

## HOOVER THRUST IN SOLID SOUTH SET FOR OCT. 5

Nominee Prepares to Make  
Trip to Tennessee  
Swift, Direct.

BY PAUL R. MALLON  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Herbert Hoover will make a swift, direct trip to Elizabethton, Tenn., next week for his southern campaign speech, according to announcement today from personal headquarters of the Republican presidential candidate.

The nominee and his personal party will leave Washington at 11 p. m. (E. S. T.) Friday, Oct. 5, pausing at 9 a. m. Saturday, at Bristol, Tenn.-Va., for a rear platform appearance.

Arrangements have been made to accommodate 150,000 persons at the first political rally. A Republican presidential candidate has staged in the Solid South in recent years. The speech will be held in the afternoon to enable farmers to get back to their homes before sunset. Special trains are being run from four adjoining southern States.

Concluding his speech, Hoover will motor to Johnson City, forty miles away, to visit a large veterans' hospital. He will deliver a five-minute speech to the veterans, boarding his special train for the return trip to Washington about 6 p. m. (E. S. T.). He will arrive back here about 6:30 a. m. Sunday.

The entire southern journey will require a little more than thirty-one hours.

### Retracts Drinking Charge

By United Press  
BALTIMORE, Sept. 25.—The charge that Herbert Hoover, Republican presidential nominee, drank liquor and thus belied his prohibition stand, virtually was retracted here by Senator Bruce, Maryland Democrat.

Bruce said his statement was based on a newspaper story that quoted Clarence Darrow, famous criminal attorney, as saying he had taken a drink with Hoover.

The charge aroused considerable criticism from Republican ranks and Darrow denied the story. Bruce said he had not been informed of the denial and made his charge on the assumption the newspaper story was correct.

### SURVEY CHURCH WORK

Indianapolis Federation Joins in  
Making National Check.

Agreement to cooperate with the National Institute of Social and Religious Research in conducting a national survey of the city church federation movement was reached at a meeting of the executive committee of the Indianapolis Church Federation Monday.

The national survey is being projected in an effort to determine how the federated church program is functioning, according to Mansur B. Oaks, chairman of the local church federation executive committee.

### Removes Corns in 3 Minutes or Money Back

Your corn off in just a few minutes—perfect foot comfort at once. That is the money-back guarantee on which Shur-Off is sold.

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### FELT SLEEPY, BUT UNABLE TO SLEEP

Arkansas Man Tells How  
He Takes Black-Draught  
for Bloating, Aching  
Feeling and Distress  
After Eating.

Recently, Mr. W. S. Johnson of 125 South Third Street, West Helena, Ark., described his long use of Theford's Black-Draught, saying:

"I am sixty-five years old. For years and years, possibly forty years, I have used Black-Draught as a laxative. It was about the only medicine I ever took, when a young man, for biliousness and constipation. "In after-years, as I grew older, I had to take it when I would get constipated. When I feel bloated, get to aching, feel stupid and sleepy without being able to sleep, I go to taking Black-Draught, and after a few doses I feel much better, I rest better, and the aching is all gone. "I take Black-Draught for indigestion, pains in the chest after meals. After I feel this trouble coming on, I take a light dose of Black-Draught before I eat, and then what I eat doesn't hurt me. I certainly am a firm believer in Black-Draught."

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**BLACK-DRAUGHT**  
for Constipation,  
Indigestion, Biliousness

## Weds Prince This Week



All Japan is eagerly awaiting the royal wedding of Prince Chichibu, heir apparent to the emperor's throne, and Miss Setsu Matsudaira, daughter of the former Japanese ambassador to the United States, which is scheduled for next Friday. Miss Matsudaira is a thoroughly Americanized girl, having attended school at Washington, D. C., and is also an excellent dancer and tennis player. She is shown above, with the prince in the inset.

## PROBE REVEALS CITY OVERDRAFT

Michigan City Water Plant  
Short \$47,783.

Complete inquiry into the financial affairs of Michigan City was ordered today by Lawrence Orr, chief examiner of the State board of accounts.

In reports from field examiners, received by Orr, recovery of \$2,548.50 in unaccounted water rents and an overdraft of \$47,783.66 in funds for operation of the municipal water plant was recorded.

The money was recovered from Floyd Orange, assistant collector of water rents. It had been taken from collections made during the period from Nov. 1, 1925, to July 31, 1928. Deficit was covered by George Orange, the assistant collector's father.

The overdraft of \$47,783.66 is shown to be of July 31, 1928. According to a verbal report of Orville E. Pressler and Edward D. Scott, conducting the examination, it had been taken from Barrett law funds. Under the law such funds can be used only for public improvements and never for operation of utilities.

No definite charge is made, but should further investigation reveal necessity of it W. H. Billings, director of finance of the city, which is under city manager government, may be held accountable, it was indicated.

