

HOOVER PLACES HOPES IN BATTLE CRY OF PROSPERITY

REVEALS PLANS TO COOLIDGE AT SUMMER CAMP

Drafts Campaign Issues on Plea for Continued Good Business.

PRESIDENT TO SPEAK

Offers to Take Stump for Nominee in Mid-West and Home State.

BY PAUL R. MALLON
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SUPERIOR, Wis., July 17.—Herbert Hoover has informed President Coolidge he intends to stress the issues of continued prosperity and integrity in governmental management in his campaign for the White House.

The Republican candidate indicated he would name these two as the dominant issues in the speech of acceptance of the nomination at Palo Alto, Cal., Aug. 11, the United Press was reliably informed today.

These are practically the same issues upon which Mr. Coolidge successfully sought election in 1924. They were first suggested publicly at Chicago Sunday by Vice President Charles G. Dawes, who told Hoover he believed these issues were foremost. Mr. Coolidge is understood to have agreed the issues were

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Stump on Prosperity Issue

The issue of prosperity will be widely used by Hoover himself in his speeches during the campaign, while that of competent governmen-

tal management will be stressed by the other campaigners.

Hoover steadfastly has declined to talk about politics, reiterating that he would say whatever he had to say in his speech.

Hoover also discussed with the President the advisability of announcing immediately acceptance of his resignation as Secretary of Commerce. Arrangements have been made for the President to make the announcement today. At the same time the President may announce Hoover's successor.

Consider Three for Post

Those mentioned for the post are Walter Brown of Toledo, Hoover's present assistant; Dr. Julius Klein, head of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, and William M. Butler, former chairman of the Republican national committee, and close friend of the President.

Mr. Coolidge informed Hoover he would do everything he possibly could to help the ticket in November. The President indicated he would make two or three speeches, one before he left here, all urging the electorate to endorse the Republican party.

The President is expected to make a speech in Massachusetts to his home State voters in the fall.

Parade to Duluth

Hoover will leave Duluth, Minn., across the lake from here, at 6 p.m., after a two-day visit with the retiring chief executive.

An automobile parade from Superior six miles, to Duluth has been arranged. There Hoover will again board the train to resume his journey to the Pacific Coast. He will arrive in San Francisco Friday.

The nominee enjoyed his stay here with the President. They went fishing in the Brule and the lake for more than three hours late Monday. The usual avenues of information as to the catch were closed to newspaper men in touch with the White House, but announcement was made by secretary to the President that sixteen trout were caught and that each caught eight.

Experienced fisherman here said such an equal division of patronage among fishes would occur but one time out of a hundred.

TROUT 'CATCH' EQUAL

Sanders at first said there were sixteen or seventeen caught and equally divided, but inasmuch as no half fish have been seen in either the Brule or the lake for years, it finally was agreed the catch was eight each.

Hoover is a much more experienced fisherman than the President and is honorary president of the Isaac Walton League.

It was announced Mr. Coolidge had accepted an invitation to speak July 29 at Cannon Falls, Minn., at the unveiling of a Civil War monument.

'ENOUGH ROPE' TO WIFE

Leaves Dollar That Mate May Hang Herself.

PHILADELPHIA, July 17.—Bequests of \$1 to his wife for the purchase of a rope with which to strangle himself and \$100 to a son that he might have a decent grave due for himself are contained in the will of Joseph Toro, probated here today. He died June 14.

He referred to Mrs. Toro as an "ungrateful and untruthful woman" and blamed her for "having disgraced his family" and for "having provoked continual trouble." Under no circumstances was she to have a share of his \$7,000 estate.

Guido, the son, was also severely criticized as "having been an ill-bred and non-studious son, making me spend money on colleges without getting any benefit therefrom."

Fights to Avenge Son



Mrs. J. Grigor; right, above, James Berwald; right, below, Conrad Barth.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Returning from Omaha, Neb., with the body of his chum, James Berwald, Cleveland youth, today told how the two had fought a railroad agent in the darkness in the yards at Ashland, Neb., and how his chum, Gordon Grigor of Chicago, had fallen to his death beneath the wheels of a freight train. Mrs. Grigor, socially prominent in Chicago, has filed suit against Conrad Barth, the rail agent, for \$50,000. Berwald, unaware that his friend had been killed, retraced the route of their bumming trip to Cleveland, then returned for the body of young Grigor. Barth denies he knocked Grigor off the train and under the wheels.

