

# HIGHLY ORGANIZED

## FEW SPEECHES, EMPHASIS PUT ON PROMOTION

Housewives, Civic Clubs and College Fraternities Are Lined Up.

### WOMEN ARE BIG AID

Nominee Thinks His Speaking Program Too Ambitious, but Holds to Plan.

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PALO ALTO, Cal., Aug. 7.—The highly organized but quiet campaign planned by Republican leaders in beginning to swing into action, according to reports brought to Herbert Hoover by various party directors during the last few days. Housewives' leagues, civic organizations, college fraternities and business men's clubs have been lined up for the Republican presidential nominee throughout the country, the party intelligence service has reported.

William MacChesney, Chicago attorney, who has been in charge of this work west of Pittsburgh; Secretary of War Dwight Davis and William H. Crocker, national committeeman of California, all agreed in their reports to Hoover that the organization already is functioning better than it has ever been before in a presidential campaign.

#### Few Speeches, Much Promotion

"Few speeches and a lot of promotion work" is the watchword of the workers, who are following lines of Liberty Loan drivers during the war in perfecting their political aims.

A model organization is being set up in Hoover's home county by the California leaders. Women here have started a house-to-house canvass to enlist 7,000 members of the Hoover-for-President Club of Santa Clara County. They are to march in a body to the Stanford stadium for the acceptance ceremonies next Saturday.

Each woman organizer has been allotted a four-block square in which she will be charged with the duty of seeing every housewife.

In conjunction with the women, organizations of local business men are working. They intend to attend the ceremony in a body.

Hoover clubs have been formed in the summer schools of every large college in the State of California. In addition, alumni organizations are being formed under the guidance of fraternity representatives at Stanford University.

#### Pleased by Progress

The nominee is highly pleased with the reports of progress. He always has adhered to the belief that a little action is better than a lot of words.

He has expressed the belief that the speaking program mapped out for him is too ambitious.

Speeches were scheduled for him in Los Angeles and Albuquerque (N. M.), during his return journey to Washington next week, but he has declined for the present to make a set speech at either place.

His advisors say, however, he will make many more speeches than he would like to, and they believe he will not follow out the plan agreed upon a week ago which would carry him into most of the eastern and border States on brief trips nearly every week-end from the date he arrives back in Washington until the day of election.

### RESIGNS SCHOOL POST

Murray Dalman Takes New Job With Chicago Firm.

Resignation of Murray A. Dalman, former school research director, who was reduced to Latin instructor at Washington High School recently, was received today by Superintendent Charles F. Miller.

Dalman has accepted a position as educational consultant with Perkins, Chatton & Hammond Company, Chicago architects. The research position was abolished by the school board at the same time as were those of the three assistant superintendents.

Dalman has been serving as associate professor of education at Butler University this summer. He will assume his new position Monday.

### PROTESTS LIQUOR RAID

Threatened Policemen With Bottles Officers Charge.

Angered because police searched his home and found considerable home brew on ice, George Parker, 2942 Schofield Ave., is alleged to have attempted to strike Patrolman Harry Louden and Sergt. Michael Morrissey with bottles.

The officers had gone to his home Monday after Mrs. Gertrude Shaw, 1418 E. Thirtieth St., told them when they raided her home that some empty beer bottles there had been purchased full from Parker.

### CROSSING CRASH FATAL

Truck Driver Dies of Injuries Received Near Ben Davis.

James E. Louden, 39, of Sterling Heights, near Ben Davis, is dead today as the result of a crash at the Bannister Ave. Pennsylvania railroad crossing Monday night.

