

# FORM BLOC TO OPPOSE SMITH IN CONVENTION

South Expected to 'Ride' Enough Favorite Sons to Cause Deadlock.

By RAY TUCKER  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—"The Democratic nomination for any office from constable to President won't be worth a nickel in the North if Al Smith is not nominated for the presidency."

With this warning Senator Copeland, of New York, today served notice on southern politicians trying to block the New Yorker's nomination that they were headed straight for a party smashup.

"I, for one," said Copeland, "will not run for the Senate again if Smith does not get the nomination. In the first place, it would be useless effort, for no Democrat could be elected. In the second place, it would mean that the Democratic party places bigotry before service and the national welfare."

Copeland said that at least half a dozen other Democratic Senators in the North and certain parts of the West would be doomed to defeat if the New York Governor were sacrificed to prejudice or a retaliatory movement by the dregs.

This last reference was obviously to the desperate effort launched against Smith by remnants of the McAdoo die-hard faction who are rallying southern delegations around Senator Walter F. George, of Georgia. With the latter's consent, it is planned to enter him in every southern primary where there is not a favorite son.

The George favorite son delegates would constitute a bloc of 214 votes against Smith. Through combination with other favorite son States and dry delegates, they hope to keep Smith from getting the necessary two-thirds vote.

William G. McAdoo is taking no part in the movement, which is inspired chiefly by George. Fort Milton, Chattanooga publisher, and John S. Cohen, Georgia national committeeman.

## Exit Knees



Here's how much longer the skirts of Miss Lydia Hart, Claypool Grille cashier, will be next spring if she follows the style makers. The Garment-Retailers of America, in convention at New York, decreed that knees shall be covered by skirts at least two inches below them.

### Club to Give Euchre Party

Triple L Ink club will give a euchre party at 8 p. m. Saturday at the Old Fellows hall, Cottage Ave. and Olive St. The card party is the first of a series of weekly events staged by the club.

# STATE CITIES REPORT LOSS IN WINDSTORM

Roofs, Poles and Trees Damaged in Several Indiana Towns.

Repairs are being made in Indiana cities and towns today following damage by high winds Thursday.

Roofs were damaged at Newcastle, and that of a portable school building was blown off. Limbs were torn from trees.

Alvin Simmons suffered a deep gash in a leg from glass scattered when wind broke a window at his home in Anderson.

Mrs. C. M. Curry, Grammer, received a broken arm when wind hurled her to the concrete floor of a porch at her home. Fences, telephone poles and trees were leveled in several parts of Bartholomew County.

Traction line, telephone and electric wires were damaged at Marion. John Walters had a narrow escape from injury when a falling pole struck a truck he was driving.

### Heavy Damage in Ohio

CINCINNATI, Jan. 20.—A terrific wind storm, which smashed over a 200-mile zig-zag course in Ohio and Kentucky, today had accounted for one death, injuries to between thirty and forty persons, and property damage which may amount to \$1,000,000.

At least a dozen cities were struck, including Louisville and Cincinnati. The storm was a freak, as it was neither a cyclone or a tornado. Weather forecasters described it as a severe squall which drove straight along the earth at a terrific rate.

The one casualty was Richard Kruger, a salesman, who was killed at Washington Courthouse when the wind swept a pile of bricks into his motor car.

But throughout the entire Miami valley there were reports of injuries. At the Central Hospital here twenty persons had been received for treatments from injuries. Another fifteen or twenty persons were injured in Louisville. Hamilton, Ohio, reported several persons had been hurt there.

The damage in Cincinnati alone is estimated at upward of \$150,000 and reports from surrounding towns said considerable damage had been done.

The storm seemed to be general over this section of the country and few towns escaped it.

### Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported stolen to police belong to:  
I. R. Whiting, R. R. C. Box 66, Auburn, 14-924, from Monument Place and Meridian St.  
J. E. Pritchett, 221 N. Mount St., Chevrolet, 548-624, from Maryland St. and Capitol Ave.  
F. J. Feeney, 2901 Central Ave., Ford, 21-297, from Thirty-Third and Meridian Sts.  
Paul McDuff, 3305 E. Washington St., Chevrolet, 19-106, from Capitol Ave. and Washington St.  
L. C. Kirkpatrick, 3530 Balsam Ave., Pontiac, 22-097, from garage in rear.  
Everett Poynter, 1725 Arrow Ave., Chevrolet, 556-639, from Eleventh St. and Capitol Ave.

BACK HOME AGAIN  
Automobiles reported found by police belong to:  
Ford, license 18-065, at 601 E. Merrill St.  
Ford, no license, at 2039 South-eastern Ave.  
Victor Templin, Muncie, Ind., Nash, at Pennsylvania and Ohio Sts.  
Chevrolet, Ohio, 819-538, at Senate and Kentucky Aves.

# Sad Day for 'Sad Bandit'



Edward Badgley (left), the "Mournful Bandit," captured with his brother, Earl Badgley (right) at a filling station at New York St. and Capitol Ave. Thursday night in a stolen car which had been trailed by the owner. The "Mournful Bandit" said he attended high school for one year at Bloomington, Ind., worked in the job printing plant of the Indiana Student, Indiana University publication, and then moved here.

Two years ago he served three months at the Indiana State Farm on a fraudulent check charge and then went to California and worked in a printing shop at Oakland. Returning this winter, he found his brother, Frank Badgley, had been sentenced to Indiana State prison for life on an habitual criminal charge following his capture after a bank hold-up near Kokomo.

