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Unsettled with showers probable tonight and Tuesday; somewhat colder Tuesday.

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Editor Times
WELL, De Priest has come and gone with the same old bunk we have been hearing for forty years. It will be noted the distinguished congressman had nothing to say about the depression, tax reduction, unemployment, economy and government or reconstruction. All he could talk about was poor old Abe Lincoln. How I wish they would let his ashes rest in peace!

The Republican party set the Negro free nearly 100 years ago, and for that the Negro must go like unthinking sheep to the polls and vote for anything labelled Republican. "Though he may be, yet shall I trust him" is the humiliating attitude Mr. De Priest would have the Negro take.

The thoughtful and intelligent Negroes (and thank God there are millions of them), no longer are fooled by Oscar De Priest. They remember that he is the same Oscar De Priest who called a nation-wide nonpartisan meeting in Washington, D. C., and urged the Negro to split his vote, stating that he never could hope to get anywhere politically by placing all his eggs in one basket.

This same Mr. De Priest traveled all over the United States last winter and early spring of this year urging Negroes to vote the Democratic ticket, yet now he says in substance that the Negro is a fool who votes the Democratic ticket.

De Priest spoke of the fiery cross in Texas. Of course we all know he never saw any fiery crosses burned in Texas. I, too, was born in the south and reared there, but the first and only time I ever saw a fiery cross of Klan regalia was in the state of Indiana.

I saw the Klan marching under the Republican administration and not once did we hear of the eloquent Senator Watson raising his voice denouncing that organization.

As a matter of fact, during all the years this distinguished Republican has been at Washington, not once has any one heard him lift his voice in defense of the American Negro.

F. B. RANSOM.

Editor Times
GLAD you realize Roosevelt is a real leader of men. Thanks, for the editorial on 'old sounder'; or Henry Ford. Ford has an ax to grind and finds the Republicans willing to grind it free.

Republicans say, "Don't change horses in the middle of the stream." Now, do they think a sane man or woman would stay on a sinking horse and drown? Let's change horses. The present nags have colic. Republicans call the poor people idiots. Let's show them on election day that we think for ourselves, by voting the straight Democratic ticket.

Remember a vote for the Socialist or Liberty party is a vote for Hoover. If you enjoy charity baskets, jowl, stale bread, and soup lines, keep Hoover, but, if you are a red-blooded American, who wants the right to earn a living, vote the straight Democratic ticket.

MRS. W. A. COLLINS.

53 North Hamilton avenue.

Editor Times
AFTER nineteen years of being a Republican and Democrat, mostly a Republican, I am going to vote for a real leader, or two real leaders, Norman Thomas and Maurer, as I heard them both, and they are heading a party which will really do something for all of us if elected.

A good many of my friends would like to vote for them, but they give the most asinine reason for not doing so, saying, "I would vote for them, but they haven't got a chance." They will go and vote for something they don't want, just because they think that something they do want hasn't a chance to materialize.

A lot of people won't vote at all, because they say that both of the old parties are no good. Well, I think as Norman Thomas said, "One party is just a spare tire." J. C. KENT.

Editor Times
THIS country was founded for the most part by people seeking freedom of religious worship. Any industry that serves the wants of men is by virtue of that service a function of religious worship. Laws within this country prohibiting such industry most surely violate the primary objective of the founders of this country. The writer refers to the eighteenth amendment and the bulwark of laws supporting it.

G. L. BURKHART.

Editor Times
In the "You Say It Column" Oct. 15, Mr. Bufflehead asked for some "wise guy" to tell him why the depression is hitting the foreign nations who have no prohibition law and no Hoover, the same as the United States.

I am not a "wise guy," but I know that the international bankers and their gold standard have plunged the nations of the world so heavily in debt that money sifted into the hands of such a small per cent of the population that the common people have no money to buy back the products of their labor, and therefore, our industrial plants are idle.

In this country, the international bankers control the major political parties, to get legislation to control the country's finances. The finances control the machinery; the machinery disposes men and women, but the machines can not consume anything they make; therefore, we have breadlines, soup kitchens, emaciated bodies and malnutrition in children in the wealthiest nation on earth.

The only solution is a change from the "two in one" major parties.

FORREST L. HACKLEY.

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THOUSANDS GO PAST BIER OF FATHER GAVISK

Rich and Poor Alike Pay
Last Respects to Famed
City Churchman.

SERVED HERE 47 YEARS
Chancellor of Diocese Won
Renown for Constant
Charitable Work.

Indianapolis today prepared to pay its last tribute to one of its best beloved citizens, Monsignore Frances H. Gavisk, vicar-general and chancellor of the Indianapolis diocese of the Roman Catholic church, who died Saturday at St. Vincent's hospital. He was rector of St. John's Catholic church.

Father Gavisk, friend of the poor and the rich alike, whose public and private charitable work had brought him nation-wide renown, had been ill two weeks with bronchial pneumonia.

Although subject to recurring illness more than ten years, he had remained active and vigorous, refusing to give up his duties.

Thousands Pass Bier

Thousands of friends in all stations of life passed his bier Sunday and today to pay their respects. The body will continue to lie in state, dressed in the violet vestments of the mass, in St. John's rectory, 128 West Georgia street, until Tuesday afternoon, when it will be taken to the church, of which he had been pastor since 1890.

Clergy of the diocese will sing the psalm of the dead at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday.

At 10, Bishop Ledvina of the Corpus Christi (Tex.) diocese will be celebrant at a pontifical requiem mass.

