

NORTH DAKOTA NONPARTISAN FIGHT IS BITTER

Republican State Ticket is Named by League and the Election Campaign is Energetic.

Bismarck, N. D., Oct. 21.—The political battle between the nonpartisan league and its opponents increases in bitterness as the time draws near for the general election in which voters will name full congressional and state tickets in North Dakota.

In the gubernatorial contest, Governor Lynn J. Frazier seeks re-election on the republican ticket and is opposed by S. A. Doyle on the democratic ticket. The republican ticket was nominated at the primaries by the nonpartisan league. Independent republicans opposed to the league had a hand in framing the democratic ticket.

But Two Tickets.
The candidates for congress on the republican ticket are John M. Baer in the First district, who was sent to congress by the league; George M. Young, in the Second district and John H. Sinclair in the Third. On the democratic side, Fred Bartholomew is candidate in the First district, I. N. Torson in the Second and Halvor Halvorsen in the Third.

There will be but two state tickets in the field, the development of the nonpartisan league having marked the passing of the socialist state party. For the first time in many years the prohibitionists have no candidates for the state office, and the progressive party, active in the last three elections, has dissolved.

The league has renominated on its state ticket all but two of the offices it elected two years ago. They are M. P. Johnson and Charles Bleick, members of the railway commission.

Controls Lower House.
A majority of the republican candidates for the state legislature have been nominated by the nonpartisan league. In some districts where it failed to get candidates on the republican ballot, the league nominated men on the democratic ticket, or independently by individual nominating petitions. In the last house of representatives the league had a clear majority of about sixty. It also elected a majority of the senators, but because of 25 holdovers was unable to control the senate. If it elects less than half of the present candidates for the state senate the league will have a working majority in that body. Control of the lower house is conceded the league.

At the primaries, Frazier was opposed by John Stoen, state treasurer, who was supported by the anti-league republicans. Frazier received a majority of more than 15,000 out of 90,000 votes.

Amendments Attacked.
The republicans then amalgamated with the democrats under the name of the Independent Voters association in support of S. A. Doyle, United States marshal at Fargo, who was nominated by the democrats over G. W. Wilkinson, recently deposed as postmaster of Fargo. Wilkinson, sought the democratic nomination with support of the league.

Doyle has waged an energetic campaign, vigorously attacking the economic program of the league as embodied in ten proposed constitutional amendments to be voted on this fall.

These amendments include a single tax, increase of the state bonded debt limit from \$200,000 to \$10,000,000 in the instance of any single bond issue; a smaller number of signatures required on initiative and referendum petitions and the investment of state funds and the operation by the state of any industries not denied a private individual or corporation.

British Labor Gets Behind Wilson for German Surrender

London, Oct. 21.—(British Wireless Service)—In the situation created by the recent German peace offer, British labor ranges itself solidly behind President Wilson, declared Arthur Henderson, the British labor leader, in a speech at a labor meeting Saturday night. Labor men should continue to support President Wilson because his peace program embodied the war aims of organized labor, he declared.

It had become increasingly clear, Mr. Henderson said, that unconditional surrender on the part of the rulers of Germany was necessary in order that the vital interests of the German people themselves could be safeguarded.

King Albert Carried Through Crowds After Landing at Ostend

London, Oct. 21.—The men, women and children of Ostend were so overjoyed when the king and queen of Belgium landed there Thursday that many of them heartily kissed the rulers of the liberated town. King Albert and Vice Admiral Keyes of the British navy, says the Dover correspondent of the Daily Mail, were carried to the town hall on the shoulders of men in the large crowd which greeted the king and queen at the landing. All ordinary bonds of restraint were loosened in the happy delirium of the occasion. The queen walked to the city hall surrounded by a great crowd of children.

Tommy Burns, Ex-Champion, Loses to Spanish "Flu"

Manchester, B. C. Oct. 21.—Secretary Tommy Burns, former world heavy weight champion, now athletic instructor with the Canadian forces here, is suffering from Spanish influenza. Doctors said his condition was serious.

