

PLATFORM ELOQUENCE OF MINISTER MAIN HOPE OF G. O. P. IN FIFTH DISTRICT

J. Raymond Schutz, North Manchester Pastor, Worries Democrats With His 'Silver-Tongued' Campaign.

GRISWOLD MARGIN IS CUT DEEPLY

Industrial Leaders Make Headway in Effort to Swing Employes' Sentiment Toward Hoover.

BY BEN STERN

MARION, Ind., Oct. 29.—"Liberalism" is the real and underlying issue in the Fifth district congressional campaign.

It has been made so by J. Raymond Schutz, North Manchester college professor and minister, who is the Republican congressional nominee against Glenn Griswold of Peru, incumbent Democrat.

And the farmers of the Fifth, although they are "agin" the administration, are befuddled by Schutz' verbal fireworks and are sitting by and wondering what it is all about.

Where Griswold is almost inarticulate on the stump, his opponent, by virtue of his pulpit and lecture room training, is possessed of a glibness that is causing the Democratic district managers much worry.

Although estimates and analyses of the nine counties indicate that the Democratic state and national candidates will carry the district by 5,000 or more votes, the barrage of oratory may reduce Griswold's margin of victory to 1,000.

That is, unless there is an upswelling of liberal sentiment which will turn out Nov. 8 to register its approval of Griswold's vote for a prohibition referendum, his stand for the Norris anti-injunction and anti-yellow dog contract bills, and his fight for immediate payment of the soldiers' bonus.

Mostly Dry Farmers

Except for the counties of Grant, Howard, Clinton and Huntington, where are located respectively the cities of Marion, Kokomo, Frankfort and Huntington, the district is composed in the main of dry, conservative farmers.

The opportunity to scratch the congressional candidate is easy in this district because the system of two Australian ballots is used. Upon one is the national-state ticket and upon the other ballot county and congressional aspirants.

Such division of the ticket makes it easy for a voter to go one way on the national and state candidates and another on the congressional and county choices.

Schutz has been hurling a verbal barrage of criticism at Griswold, especially for his vote for immediate payment of the soldiers' bonus. But it is noticeable that he refrains from mentioning the names of either Senator James E. Watson or Raymond S. Springer, G. O. P. Governor nominee.

The former is universally hated in this district and the latter is not known, even by many of the party workers.

Schutz Is Good Speaker

Schutz has the asset of being a facile and practiced speaker who boasts a wide acquaintance from years of speaking in almost every schoolhouse and church in the district.

Griswold, on the contrary, is inarticulate to the extreme. He is at his best when explaining his views to a crowd of laborers or dirt farmers, but doesn't seem able to click where oratorical ability is required. This and his pronounced wet stand are his principal handicaps. To offset this, he is extremely popular among those with whom his contact has been close.

The incumbent is endorsed by the American Federation of Labor, the Association Against the Eighteenth Amendment, and the ex-servicemen's organization.

Farmers and workers are not talking kindly to the idea of a minister as a candidate for congress and two members of Schutz' church openly declared that "a minister has no business in politics."

Reports are that his congregation is divided because of his candidacy and in Wabash county, where he resides, several are openly working against him.

Picture Is Confusing

It's a confusing picture here because the district as now composed has gone Democratic but twice in recent years. In 1922 it went that way by 1,913 votes, only two years after it gave the G. O. P. a majority of 16,510, and in 1930 the Democratic majority was 3,043, after giving Republican by 12,480 votes in 1928.

Besides Kokomo and Marion, the industrial centers of Frankfort and Huntington are contained within its confines and the dissatisfied there are expected to aid Griswold's campaign.

But the voters in these cities are being subjected to great pressure by the employers. Last week fifteen of the principal industrialists met in Marion and discussed ways and means of carrying the district for Hoover and the Republican ticket. A similar meeting was held in Kokomo.

Principal arguments used in the whispering campaign sponsored by these groups is that re-election of Hoover means a continued high tariff, while that of Roosevelt

means low tariff and continued hard times.

Has Strong Effect

There can be no denial but that this is having a potent effect in the industrial centers. The farmers, however, are adamant in their resentment.

If verbal fireworks are desired, just tune in on some farmer broadcasting in front of the small town bank just what he thinks about the administration.

They, rural polls reveal, have not been swayed by the Des Moines speech.

Another factor hurting G. O. P. chances is the extreme unpopularity of Watson in several counties of the district.

Railroad employes and printing craftsmen of Huntington are fighting the re-election of Watson tooth and nail. To them he is the incarnation of American reactionary conservatism.