### ROBS MOTORIST, TAKES CAR; BANDITS FOILED

Negro Gets Auto; Boys Attempting  
Holdup Routed.

An armed Negro relieved William Kraft, 4936 Hovey St., of \$48 and his automobile, a Pontiac coach, in the rear of the Pythian Apts., 705 N. Senate Ave., Monday night.

John Hockman, 5921 University Ave., foiled three youths who climbed into his car at 2500 E. Washington St., Monday night, thrust a gun at him and ordered him to drive off. Hockman drove to No. 25 fire engine house, where he suddenly swerved into the driveway.

The three "boy bandits" jumped out and fled. All were 16 or 17 years old, Hockman told police.

### CURTIS TO SPEAK HERE

Scheduled for Oct. 11 if Voice  
Permits.

Charles E. Curtis, Republican vice presidential nominee, will speak in Cadie Tabernacle the night of Oct. 11 if his voice improves to permit him to continue his speaking tour.

Judge Mahlon E. Bash, Marion County Hoover Club president, told the Irvington Republican Club Monday night.

Lloyd D. Claycombe, Republican candidate for State Representative, addressed the club. Claude H. Anderson, president, announced that Oscar Batts, former State Senator and ex-member of the Indiana Public Service Commission, will be the speaker next Monday night.

CHURCHES PLAN COURSE  
Arrange Three Weeks Sunday  
School on Peace Topic.

A three-week Sunday school course dealing with "Proposal to Renounce War" was recommended as a part of the Indianapolis Church Federation Armistice day program at a Monday meeting of the standing committee on international good will. Further Armistice day plants were tabled until other city organizations had been consulted. The Rev. H. L. V. Shinn, pastor of Emmanuel Reformed Church, is chairman of the federation committee.

## SENATOR NORRIS INDORSES SMITH TALK ON POWER

Says Al's Stand Ahead of  
Hoover; Pleased by  
Farm Pledge.

By ROSCOE B. FLEMING  
Times Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Senator George W. Norris, Progressive leader in the Senate, today indorsed the declarations made in two of Governor Alfred E. Smith's western speeches—that at Omaha on farm relief and that at Denver on power.

Norris said also that he stands by the criticism he uttered both of the Republican platform and nominee after the Kansas City convention.

But he now is not going to make any flat declarations on the presidency, Norris said, for fear it might hamper his forthcoming fight to help re-elect the seven Progressive Senators of both parties who are up this fall.

Praises Farm Stand

"I regard their re-election as even more important than the question of who is to be President," he said, "especially when I think what they have accomplished against bitter opposition in the last few years. They have to their credit a sum of accomplishments greater than any other man or group."

"As for Smith, I do not see how any one who believes that the farm problem must be solved by the control of crop surpluses—the plan we tried to make effective in the McNary-Haugen bill—can fail to be satisfied with what he said at Omaha."

"He accepts the principle and also that the crop benefited should bear the cost of controlling the surplus. Within this limit he will appoint a committee to work out a plan to be laid before Congress quickly. That is definite and specific."

Says Smith Ahead of Hoover

"And his power speech at Denver was so great—so far ahead of anything Hoover has said on the same question that there is no comparison."

"Without discounting the importance of other issues I believe the power issue to be the most important of the campaign. The Federal Trade Commission revelations have clinched the fact that the people of this country stand confronted by the greatest attempt at monopoly and the secret control of our Government that has arisen since the beginning of our history."

Storm Takes Huge Toll

LISBON, Portugal, Sept. 25.—A severe storm, accompanied by a driving rain and strong winds, caused enormous damage in Portugal yesterday and today. Many districts were flooded.

### Risks a Life

By United Press

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 25.—Self-confidence worthy of a cat's proverbial nine lives, was shown by a little gray kitten which tied traffic for a minute while it took its time in crossing a busy downtown street. The kitten nonchalantly stepped off sidewalk, walked to the center of the street and proceeded at a leisurely gait down car tracks. Immediately all traffic on the street, except the kitten, became nervous. "A street car motorman slowed down his car and crept along at a snail's pace. Several autos were stopped. Then a woman rushed out and grabbed the kitten up and it was all over."

## Deserted Baby Touches Mother Heart of City

### SITE SURVEY ENDED

Airport Appraisers Will Report  
Wednesday.

Indianapolis Real Estate Board appraisers are to report on the value of proposed municipal airport sites at a meeting of the site committee Wednesday noon at the Chamber of Commerce. The meeting was postponed today.

George T. Whelden, appraisal chairman, gave sealed valuations to Clifford L. Harrod, Chamber industrial commissioner, who is committee secretary. Written opinions from several local appraisers expressing their views on the most desirable locations are expected.

Harrod was to read a letter from the United States Department of Commerce Bureau of lighting, stating that the lighting between Cincinnati and Chicago is being delayed pending location of the Indianapolis field.