The younger brother Earl, according to police, has served a sentence for vehicle taking. According to Criminal Court records Edward served three months at the Indiana State farm in 1923 for a hold-up here.

### ARRESTED AS SUSPECTS

Pair in Auto Held After Circling Gas Station; One Had Gun.

After driving around the Standard Oil filling station at New York St. and Capitol Ave. several times, William Buckner, 32, and Max Pope, 27, of 520 W. North St., were arrested Thursday.

The station was scene of the capture of the "Mournful Bandit." The attendant grew suspicious of the car, which circled the place three times. According to detectives, Buckner carried a gun and the machine, driven by Pope, belonged to Chip Lewis of Evansville, Ind.

### Owens 52-Year-Old Coat

By Times Special  
WABASH, Ind., Jan. 20.—A broad-cloth coat 52 years old is owned here by Joseph Murphy. It was a gift from Murphy's father on the son's twenty-third birthday.

### CLUB TO HEAR OF 'WAR'

Anti-British Conflict of Mayor Thompson Is Topic.

"Is 'Big Bill' Right?" will be the subject of J. R. H. Moore, Manual Training High School history department head, at the Service Club luncheon at the Lincoln Monday.

### 'CIVIL WAR' IN CHURCH

By Times Special  
LA SALLE, Ill., Jan. 20.—One of the largest Protestant congregations in La Salle, that of the First Baptist Church, has voted to leave the denomination because it "has become too modernized and is drifting away from the Diet of Christ."

# CORDELL HULL TO MAKE RACE FOR PRESIDENT

Tennessee Representative Is Given Indorsement of Home Delegation.

By C. J. LILLEY  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Representative Cordell Hull of Carthage, Tenn., today became a candidate for the Democratic nomination for President.

A formal announcement in Hull's behalf was made at noon by Tennessee Democrats in both branches of Congress, with Hull's knowledge and consent.

Hull is Democratic national committeeman from Tennessee and has refused to comment on developments in his own party.

"It is too early to predict who will be nominated," Hull has said repeatedly.

After the recent committee meeting here, Hull advised several friends that he didn't consider Smith's strength sufficient to win the nomination. At the same time he authorized the announcement of his candidacy.

The formal statement, issued through Representative Edwin L. Davis of Tennessee, is largely a summing up of Hull's record. He was made chairman of the Democratic national committee in 1922. The announcement credits him with cutting down Republican majorities in both houses of Congress.

Hull has served 20 years in Congress. He is considered an expert on tax and tariff matters, and is looked upon as one of the leading Democratic strategists, both in Congress and in national politics.

Hull was endorsed as a candidate by the Tennessee delegation. He is "the most suitable and logical man for the Democratic nomination," a statement by the delegation said.

### Irish Chief to Reach U. S. Today

By Times Special  
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—President William T. Cosgrave, of the Irish Free State will arrive in New York today. He will be greeted by city officials.

## Candidate



Cordell Hull, who announced his candidacy for the Democratic presidential nomination today.

### 20 TO GET DIPLOMAS

School No. 31 to Hold Graduation Exercises Wednesday.

Twenty students of School No. 31 will receive diplomas at the promotion exercises Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. The Rev. E. A. Pietenbrok will give the address.

The following pupils will be graduated: Mildred Beyl, Helen Brenner, Walter Eggert, Virginia Hildebrand, Norman Hollcraft, August Holle, Olive Humphries, Thelma Jacobs, Vera Koch, Helen Krauss, Beatrice Price, Mary Reed, Robert Reuter, Arthur Schmidt, Juanita Shoemaker, Frances Suddeth, Herbert Taylor, Richard Waldo and Daisy Wren.

### Cannon Costs Boy an Eye

By Times Special  
MEDORA, Ind., Jan. 20.—Louis Goens, 12, suffered loss of his left eye when a toy cannon of his own invention back-fired. After spending much effort and toil on the weapon, the boy obtained gunpowder and loaded it. Then he touched a match to the explosive, but the charge took the course opposite to the one intended by the youthful inventor.

# THIRD OF NATION PLANS VACATION TRIPS IN CARS

More Than 44 Million Persons are Expected on Motor Tours.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—More than 44,000,000 persons, a third of the nation, will take vacation motor tours during 1928 and will spend the staggering sum of \$3,500,000,000, according to preliminary estimates of this year's motor tourist business made by the National Touring Bureau of American Automobile Association today.

The A. A. A. estimates for 1928 is based on a detailed study of figures for the 1927 season, with an allowance of 10 per cent increase for this year, which is about normal growth.



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# DOCTORS SHOW HOW TO WAKE UP WITHOUT COLD

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This, briefly, is the substance of reports, from hundreds of Indianapolis people who, like Mrs. W. H. Burnette, have found quick relief through a pleasant and inexpensive hospital method recommended by hospital physicians.

Mrs. Burnette, for example, was treated for a severe cold which started in her nose passages and had spread down towards her lungs, causing fear of pneumonia. Doctors immediately prescribed double doses of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral—a concentrated mixture of wild cherry, terpin-hydrate and other ingredients which have relieved even the most extreme hospital cases.

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day or so, doctors report, all traces of the cold were gone.

Note: See other cases reported daily—all certified by a member of the hospital clinic.

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