In Wabash the senior senator is anathematized because of Republican factional troubles. There, despite a petition of 2,500 voters to the contrary, he appointed Arthur Thompson as postmaster. Thompson is an ally of James Shawalter, member of the state tax board, who has been the Watson representative in the county, and both are thoroughly disliked.

Boss Is Peeved

Here in Marion, "Tieless" Johnny Jones, Republican boss and postmaster, is angry at Jim because he didn't come through with a recommendation for his reappointment.

At Kokomo, where 1,600 families are living off the public funds, and because of unemployment are bitter against the administration, and especially Watson, there is little disposition on the part of the county Republican organization to come to his aid.

The sore spot there is the fact that the senator never consults Mayor Thayer, county chairman, or other recognized leaders, but listens to Walter Dickinson, a contractor. And so on regarding Republican factional differences, all of which kick back directly at Watson.

Don't be surprised if Bert Morgan, Republican candidate for secretary of state, trails his state ticket in Grant county. Because of his friendship with Alfred Hogson, state fire marshal, there is general animosity toward Morgan and so revenge will be taken on the marshal through the unlucky candidate.

This same community is the headquarters of the glass industry of this section of the state and that makes for a peculiar situation. Repeal of prohibition is expected to mean a large glass bottle market. Therefore, the employees of the twelve factories in this vicinity ordinarily would vote for the Democratic state and national tickets and Griswold.

But because the operators of the factories demand a high protective tariff, the pressure is being put on the employees to vote for Hoover, Watson and Schutz.

Bad for Worker

Thus the worker is in a tough spot. Now for a look at the individual counties in the district.

Blackford—In the last ten years it has varied politically by majorities of less than 100 for either party. Both parties are fighting with good organizations, but it is expected to give the Democratic national-state tickets a majority of 500, and Griswold at least 200.

Clinton—Half and half in the last decade. Frankfort, the county seat, is an industrial center and wet. It is expected to swing the county back to the Roosevelt-McNutt-Van Nuy ticket by a lead of 1,000 and give Griswold at least half that figure.

Howard—In 1928, 19,000 votes were cast in this county and the Republican

majority was 5,538. In 1930, 14,000 votes were cast and the Democratic majority for the state ticket was approximately 1,000 votes. The victory came because 5,000 Republicans didn't go to the polls.

Many Votes Doubtful

This year they are listed as either doubtful or Democratic. The Socialists are expected to poll about 300 votes. The Republicans, it is estimated, will lose the county for the national and state tickets by 1,500 or more votes, and 1,000 for congress. Watson was defeated by 100 votes in the county in the presidential preferential primary of 1926, and factional difficulties set out above may cause him to trail the G. O. P. state ticket in Kokomo. He also lost to Harry New in the 1920 and to Charles Adams in the 1926 senatorial primaries.

Grant—Hoover is showing a slight gain in Marion over previous reports, because of the pressure exerted by employers. Five thousand are polled as doubtful in this county, but because of the tariff stand of the factories this county is exceedingly doubtful.

Conservative estimates give it to the Democratic state and national tickets by 500 votes and to Schutz, the Republican congressional candidate, by 1,000 votes. This may be offset, however, if Griswold can make a vivid appeal to the laborers and liberals of the community in the next few days.

His organization here, as in other counties, is exceedingly poor. Van Nuy is very popular as is McNutt, and both are expected to run ahead of Roosevelt in Marion.

