

# SURVEY SHOWS HOOVER HOLDS 414 DELEGATES

Secretary's Strength Much  
Greater Than Others,  
Followers Say.

Herbert Hoover's Indiana supporters are making campaign ammunition of a Washington, D. C., newspaper's survey of the Republican presidential race, crediting Hoover with an indicated vote at this time of 414 of the 545 delegates needed for his nomination at the national convention.

Albert W. Fox, political writer for the Washington Post, compiled the survey, after personally investigating prospects in many States and conferring with national committeemen, party leaders and others. Fox now is in Indianapolis, sizing up the primary contest between Hoover and Senator James E. Watson for the State's presidential preference vote, on which hinges the vote of thirty-three Indiana delegates to the national convention.

Fox's account relates in detail the sources of his information and the bases for his conclusions.

**Indicated Vote Shown**  
Hoover's indicated vote, as it stood, according to his report, early this week:

State	Hoover	Others
Alabama	15	(11)
Arkansas	25	
California	18	(16)
Colorado	15	
Georgia	2	(29)
Iowa	2	
Kentucky	12	
Louisiana	12	
Maine	20	(39)
Massachusetts	33	(27)
Michigan	12	
Minnesota	12	
Mississippi	12	
Oregon	12	
Rhode Island	12	(39)
Missouri	12	
New Hampshire	12	
New Jersey	30	(90)
New York	30	(26)
Ohio	12	
Texas	12	
Tennessee	12	
Utah	12	
Washington	12	(19)
West Virginia	12	
Wyoming	9	
<b>Total</b>	<b>414</b>	

There will be 1,089 delegates to the national convention; a majority, 545 or more, being necessary for nomination.

## Is Real Candidate

"These figures," said Oscar G. Foellinger, Hoover's Indiana manager, "substantiate what we have been contending—that Hoover is a candidate in the true and full sense of the word. His entry in the Indiana primary for that reason was warranted. Indians should and will have opportunity of voting their preference for him.

"Had Hoover not entered the Indiana primary contest, Indiana's delegates to the national convention would have gone by default, to Senator Watson, regardless of the dissatisfaction and disappointment of thousands of Indiana Republicans."

While Hoover's organization has set as its goal to sweep the State for the Secretary of Commerce and win all thirty-three delegates, observers agree that, regardless whether that objective is accomplished, Hoover has more to gain than to lose in the Indiana primary.

## Would Gain Votes

If he should fail to beat Watson, but carry certain Congressional districts, delegates from the Hoover districts would be expected to choose in turn national delegates favorable to Hoover, who would vote for him at the Kansas City convention upon Watson's withdrawal.

On the eve of the State Republican convention, State delegates will meet by district and name two delegates from each district to the national convention. Seven delegates-at-large will be elected on the floor of the State convention.

## Survives Caesarian Operation

**BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 15.**—Mrs. Albert King and the baby boy born to her in a Bloomington hospital by a Caesarian operation are reported in good condition.

# HEALED his RUPTURE

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. I feared my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely healed me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no loss of time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find complete relief without operation. If you write to me, Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 5708 Marcellus Avenue, Mansfield, N. J., better cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of the rupture and the worry and dread of an operation. Advertisement.



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Juniors' Sizes 13 to 19	Misses' Sizes 14 to 20	Women's Sizes 36 to 42	Stout Sizes 44 to 50
HALF SIZES—14½ to 22½			

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## Sale of Spring Fabrics

Nearly 1,000 yards of fine, soft silk and rayon enormously reduced in price for this sale—40-inch rayon sport satin, 36-inch rayon faille and 30-inch spun silk—all come in the most desirable spring shades and are unusual bargains at this low price.

**Printed Rayon Chiffon Voile 79c**

Printed rayon chiffon voile in beautiful new patterns shown today for the first time; 36 inches wide; every yard guaranteed fast color.

**Silk and Cotton Prints 59c**

1,000 yards of silk and cotton crepe and silk and cotton canton, every yard fast colors. Lots of the favored small patterns on light grounds and lots of darker combinations in shades of blue and tan. Unusual value at this price.

## Fine Cotton Bedspreads \$1.59

Two sizes, 81x90 and 81x105—several, very attractive styles in beautiful colors. Much higher-priced stock has been specially reduced for this spring sale. You can't afford to miss it.

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## 1,200 Men's Fine Shirts

**Spring Sale Feature at 95c Ea.**

Men who are particular about their shirts are especially invited to attend this great sale! They'll instantly notice how well made and full cut every garment is. And it will be a pleasure to select from such a wide variety of smart patterns—in colors that won't fade! Collar attached and neck-band styles. Sizes 14 to 17.

## 600 Men's Athletic Shirts and Shorts

Fine knit, snug fitting sleeveless white shirt, sizes 34 to 40. And comfortable full cut shorts in fancy blazer stripes and fancy patterns; sizes 28 to 40. Each garment only. 39c

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## 600 New Wirthmor WASH DRESSES \$1

In ten beautiful styles (7 in regular sizes, 3 in extra sizes). All of fine quality prints in checks and figured and flowered patterns—daintily finished with pockets, ties and organdy or dimity collars and cuffs—every lovely color combination—guaranteed to launder nicely. Sizes 36 to 52.

