timely topics. The question as to whether the state laws in reference to reserves should be amended was considered and it was the opinion that something should be done.

United Brethren Conference.
OAKDALE, Neb., April 22.—(Special Telegram.)—The Ministerial Association of the North Nebraska conference of the United Brethren church held its annual conference in session here. Rev. L. B. Fasick, the local pastor, has managed the affairs very successfully.

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HAMLIN TRIAL IS DELAYED

Court at Grand Island Takes Vacation for Arbor Day.

MOTHER TESTIFIES OF DAUGHTER'S DEATH

Articles of Dress Worn by Rachel Engle Are Introduced in Evidence by Attorney for State.

GRAND ISLAND, April 22.—(Special.)—Both sides in the case of the special-jury John Hamlin for the murder of Rachel Engle were ready to hold a session today, Arbor day, but it was agreed that neither had any rights to waive, and no session was held, court adjourning to Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

WYMORE SALOON FIGHT ENDS
Publicans Agree to Obey Law and Restrictions Are Withdrawn.

Propose to Vote Railroad Bonds.
BROKEN BOW, Neb., April 22.—(Special Telegram.)—The railroad meeting called at Westerville last Saturday for the purpose of encouraging the railroad movement from Loup City to Westerville was largely attended.

Martial Troubles Multiply.
DAKOTA CITY, Neb., April 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Mary McAllister McNamara has filed a petition for divorce from William C. McNamara.

Cross Examination.
Attorney Prince, for the state, here asked for the production of the dress worn by the dead girl on the night of the shooting and it was sent for, the cross-examination proceeding with the understanding that the dress could be later produced.

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ONE OF THE IMPORTANT DUTIES OF PHYSICIANS AND THE WELL-INFORMED OF THE WORLD

is to learn as to the relative standing and reliability of the leading manufacturers of medicinal agents, as the most eminent physicians are the most careful as to the uniform quality and perfect purity of remedies prescribed by them, and it is well known to physicians and the Well-Informed generally that the California Fig Syrup Co., by reason of its correct methods and perfect equipment and the ethical character of its product has attained to the high standing in scientific and commercial circles which is accorded to successful and reliable houses only, and therefore, that the name of the Company has become a guarantee of the excellence of its remedy.

TRUTH AND QUALITY

appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the approval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

This valuable remedy has been long and favorably known under the name of—Syrup of Figs—and has attained to world-wide acceptance as the most excellent of family laxatives, and as its pure laxative principles, obtained from Senna, are well known to physicians and the Well-Informed of the world to be the best of natural laxatives, we have adopted the more elaborate name of—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as more fully descriptive of the remedy, but doubtless it will always be called for by the shorter name of Syrup of Figs—and to get its beneficial effects always note, when purchasing, the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package, whether you simply call for—Syrup of Figs—or by the full name—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—is the one laxative remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. and the same heretofore known by the name—Syrup of Figs—which has given satisfaction to millions. The genuine is for sale by all leading druggists throughout the United States in original packages of one ounce only, the regular price of which is fifty cents per bottle.

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NEBRASKA FROM DAY TO DAY

Quaint and Curious Features of Life in a Rapidly Growing State.

Ord complaints of an "epidemic" of heagars, but does not give names of persons affected.

The economical housewife will turn her thoughts from peaches and look for the old recipe her mother used for tomato preserves—the yellow kind that was "put up" without cutting.

The man who prides himself on his "early" garden will be compelled to forego the pleasure of cabbage among the early vegetables, as the "seasonable weather" of last week prevents transplanting until May.

A Cass county lawyer, "whose time is not entirely employed by the railroads," wants to travel on a pass. If Plattsburgh lawyers are compelled to pay fares the efficacy of the anti-pass law cannot be questioned.

The Grand Island Independent recalls that in the week ending April 13, 1937, ninety-five wolf scalps were registered by the county commissioners. Farmers were then paid for killing the animals and the "industry" was in its infancy.

An Arcadia man killed a "weasel" which he saw in his chicken house, where it was feasting on a fowl. He apologized when he learned that the animal was a ferret, which had been purchased at a fancy price by a neighbor.

Trouble for "Central"—A Norfolk woman has developed a new way of getting even. When the telephone operator makes her angry she walks back and forth in front of the phone all morning and intermittently lifts up the receiver in order to get revenge against the central girl.—Norfolk News.

Mule at Shelton—Talking about big mules, Henry Peck has about the biggest specimen of the mule family ever seen in this neck of woods. He purchased the animal at Grand Island Tuesday and since he arrived in Shelton he has been the wonder of all who have seen him.

The Editor's Assistant—Miss Edna Brewer has accepted a position on the Times force and has engaged to do our fighting, whipping, smiling and society stunts.—Waikiki Times.

Ross Hammond Rejoices—We are pleased to report that the rear entrance to women's dresses is to be abolished and that henceforth they are to be like good old Grimes' coat, "all buttons down before." The fashions of fashions have decreed it and the edicts of these autocrats are obeyed implicitly.

Indians in Evidence—A good Indian is not always a dead Indian, but a drunken Indian comes a long way from being a good Indian, or, at least, that is the opinion formed by many South Sioux City people this week.

SHIPS DAMAGED AT SEA
British Steamer Arrives at Baltimore with Hole in Side and Stem Twisted.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 22.—The British steamship Barnstable, Captain Davidson, arrived in port this morning from Port Antonio, Jamaica, with a large hole in its side and with stern twisted. It was run into at full speed at 10 o'clock yesterday.

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.
Station and State Temp. Max. Rain.
Bismarck, cloudy..... 61 66 .00
Cheyenne, cloudy..... 56 60 .00
Chicago, clear..... 64 66 .00
Dayton, pt. cloudy..... 52 62 .00
Denver, clear..... 58 62 .00
Evansville, clear..... 52 52 .00
Helena, cloudy..... 58 60 .00
Huron, cloudy..... 52 64 .00
Kansas City, raining..... 62 72 .00
North Platte, cloudy..... 58 60 .00
Omaha, clear..... 55 70 .00
Rapid City, clear..... 58 64 .00
Sioux Falls, clear..... 58 62 .00
St. Paul, cloudy..... 58 60 .00
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FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Fair Today and Tomorrow in Nebraska and South Dakota—Fair in Iowa Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Forecast of the weather for Tuesday and Wednesday: For Nebraska and South Dakota—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

For Kansas—Fair Tuesday, warmer in south Iowa—Fair Tuesday, except showers in southeast portion; Wednesday, fair.

For Missouri—Showers Tuesday; Wednesday, fair.

For Colorado—Fair and warmer Tuesday; Wednesday, fair.

Local Record.

Table with columns for Date, High, Low, Precipitation, and Wind.

Office of the Weather Bureau, Omaha, April 22.—Official record of temperature and precipitation, compared with the corresponding day of the last three years.

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal at Omaha since March 1 and comparison with the last two years.

Normal temperature..... 53
Excess for the day..... 3
Total rainfall since March 1..... 1.48 inches
Deficiency since March 1, 1937..... 2.19 inches
Deficiency for cor. period 1937..... 2.19 inches
Deficiency for cor. period 1936..... 3.18 inches

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"T" indicates trace of precipitation.
L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

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