LITERARY FIELD DAY PLANNED

Annual Indiana Event at Culver Aug. 4.

The fourth annual Indiana literary field day will be held at Culver Military Academy Saturday, Aug. 4, Chairman Meredith Nicholson of the advisory committee has announced.

Reception for guests will be held from noon until 1 p.m., followed by a box luncheon on the shore of Lake Maxinkuckee. Golf, a lake cruise, a publishers' putting match and the librarian's lottery are on the afternoons program.

Culver naval, cavalry and woodcraft battalions will parade at 5:30 p.m., in honor of the visitors. The evening program will commence with a dinner dance in the Woodcraft mess tent. Entertainment will close with a pageant and presentation of awards to the prize winners on the lake front.

Members of the committee, headed by Nicholson, are Wayman Adams, Maxwell Aley, George Ade, Claude G. Bowers, D. L. Chambers, Col. George T. Buckingham, E. R. Culver, Elmer Davis, A. R. Erskine, William Forsythe, Walter S. Greenough, Will Hays, William M. Herschell, Edward M. Holloway, Roy Howard, Hewitt H. Howland, Mcready Huston, Kin Hubbard, Ray Long, John C. Mellett, John T. McCutcheon, Anna Nichols, Henry B. Sell, C. E. Scroggins, Lorado Taft, Booth Tarkington, Will Vawter and Secretary Earl Hitch.

HOOVER KIN WEAKENS

Father-in-Law Near Death From Heart Attack.

By United Press

PLACERVILLE, CAL., July 17.—Charles B. Henry, 84, father-in-law of Herbert Hoover, Republican presidential candidate is "gradually weakening," hospital authorities said here today.

Henry suffered a heart attack several weeks ago and since has been confined to a sanitarium. His condition was reported as improving until Monday when a turn for the worse was noted.

Alan Hoover, youngest son of the presidential nominee, was to arrive here today.

USES 'FATTY' ARBUCKLE'S CAR

By Times Special CONNERSVILLE, Ind., July 17.—An automobile once owned by Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle, film comedian, is here for repairs at the McFarlan factory, where it was built in 1924. The car is now owned by E. C. Taylor, mining engineer, San Leandro, Cal. It cost \$18,000.

'Hic' Berries

By Times Special ANDERSON, Ind., July 17.—Mulberries are anti-Volstead so far as seven ducks owned by a local woman are concerned. The ducks ate of the berries which fell to the ground from trees at the home of their owner, and shortly afterward were seen staggering about in approved inebriate fashion. The owner penned the ducks and they will probably remain captives until the mulberry season ends.

FRATERNITY INCORPORATED

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 17.—Incorporation papers for Alpha chapter of Delta Lambda Sigma, Indiana State here, have been filed with the Vigo County recorder. Jacob Maehling, Howard W. Byrd and James Farmer, Terre Haute; Elwood Miller, Pilot Knob, Ind.; Louis R. Carney, Cannenburg, Ind., and Jay Wood, Rensselaer, are directors.

MINE PARLEY CONTINUES

Policies Meeting Runs for Week, No Word as to Outcome.

United Mine Workers of America district and national chiefs continued their sessions at headquarters here today behind closed doors. The meeting has now run for more than a week with no word as to what the outcome will be.

It was brought about by the desire of Illinois miners to drop the Jacksonville scale and end the strike, which has been in progress since April 1, 1927.

RED LIGHTS CALL INDIANA AVENUE EPICURES TO 'KENTUCKY OYSTER' FEAST

By DAN M. KIDNEY

WHEN red lanterns wink and blink before the doors on Indiana Ave. and environs it means the fat is in the fire.

No further information is necessary for the Saturday night Negro folks in search of succulent enjoyment. The sign of the red lantern in this case mean "Crown oysters" are to be had here.

So the avenue epicures can dine on one of their most delightful dishes.

Pay to Work

Ask Phone Rate Reduction at Lafayette on Account of Dial Phones.

TODD POST UNFILLED

Election of Successor Is 'Matter of Weeks.'