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## Women's "C-B" CORSETS

**Special \$1 at**

Unusual value in a medium bust, back lace corset—long hip and back, graduated front clasp for medium and full figure—4½-yard lace with each garment—in pink only, sizes 24 to 35. \$1.

**SIDE CLOSING "C-B" CLASP**—ON of rayon brocade with elastic insert—4 supporters—8-inch length. Sizes 26 to 30. \$1.

**FOR MEDIUM FIGURE**—Extremely low "C-B" corset of twill with elastic top, long hip and back—back lace—sizes 24 to 32. \$1.

Each Garment Boxed Separately. —Downstairs at Ayres.



## Wonderful Values for BABY DAY

**INFANTS' CROCHETED SHOES** and slippers—with ribbons or buttons—in pink, white and blue. Embroidered. \$1

**LONG AND SHORT DRESSES** for infants—of heavy quality nainsook—trimmed with tiny yokes, embroidery, lace and ribbons—¾ sleeves—\$1

**WOOL CAPES** for baby—made to draw closely around the neck—pink and blue trimmed with white. \$1

**RADIUM SILK COATS**, lined and inner lined—crocheted edging on collar and cuffs—in shades of pink and blue—washable—sizes 1 and 2—very special at \$2.95

**WALKING DRESSES** of hand-made voile in pastel shades, daintily embroidered—deep hems. Sizes 1 to 3. \$1

**INFANTS' CREEPERS** in plain broadcloth and pin stripe prints—with elastic at leg or envelope closing—in blue, pink, peach and white—sizes 1 to 3. \$1

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## New Spring Hats, \$1.95

Hats of satin, faille and crocheted visca, beautifully trimmed—in new spring shades that harmonize with the spring costume. Unusual values at this price. —Downstairs at Ayres

## Rayon Undies

Substandards From **REAL SILK**

**\$1**

Heavy quality tailored chemise—steps have yoke front and elastic run in back—in peach, and flesh—sizes 36 to 42. —Downstairs at Ayres

## Our Welcome to Spring

Each year when spring is "just around the corner," it is our custom in the Downstairs Store to hold a great value-giving event in which the very newest merchandise for spring is offered at impressive savings. Every department buyer has secured the co-operation of several manufacturers in order that we may offer our patrons the highest type of seasonal, wanted goods. In addition, some of our regular stock has been greatly reduced. Now, of course, is the time to prepare for Easter as well as for the coming spring. Our layaway service is at your disposal.

## 8 Days of Super Value Giving

## Women's Full-Fashioned Chiffon Stockings

1,800 Pairs at

# 79c Pr.

Pure Silk to the Top —Pointed Heels

A special purchase for the spring sale and a very special price—full fashioned chiffon hose with little reinforcements at points of greatest wear—all the popular new spring hosiery shades—irregulars, sizes 8½ to 10.



## 700 Pairs Children's 7-8 Socks

A wonderful assortment of ¾ socks—pure silk socks in plain colors with close fitting cuff, and rayon socks in fancy color combinations; irregulars; sizes 6 to 9½.

**59c Pr.**

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## Gordon Auto Seat Covers For 1927 Models—Reduced

Ford—Tudor and Fordor Essex—Coach and Sedan Chevrolet—Laurel, Coach and Sedan Buick—Coach, Sedan and Coupe 1926 Hudson or Essex—Coach **\$5.95** A Set

## 9x12 Worsted & Wool Velvet Rugs \$45

Just a few of these rugs—greatly reduced because they are discontinued patterns or slightly imperfect—a wonderful opportunity to buy a fine rug at low price. —Downstairs at Ayres.

## Junior Lamp Bases Reduced

Attractive bases for junior lamps with light and dark plated finish—some bases are imitation marble—all reduced to **\$3.95**

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**Ruffled Sash Curtains, 3 Prs., \$1**  
Made from short ends of materials used in fine curtains—early shoppers will find as many as 3 or 4 pairs to match, 1 yard long.

**Rayon Marquisette for Curtains, 10c Yd.**  
27 inches wide, just wide enough for the average sized curtain—comes in ecru with woven blue stripe—20-yard limit. —Downstairs at Ayres.



## Sale of New Spring Shoes

Beautiful new spring footwear, which ordinarily would be placed in regular stock at a much higher price, is offered during the Spring Sale at this economy marking. These, which have just arrived, are unusually smart—and they're expertly made of finest materials.

1. Black patent 1-strap with cutout design on side, buckle fastener, spiko heel, steel arch, short vamp. \$4.95.
2. Black patent with pretty side cutouts; piped with honey beige on vamp. Cuban heel; short vamp. \$4.95.
3. Black kid three-eyelid tie with side cutout design. Cuban heel; built-in steel arch; short vamp. \$4.95.
4. Buckle pump made over short vamp last; in patent leather, with metal buckle; Cuban heel; steel arch. \$4.95.

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