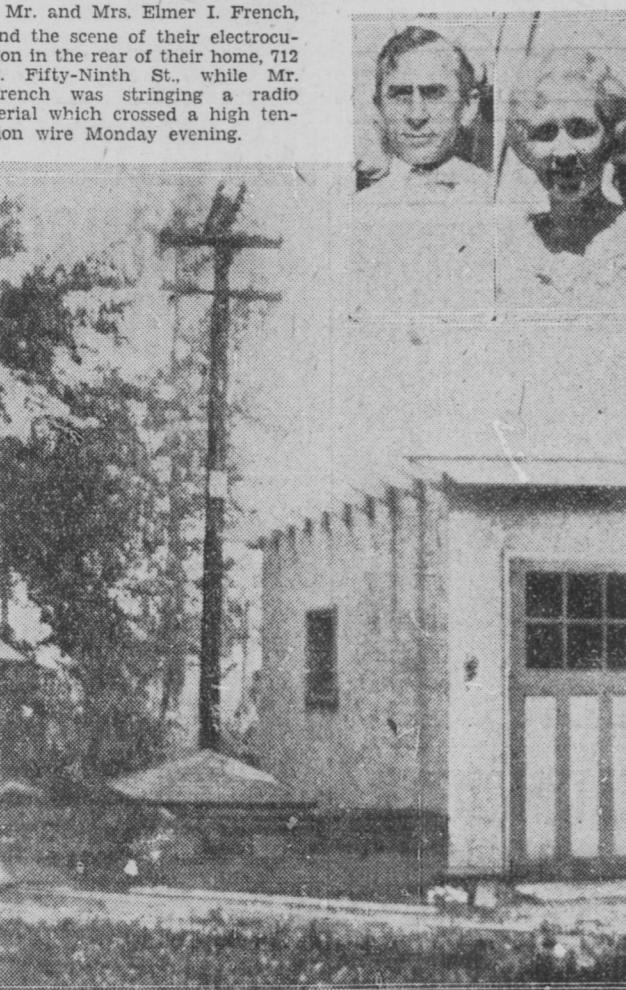
Louden died at 11:30 at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Apparently unaware a train was approaching, he drove a truck on to the tracks in front of a train, Pennsylvania officials said.

Louden was driving a truck for the Marion County Gravel Company. The truck was demolished.

## Scene of Double Tragedy

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer I. French, and the scene of their electrocution in the rear of their home, 712 E. Fifty-Ninth St., while Mr. French was stringing a radio aerial which crossed a high tension wire Monday evening.



Elmer I. French

### SELL IRONSIDES PHOTOS

Drive to Reconstruct Famous Frigate Launched Here.

While on a visit to Camp Gridley Monday, Mayor L. Ert Slack gave a picture of "Old Ironsides" by Chief Signalman H. W. Elke of the Indianapolis naval recruiting station, 24 S. Illinois St.

Thus the drive by the Navy men here to sell sufficient of these pictures at 50 cents each to provide for this city's share in the reconstruction of the frigate Constitution was launched. The pictures may be procured at Navy headquarters.

### SEEK SCHOOL BIDS

Advertise for Contracts Probably Wednesday.

Bids for an eight-room addition to School 47, Warren Ave. and Ray St., will be advertised probably Wednesday in order to start work on the addition yet this fall, Albert Walsman, school business director, said today.

Friends kept Roland French from being killed as he rushed to the rescue of his parents. At last he was permitted to attempt to knock the wire from his father's hand with a wooden clothes pole. The pole was wet and he was twice knocked to the ground by the current.

His 6-year-old daughter, Nancy Jane, saw her grandparents killed. She was sitting on the porch at the home.

Witnesses at last broke the high tension wire by throwing timbers against it.

Funeral services are to be at the home at 2 p. m. Thursday, and burial at Crown Hill cemetery. Another son, Neal French, Charleson, W. V., also survives him.

### NEGRO IS BEATEN ON HEAD WITH HAMMER

Wife Insulted, Says Defendant Charged With Assault.

Her husband chased her from their home at 439 Madison Ave. with a butcher knife this morning, Mrs. Ivan Hunsucker, told police.

When he continued to pursue her she ran up to Harry Mitchell, 420 S. Meridian St., who was standing in front of 474 S. Meridian St., she said.

Hunsucker knocked Mitchell through a window, according to police. Mitchell's head was cut by the glass and he was taken to city hospital.

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### CHASED WITH KNIFE

Husband Pursues Spouse; Pushes Bystander Through Window.