Election of a successor to Robert L. Todd as president of the Indianapolis Street Railway Company, and the Terre Haute, Indianapolis and Eastern Traction Company, will be a "matter of weeks" Joseph A. McGowan, secretary-treasurer of the two companies said today.

Stockholders of the T. H. I. & E. will meet again to approve contracts for consolidation of the property with the Central Indiana Power Company, McGowan said.

Memorial services for Mr. Todd, who died in New York City Thursday, are being planned in Christ Church here, some day this week.

Mrs. Todd, her son, Robert William, 21, and nephew, Charles Hulick of New York, were to return today from Middletown, Conn., where Mr. Todd was buried Monday.

SCOTS TO VISIT HOME

2,400 Clan Members Sail on Two Boats Today.

NEW YORK, July 17.—The Order of the Scottish Clans of America celebrates its fiftieth anniversary by an excursion of 2,400 of its members to Scotland this week. Two of the Anchor Line steamers, the Caledonia and the Transylvania, have been chartered by the Scottish order. The Caledonia will leave New York today with 700 and go to Euston, where she will take on another 500 members of the order. The Transylvania will leave New York Wednesday with the remaining 1,200 and meet the Caledonia at Mowile, Ireland.

Quick, Watson!

By United Press

PHILADELPHIA, July 17.—Senator Thomas Heflin of Alabama asked reporters here if they had any further information about "That Mexican affair."

Questioned, he explained, "Why that Carranza incident—that young Mexican aviator killed in New Jersey. I am getting reports there was foul play there a plot to kill him."

He referred to Mrs. Tora as an "ungrateful and untruthful woman" and blamed her for "having disgraced his family" and for "having provoked continual trouble." Under no circumstances was she to have a share of his \$7,000 estate.

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AIRPORT TRACT IS INSPECTED BY CITY CHIEF

Slack Looks Over Proposed Addition to Be Leased for Flying Field.

Mayor L. Ert Slack today inspected the proposed addition to the Indianapolis Airport, Mars Hill, with the view of co-operating with the Indianapolis Airport Corporation on a new plan for a municipal airport.

Slack has conferred with corporation representatives on the advisability of leasing additional land to provide an adequate airport for the city.

Unless the city or business men act quickly, it is feared Indianapolis will be without a public landing field in event the Indiana National Guard goes ahead with its reported plan to buy 182 acres which it now leases from the Indianapolis Airport Corporation.

Discuss Leasing Plan

It is understood the airport corporation directors will meet this week to discuss a plan for leasing 282 acres of land proposed as an addition to the airport.

Under this plan the city would lease the ground for three or four years with option of buying it at a set price in three or four years when it is expected the city will be in a better financial situation.

Options on the additional acreage have been obtained by a local real estate man representing the airport corporation and the National Guard.

Adjt. Gen. William H. Kershner and the Indiana National Guard Army board visited the mayor last week, asking him to join the Guard in buying surrounding land for a landing field.

Guard to Buy Field

The mayor previously had surveyed part of the ground surrounding the airport at Mars Hill and planned viewing the remainder this morning. Slack recently said he favored a municipal airport southwest of the city in connection with a huge park along White River, which would be available over a chain of improved streets.

The Indianapolis Airport Corporation raised \$20,000 to move the 113th Observation Squadron from Kokomo, paying \$13,000 for the moving and the remainder for improvements with dinner dance in the Woodcraft mess tent. Entertainment will close with a pageant and presentation of awards to the prize winners on the lake front.

Twenty residents of South Bend and Elkhart petitioned a reduction in the electric light rates of the Indiana-Michigan Electric Company declaring present rates are unfair and too high.

The Salem municipal water works petitioned for authority to issue \$20,000 in bonds for improvements.

Everett M. Hurst petitioned for authority to establish the Rural Light and Power Company to erect a 6,000 volt electric transmission line in Bartholomew and Decatur counties.

CITY TERM TO SLAYER

434 Rebels Surrender

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, July 17.—Thus far 434 rebels have surrendered voluntarily to the United States Marines, an official Marine report said today.

Questioned, he explained, "Why that Carranza incident—that young Mexican aviator killed in New Jersey. I am getting reports there was foul play there a plot to kill him."