LAWYERS WILL HELP DRAFT MEN WITH QUESTIONS

Legal Advisory Board Selects Lawyers to Assist in Filling Out Questionnaires for Draft Men.

Members of the legal advisory board who will assist registered men in filling out their questionnaires and giving them other advice and assistance in connection with the draft have been selected as follows for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week:

Court House.
Forenoon (9-12:30) Afternoon (12:30-5:30)
John V. Boveridge, H. H. Bowes,
A. H. Bissel, W. E. Child,
T. W. Blackburn, T. E. Brady,
J. J. Boucher, D. E. Bradshaw,
Wm. Steenberg, Ed. L. Bradley,
W. D. Eakin, W. A. Ehlers,
Fred Eastman, C. S. Eganter,
Willard Eddy, J. L. Kaley.

Old Federal Building.
Forenoon (9-12:30) Afternoon (12:30-5:30)
A. S. Churchill, Byron Clark,
H. M. Switzer, H. H. Claiborne,
N. O. Talbot, Wm. J. Coad,
C. H. Taylor, H. E. Cochran,
J. J. Friedman, L. J. Tappan,
C. L. Fritcher, R. F. Thomas.

Postoffice, Fourth Floor.
Forenoon (9-12:30) Afternoon (12:30-5:30)
A. A. Eklund, A. G. Ellick,
O. E. Johnson, Frank Keesan,
O. W. Johnson, J. B. Kelkeny,
P. M. Johnson, P. L. McCoy.

Benson.
Forenoon (9-12:30) Afternoon (12:30-5:30)
John G. Kuhn, Jas. E. Brittain,
Fred B. Charnas, W. E. Brundage,
Rudolph H. Bremer, C. C. Buchanan.

Because of the shortness of the time allowed for making these assignments, only this published notice will be given to the members of the board. Each member assigned is expected to serve unless prevented by serious illness.

Butler Says That He Will Keep Coal Yard Open in Spite of Quiz

City Commissioner Dan Butler, "president and general manager" of the municipal coal yard, is back after several days out of the city. He says his coal is good in spite of the reflections that other city commissioners have been casting upon it and ordering the city chemist to analyze it and find out its heating power and all that.

"The state has given the city power to operate a coal yard and we'll operate it," he says. "I'm willing to sell coal to Wattle if he wants it. The coal is for everybody and I know it's worth the money because I only have a margin of 40 cents profit on each ton after paying cost at the mine, freight, cartage, shirinking and so on."

"If the other city commissioners want the job of running the coal yard they are welcome to it. There's a lot of grief connected with it."

Commissioner Ure says the other city commissioners don't want to take Butler's job of running it. Mayor Smith is said to be wobbling over into being a champion of the municipal coal yard.

Norfolk First Town in Omaha District to Give Final Bond Report

The first district in Nebraska to make a final report on the Fourth Liberty loan drive to the Omaha headquarters was the Eighth district, whose chairman was C. E. Burnham of Norfolk. This district subscribed \$10,035,300. Its quota was \$9,436,300.

From all indications it now appears that every county in Nebraska, with the possible exception of four, have gone over the top.

The "cleanup" of Saturday's subscriptions in Omaha is still going on, making Omaha's oversubscription still greater.

The following additional subscriptions of more than \$1,000 have been reported in this city:

- Employees of the Iren Biscuit company, \$5,000.
- Kate L. Schneiderwind, \$5,000.
- A. M. Kimball, \$4,000.
- N. H. Loomis, \$4,000.
- Bernard H. Post, \$3,000.
- Blank Realty company, \$3,000.
- A. Erdman, \$3,000.
- T. R. Kimball, trustee, \$3,000.
- H. Herschel Mfg. Co., E. J. Updegraff, M. D., \$2,000.
- Hanna Matson, Elmer A. Cope, \$2,000.
- M. C. Peters, Omaha Charity Association, \$2,000.
- R. P. Hamilton, \$2,000.
- R. R. Bradford, \$2,000.