Markus P. Phillips, 32, of 431 N. Noble St., is under arrest today charged with striking Douglas Davidson, 27, Negro, 2009 Yandies St. on the head with a hammer, Monday night at Douglas Park.

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### POLICE GET LIFEBOAT

All-Steel Craft Provided by County for Rescue Work.

Police Chief Claude M. Worley today declared that with the acquisition of the new all-steel lifeboat given the department by the county commissioners police here now are splendidly equipped for recovering bodies of drowned persons.

The boat was being equipped at headquarters today with new grappling hooks, a submersible light, and an electric motor.

The county furnished both boat and motor when the chief requested that they do so, pointing out that much of the rescue work is done by police on White River and Fall Creek outside the city limits.

### BACK HOME AGAIN

Stolen automobiles recovered by the police:

Ford touring, license 657-652, found in alley, west of Agnes St., just north of Michigan St.

C. C. Jordan, 941 Laurel St., Paige sedan, found at Roosevelt Ave. and Ludlow St.

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# HOOVER CAMPAIGN IS LAUNCHED

## JUDGE'S FUND REQUEST TO BE TURNED DOWN

County Councilman Dunn to Fight \$3,700 Appropriation for Collins.

Criminal Judge James A. Collins' request for \$3,700 additional appropriation on which to operate Criminal Court until Dec. 31 probably will be stricken out Wednesday by the county council, it was indicated today at the first of a two-day council meeting.

"I want to see an itemized list of where this money is to go," said Councilman Paul Dunn.

The items are \$3,000 for expense of grand and petit juries, \$500 for expert witness fees, and \$200 for expense of prosecutors on cases ven-

### Raise Interest Rate

The council today passed on first reading and will finally pass on Wednesday a proposal to raise from 4 to 4 1/2 per cent the interest rate on \$150,000 bonds to be issued to pay the county's share for track elevation, jointly with the city and railroads.

When the bonds were offered for sale recently at 4 per cent, while the money market was soaring about 6 per cent no bids were received, causing Auditor Harry Dunn to ask the council today to raise the interest rate. No difficulty in selling the bonds at 4 1/2 per cent is anticipated.

Dunn, John Shearer and Council President George N. Montgomery, who with Dr. Solis Runnels compose the council ruling majority, said it is almost certain Judge Collins' request will be stricken out.

### No Funds in Advance

"It is customary to make no appropriation in advance for expert witness fees," Montgomery said.

"We usually wait until the cases are disposed of and pass on requests accompanied by itemized lists. Fifty dollars is the customary witness fee for experts."

Other items in the requests for additional money tentatively approved today were \$250 for a boat for Sheri Officer Hawkins' force to use in case of drownings, \$150 per diem of board or review, \$120 per diem for township tax assessors, \$2,000 for primary election expense, \$2,000 additional jury fees in Municipal court One, and \$3,000 for improvement of Municipal Judge C. R. Cameron's courtroom at the police station.

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Dr. J. F. Kelly, president of the Massachusetts Chiropractic Association, discussed treatment of diabetic patients.

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Proposed budget of the Indianapolis school city, calling for a \$1,030 levy, will be ready for presentation to the board within ten days. Albert F. Walsman, business director, said today.

Walsman said he is going over the budget, making additional reductions.

Assessed valuation figures may affect the levy, Walsman said. An increase of \$15,000,000 in the valuation would permit one-half cent reduction in the levy, while a \$20,000,000 increase would permit a levy reduction to \$1.02.

An annual \$10,000,000 valuation increase is required, he explained, to keep step with the average annual increase in enrollment and school costs.

### STEALS SHOES ON FEET

Motor Police Capture Suspect; Recover "Kicks" to Owner.

Motor Policemen John Willis and Ray Powers saved Morris Moriarty's shoes Monday night and today Ira Wagner, 24, of 940 Olive St., faces charges of petit larceny for stealing them.

R. L. Danner, Ravenswood, told police he saw Wagner take the shoes off Moriarty's feet while Moriarty was asleep at Louisiana and Indiana Sts. He alleges Wagner took the shoes when he failed to find money in Moriarty's pockets.

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