The Rev. Michael Lyons, pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes church, will be assistant priest; the Rev. John O'Hare, pastor of St. Simon's church, Washington, and the Rev. Peter Killian, pastor of Holy Name church, Beech Grove, deacons of honor; the Rev. Patrick Griffin, Chicago, deacon of the mass; the Rev. Maurice O'Connor, pastor of St. John of Arc church, subdeacon; the Rev. Elmer J. Ritter, rector of St. Peter and Paul cathedral, and the Rev. Ambrose J. Sullivan, assistant pastor of St. John's church, masters of ceremonies.

Born in Evansville

The clergy choir of Indianapolis, directed by the Rev. Clement Boller, will sing the requiem.

The funeral sermon, after mass, will be preached by the Right Rev. Joseph Chartrand, bishop of Indianapolis.

Trustees of the church will be pallbearers. They are John Blackwell, Frank McNamara, John O'Brien, Frank Fletcher and John McShane.

The 76-year-old priest was born in Evansville, the son of Michael and Mary Gavisk. He was educated at St. Meinrad's college and seminary.

For a time he was a reporter and later city editor of the Evansville Courier, but at the age of 24 began study for priesthood.

Ordained in 1885

Ordained in 1885, Father Gavisk was assigned as assistant rector of St. John's church in the same year and has remained there ever since. He was elected to rector in 1890.

He was known as one of the greatest social and welfare workers in the nation. He served as president of the National Conference of Charities and Correction in 1915 and 1916, after having been vice-president five years.

In 1929 he was awarded the Indianapolis Community Fund medal of distinguished service. He was a member of the Indiana state board of charities at the time of his death, having served through various state administrations for twenty-five years.

Father Gavisk had been a director of the Family Welfare Society almost as long. He also was vice-president of the Indiana chapter, American Red Cross, and was a tireless worker for relief of the stricken during times of stress.

Gets High Rank in 1918

A trustee of the Indianapolis Foundation, he held membership in the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, Indianapolis Athletic Club, Literary Club and Indianapolis Art Association.

Father Gavisk was named chancellor of the Indianapolis diocese in 1895, his work in this post resulting in Pope Benedict conferring upon him in 1918 the title of monsignore and Prothontary Apostolic, the latter being the highest rank of monsignore.

Following an operation for removal of gallstones about twelve years ago, Father Gavisk was prevailed upon by his friends to cease his efforts and rest by taking a tour of Europe. While in Rome he was granted an audience by the pope.

As a member of the George Rogers Clark memorial commission, he went to Washington in February to obtain from congress an appropriation of \$175,000 to complete the Clark memorial at Ft. Sackville.

RED CROSS TO ELECT

Places Left Vacant by Deaths Will
Be Filled Wednesday.

Two directors of the Indianapolis chapter of the American Red Cross will be elected at 3:30 Wednesday afternoon, to take the places left vacant by deaths of Frank D. Stalnaker and Mrs. Meredith Nicholson.

Tall Blooming



HOOVER URGED BY G. O. P. TO SPEAK HERE

Henry Ford and Senator Glenn Join State Chiefs in Appeal.

PLANS FLYING FINISH

Whirlwind Windup Is Being
Considered on Trip
to Coast.

Efforts are being made to have President Hoover speak in Indianapolis between Oct. 31 to Nov. 2, it was learned today. Party leaders said they expect a definite answer today.

Republican state leaders are said to have sent an S. O. S. to national party leaders due to the impression made here when Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic presidential nominee, spoke last week.

A press dispatch from Washington today stated that the President may make a whirlwind finish of the campaign with a series of speeches while en route to his home in Palo Alto, Cal.

Cities mentioned as likely stops are Indianapolis, Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Kansas City, Denver, Salt Lake City and San Francisco.

Previously, Hoover had been scheduled for only one address, that being at Madison Square Garden, New York, one week from tonight.

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Senator James E. Watson and A. M. Smith of Crawfordsville, president of the Indiana Editorial Association, have invited Hoover to speak here on several occasions, it was said at Republican state headquarters.

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Shot Is Fatal



LIFE OF EASE ON LOOT ENDS; AGAIN IN CELL

Escaped Gem Thief Found
Living on \$75 Weekly
Income From Thefts.

FLED IN PRISON RIOT

Man Who Stole Millions in
Jewels Expects Rest of
Days in Jail.

BY MARION F. COLLINS
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 24.—Life in prison faced Arthur Barry, captured gem thief, who escaped from Auburn penitentiary and planned a life of ease on a \$75 weekly income from loot, estimated at \$2,000,000.

The suave robber, who fled during the 1929 Auburn riot, is a cell here today predicted for himself the full term meted out to fourth offenders under the Baumes law.

He also reviewed his life of crime, his daring jail break, and his three-year period of freedom, in which he insisted he had "gone straight."

Barry was questioned for possible knowledge of the Lindbergh kidnapping case, but authorities were convinced he knew nothing thereof. It was said he had a thorough alibi for the day and night of the kidnapping.

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INSULL CRASH BRINGS TRAGEDY

Captured in Farmhouse

BARRY was captured Saturday night in a farmhouse near Andover, N. J., because "some one squealed," he said.

BARRY had dyed his hair and lived quietly on a farm, where he paid \$2 weekly for a room. He said he had lived a year in New York and a year in Newark.

When the Auburn break was plotted, Barry said, he and his pals, raided the prison arsenal, and escaped over the wall.

Once in New York, Barry said he was only bothered once.

The woman was Mrs. Irene Carroll, 29, attractive widow. She refused all food