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procedure, etc. This bill further provides that unpaid bills are obligations on election are considered a contribution to the candidate. First, I'll tell you what I'm trying to get at.

SENATOR KELLY: Senator Savage, let me refer to you to the amendments which we're discussing to where those campaign expenses or obligations are remaining unpaid on election day shall be reported to Secretary of State, as an outstanding obligation of the candidate. The report shall list the dollar amount, the name, address and occupation of the obligee, which strikes the objection that you have to this bill.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Well, I have a bill at the Omaha Press Club, which is a nonprofit organization from Senator Hubert Humphrey, for \$85. It took me three years to collect it. So, I finally got it, but I sure wouldn't want to have lost that eighty some bucks.

SENATOR KELLY: Right, and that as the bill was originally written, as it's been criticized by Senator Syas, that is an unworkable proposition and that is the reason these amendments are necessary to intelligently discuss this proposal. Now, also you should be aware that Senator Wally Barnett from Lincoln has in his pocket an amendment that will make an exception of \$50 as we did on the cash, and those \$50 will not be involved in the reporting system.

PRESIDENT: Senator Stahmer.

SENATOR STAHMER: Mr. President, very quickly, I support Senator Kelly. I think this is a good and necessary bill.

PRESIDENT: All right, are you ready to consider the amendment? To vote on the amendment? The amendment is Senator Kelly's amendment to the bill. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Can I ask a record vote, please.

PRESIDENT: You can ask.

SENATOR KELLY: Can I get it?

PRESIDENT: Yes. Clerk will record.

CLERK: Record vote, Mr. President. (Printed on pages 1488-89 of Journal)

(End Belt 19A)

(Start Belt 20A)

25 ayes, 7 nays 17 not voting.

PRESIDENT: The amendment is adopted. Now we've got 30 seconds left. What else is there. Senator Goodrich.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Mr. President and members of the body. I am amending in this motion the Kelly amendment. The Kelly form of the bill right now provides that all those checking accounts