WAR PUZZLES



THAT WE ALLIES WOULD NOT GO INTO WINTER QUARTERS But would keep up the fight was declared by Secretary Baker, one year ago today October 22, 1917. Find an American.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER Upper left corner down in smoke.

SKINNER PACKING PLANT

The original plans for the Skinner Packing plant were for five floors. The management found it a direct advantage to the Company to increase the plant to eight floors which will give the Company a larger earning capacity and make it possible to build the plant more economically per cubic foot.

These eight floors consist of six floors above the ground, the basement and a large sub-basement. The sub-basement will give storage capacity for 3,000,000 pounds of sweet pickled meats.

Fortunately the site of the plant is located high enough above the large underground sewer that runs through our land that we can have this cold storage sub-basement and still have splendid drainage. This sub-basement will be under the entire plant.

It will take less cork insulation and less refrigeration to operate it and will be a great advantage to the Skinner plant as every experienced packing house man knows.

The Skinner plant will be one of the shining and efficiency standpoint, it will be far in. All of the latest and best ideas as to efficient plans for the building have been pronounced.

The plant is located on the Company present Swift plant on the South Side.

The Union Pacific Railroad has finished packing house construction men and hurried it to completion.

There will be used in this plant over 4,000,000 tons of sand and gravel, over 900 tons of cement.

Over \$2,700,000 Worth of This Stock Has Been Sold To Date

We have oversold the entire original issue of stock that we placed on the market in less time than any other company that has been organized in the middle west. On account of the increase in size of the plant and its earning capacity we are placing on the market an additional million dollars worth of stock, and of this amount one-third has already been disposed of. There never will again at any price be offered participating stock in the Skinner Packing Company. This is your opportunity to purchase a ground floor, full participating stock.

No Promotion—Securities Sold Direct by The Company

Our securities are sold direct by the officers and directors of the Company. There is no promotion stock in this Company; its securities are not in the hands of promoters. The stock is being sold at the lowest minimum expense. To our knowledge there has never been a Company organized on as high-grade basis as the affairs of this company have been conducted. We have an audit of our books by Arthur Young & Company of Chicago, high grade accountants, the same firm that audit the books of Swift & Co. and Cudahy Packing Co.

We purchased our present site at a great bargain. An appraisal has been made of this property at many thousand dollars in excess of the price paid. However, it is carried on our books at exactly the price for which it was purchased. There has been no real estate turned into the Company in lieu of stock.

This 8% Guaranteed Preferred Participating stock we are offering participates in the full entire profits of the Company, and it is a part of our Articles of Incorporation that this stock can never be changed from Participating stock by the vote of the directors or stockholders.

Skinner Plant Essential Industry and so Recognized

No war supply is more necessary than food stuff. The building of "Omaha's Daylight Snow White Independent Packing Plant" represents a real patriotic effort just as the Government is making every effort to increase its facilities for taking care of foods. Particularly is this true in cold storage. There is such a shortage of cold storage space in this country that the Government is now building a \$3,000,000 cold storage plant in Chicago.

Forty per cent of the plant of the Skinner Packing Company represents cold storage space which, located here at the base of the live stock industry, will be a factor in the winning of the war.

This Plant Direct Interest to Every Shipper to

The Omaha market has suffered from the fact that up to date stockmen have for finished stuff. As the Skinner Packing Company will handle quality products only, we finished stuff that we would not be able to pay if we were looking for volume only. For Company will have an influence on the Omaha market for the benefit of stockman and tion to the amount of stock we actually purchased.

Less than 50 per cent of the live stock shipped to the Omaha market, so far this year, has been slaughtered here and had to be reshipped to other points.

More packing houses are needed. Many successful independents together with the Big Five is what has given Chicago first place. The Skinner plant, will help put the Omaha market where it rightfully belongs.

Omaha Market

found it hard to get the proper price will be in a position to pay a price for this reason the Skinner Packing livestock raisers all out of proportion.



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