The New York Central Railroad is understood to have written the committee suggesting that equal consideration be given all railroads and stressing the importance of having the site available from one or more lines.

Wreck Italian Plant in Brazil

SAN PAULO, Brazil, Sept. 25.—Students, armed with sticks and clubs, raided the Italian newspaper Piccolo, smashed the machinery and set fire to the equipment Monday night. The raid was occasioned by an alleged insult on Brazilian womanhood printed in the paper. Firemen were called to extinguish the flames.

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## And a Good Time Was Had by All



PLYMOUTH, Vt., Sept. 25.—John and Gretia Wilder of this city had out-of-town visitors the other day. Mrs. Wilder's nephew, C. Coolidge and wife, were on their way to Washington, D. C., where he has an important position with the Government. They stopped off at Plymouth to see some old friends and relatives, but Mrs. Wilder said she hardly had time to kiss her popular nephew and ask about his health before he had to leave to see the rest of the folks. This picture was taken on the Wilders front porch.

## CURTIS DOGS SMITH'S TRAIL

Scores Al's Farm Program  
in Denver Speech.

By United Press

ABOARD CURTIS CAR ENROUTE TO OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 25.—Senator Charles Curtis, Republican nominee for vice president, followed Governor Alfred E. Smith's trail between Denver, Col., and Omaha, Neb., today.

Elated by the reception he received Monday night at Denver, Curtis prepared for his second attack on the New Yorker's farm relief program.

Tonight Curtis will speak from the platform where Smith indorsed the principle of the McNary-Haugen bill in the first speech of the Democratic presidential nominee's western tour.

Curtis was prepared to make a

### Err to Eat

By Times Special  
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 25.—Students in Central High School's new writing class deposit a penny in a box for every grammatical error made while in class. When the box is filled the pennies are taken out and spent for food for a party.

thorough analysis of Smith's farm relief program and warn farmers of the West against accepting it. He has said already it means nothing because it sets up no machinery for carrying out the principle indorsed.

The Kansas Senator said nothing Monday night about Smith's speech, in which public ownership of power resources was advocated.

Greek Premier Invited to Turkey  
ROME, Sept. 25.—Premier Venizelos of Greece has been invited by Ismet Pasha to visit Turkey and discuss a settlement of questions outstanding between Turkey and Greece, Venizelos told the press here today.

## SURVEY CITY'S CREDIT SYSTEM

Retail Men Seek Data to  
Protect Selves.

A composite picture of Indianapolis' credit practices will be sought by a committee composed of William H. Flanders, secretary-manager of the Retail Merchants and Credit Men's Bureau, and Walter J. Hubbard Jr., assistant cashier of the Fletcher American National Bank.

This survey of credit methods is being sought in conjunction with the National Retail Credit Association and the United States Department of Commerce, but the immediate objective of the Indianapolis committee will be to offer local business firms information as to just what credit policies are in operation, Flanders said today.

Other counties and the number of bridges to be included in the letting are Adams, on Rd. 27; Delaware, on Rd. 27; Jay, on Rd. 67; Kosciusko, on Rd. 15; La Porte, on Rd. 29; Lake, on Rd. 6; Monroe, on Rd. 37; Porter, on Rd. 6; Randolph, on Rd. 27; four in Wabash, two each on Rds. 15 and 24; Warrick, on Rd. 66, and three in Wayne, two on Rd. 38 and one on Rd. 27.

## STATE TO BUILD 18 BRIDGES IN DOZEN COUNTIES

Cost Will Be \$350,000 and  
Bids Will Be Opened  
Oct. 2.

Bids will be opened Oct. 2 by the State highway commission for construction of eighteen bridges on State roads in twelve counties. Director John D. Williams announced today.

This is the first bridge letting of the fiscal year 1929 and the eighth of the calendar year 1928. Cost will be approximately \$350,000, Williams said.

Five of the proposed bridges are major structures. One in Adams County is to be 300 feet long and span the Wabash River, where the State road is being relocated between Geneva and Berne.

A 260-foot reinforced concrete arch structure of four spans planned for the Missisnewa River between Muncie and Albany.

In Lake County a 144-foot steel bridge is to go over Deep River, near Hobart. In Warrick County, a 350-foot two-span structure will cross Cypress Creek between Rockport and Newberry. This structure parallels the Ohio River within 200 feet and the bridge floor or roadway will be sixty feet above the foundation.

The most unusual structure in the forthcoming letting, Williams said, is to be erected in Monroe County. It will consist of one eighty-four-foot span and four thirty-eight-foot spans, all of concrete and steel construction. This bridge crosses Jackson Creek and also will pass under a bridge of the Monon railroad.

It will be located four miles south of Bloomington on relocation of Rd. 37. It is the only place where a highway bridge crossing a stream passes under a railroad bridge.

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