Labor Fights Watson

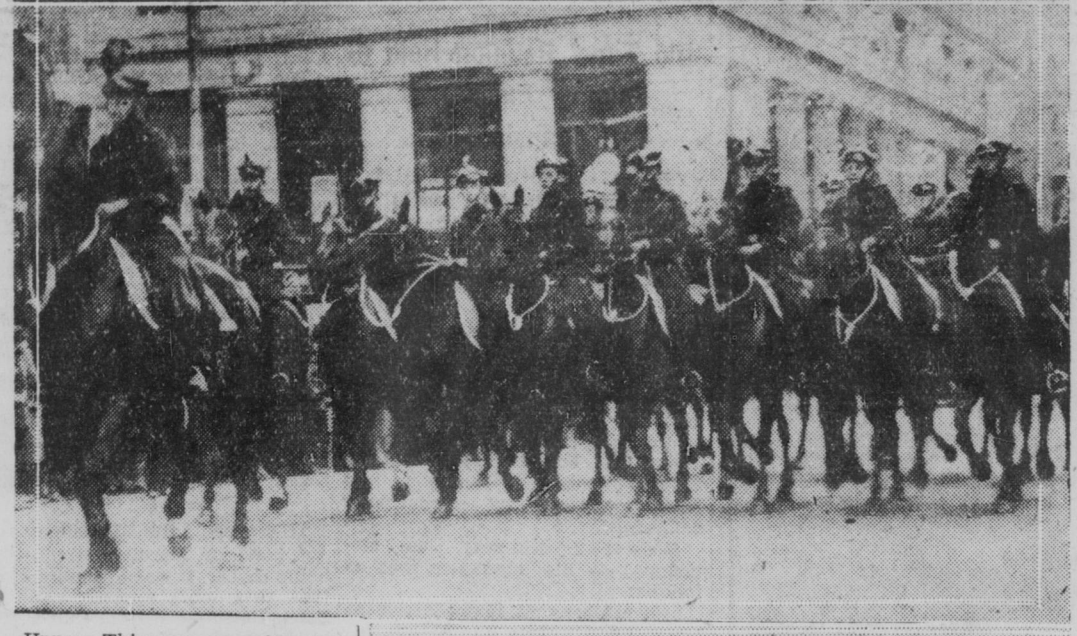
Huntington—Labor is strong in its Watson opposition in this uncertain county and the rural sections are bitter in their protest of the Hoover administration. Schutz has been making a strong campaign here, but because of the animosity against the rest of the Republican ticket is not expected to be able to carry it. Democratic national and state majority is estimated at 1,000 and Griswold's at 200 or more.

Jay—Usually Democratic, although not heavily. McNutt, Van Nuy and national candidates should carry this county by 300 because of organization activity and Griswold by 150.

Miami—Griswold's home county.

Delaware and Ohio Nts. Riley 1536

President Hoover Comes to Town



Upper—This caravan of autos, with President Hoover's leading, composed the presidential parade from the Union station to Sixteenth and Meridian streets, from where Mr. Hoover and his party were rushed to Governor Leslie's mansion.

Center—Cheers of the crowd, which saw President Hoover when he arrived Friday afternoon, were concentrated on the famous Black Horse troop of Culver Military Academy. The troop, that has led parades for the world's greatest, is shown leading the Hoover march.

Lower—President Hoover raised his hand in greeting to a mild response from the crowds. In front of Mr. Hoover is Senator James E. Watson. At Mr. Hoover's left is his wife, while in front of Mrs. Hoover sits Raymond Springer, Republican candidate for Governor.



Gave him a majority of 1,575 in 1930. Will duplicate at least, although Schutz has many friends, while the national-state tickets will run ahead by the same figures.

Tipton Is Democratic

Tipton—A hard-working Democratic organization in this county is expected to double the 75 majority of 1930 for Griswold and give Roosevelt, McNutt and Van Nuy a lead of 300 here.

Wabash—Here Schutz is at home and retaliates by piling up a lead of at least 2,000, which is expected to put him at least 2,500 votes ahead of Hoover and Watson in this strong Republican county. Watson is very unpopular here because he overrode the petition of 2,500 voters protesting against the appointment of the postmaster.

Although G. O. P. majorities have been as high as 2,700 here Van Nuy, McNutt and Roosevelt will run up a majority of approximately 500.

3000 IS HOLDUP LOOT

Bandits Hold Up Pharmacy: Take \$97.04 in U. S. Postal Funds.

Two bandits obtained more than \$300 Friday night in a robbery of the Parkcrest pharmacy, 2602 Shelby street, which houses a postal substation. Of the loot, \$97.04 was postal receipts.

Two customers and two employees were forced to go to the basement while the money was collected from the store safe and three cash registers. Paul Leim, 1318 Cruff street, and F. L. Smith, 2736 Shelby street, were the customers. The employees were Orrin Davis, 1225 Hoefgen street, and Merle Lawson, Y. M. C. A.

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DENIED SPEECH RIGHT, THOMAS DEFIES MAYOR

Philadelphia Police Refuse to Interfere With Talk of Socialist.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 29.—Norman Thomas, Socialist candidate for President who was refused a permit to speak near City Hall, Friday addressed a large crowd gathered under the eyes of many police on Rebyrn Plaza, opposite City Hall.

Police made no attempt to interfere. Hundreds of persons crowded the plaza when President Hoover on Monday will make his only scheduled campaign appearance in Philadelphia.

Mayor J. Hampton Moore refused the Socialist nominee the permit. His police department, however, said it would be the duty of Fairmount Park guards to prevent the meeting.

Supplemented by Police

Major Thomas S. Martin, park commission secretary, consequently had some two dozen of his park guards on duty at the meeting. They were supplemented by a score of mounted city police.

In explaining the refusal of the permit to Thomas, while allowing that privilege to Mr. Hoover, officials said they had been told the President's visit was not of a political nature.

It had been said Hoover's visit would be of an historical nature. "This is not a political meeting, but a class in history," Thomas told the crowd. "Next Monday your superintendent of public education, William S. Vare, will introduce a distinguished historian, Herbert Clark Hoover, who will discuss wild life on the Rapidan."

4,000 Cheer Frequently

"He may even tell you how he stayed up all night saving the Republican and incidentally Charley Dawes' bank."

"However, the park commission rules that the tales are both recreational and restful."

His half-hour talk, one of many he has made in Philadelphia during the last two days, was cheered frequently by the 4,000 gathered on the plaza. Finishing, he left immediately for Morristown, N. J., where he is scheduled to speak this afternoon and tonight.

James Maurer of Reading, Pa., vice-presidential candidate of the Socialist party and former president of the Pennsylvania State Federation of Labor, followed Thomas on the program.

KILLER-MOTHER HELD

Woman Who Drowned Three Children Is Held to Grand Jury.

CHARLESTON, Ill., Oct. 29.—A coroner's jury has recommended that Mrs. Inez Steed Carrell, who poisoned and drowned her three children, and tried to take her own life, be held to the grand jury on murder charges. She was held in jail here today.

Mrs. Carrell, suffering from an incurable malady, confessed killing the children at a Mattoon hotel. She had been a widow four years.

MAP SALMON GROUNDS

Oregon Commission Shows Details of Fishing Industry.

ASTORIA, Ore., Oct. 29.—A map picturing details of the Columbia river fishing industry has been prepared by the Oregon fish commission. The vari-colored map shows the spawning areas in their natural condition.

FORM 'HUNGER MARCH'

Leaders of Chicago Jobless Obtain Permit for Demonstration.

MOSCOW, Oct. 29.—An honor rarely won by a living literary man fell to Maxim Gorki, novelist and playwright, when the Soviet government issued a special postage stamp carrying his portrait in connection with the fortieth anniversary of his literary activity.

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*Refusing to give his name, a man injured when an automobile he was driving struck a pole after Crawfordsville police punctured tires with bullets, is held there today under guard in a hospital.

License plates for the car were issued to William Camden, 2110 South State avenue, Indianapolis, local police were advised.

The injured man is about 21. He was shabbily dressed. Two other men who had been riding in the car escaped after the crash. The car contained slot machines, cigs and cigars.

RITCHIE SCORES

HOOPER VIEWS

Nation Demands a Change, Governor Declares.

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hibition planks of both parties, to the great glee of the crowd. "The Republican prohibition plank is a piece of hypocrisy, deception and double-dealing, while the Democratic plank is clean and forthright, advocating repeal of the eighteenth amendment," Ritchie concluded.

H. Nathan Swain, Marion county chairman, introduced several speakers, who addressed the crowd until time for the broadcast of Ritchie's speech.

M. E. Foley, secretary of the board of trustees of Indiana state prison, and Meredith Nicholson, Indiana author, spoke for several minutes. Swain also introduced state, county and city leaders seated on the platform.

At 11 Governor Ritchie and his party were escorted to the Union station for the return trip to Maryland.

LOWLY HERRING NOW IS 'PEARL' PRODUCER

Abundant Source of Supply for Lustrous Synthetic Gems.

EASTPORT, Me., Oct. 29.—The lowly herring, which inhabits the waters of the Maine coast, now is revealed as an abundant source of supply for the lustrous substance used in the manufacture of synthetic pearls and also for various other purposes which involve the use of pearl essence.

Until the discovery that the New England herrings were prolific in "guanine," a tiny crystal contained in a membranous layer of fat underneath the fish scale, practically all pearl essence was imported and not many years ago commanded a price of \$150 a pound on the American market.

Now, however, pearl essence is available at a price which permits the extension of its uses beyond that for jewelry.

BILL SMITHS IN ROW

No. 1, No. 2, No. 3—All Figures in Dispute Have Same Name.

OAKLAND, Cal., Oct. 29.—William Smith had an argument with William Smith and William Smith investigated for the police department.

Smith No. 1, a garage owner, complained to Smith No. 3, a police inspector, that Smith No. 2, a truck driver, had threatened him when he demanded payment of a bill.

LAMP IS RARE FIND

Gem of Prehistoric Eskimo Art Discovered in Alaska.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 29.—A stone lamp, with a human figure in an attitude of prayer, carved in full relief in the bowl, is the prize of prehistoric Eskimo art brought back from Alaska by a team of archaeologists.

The archaeologist, Miss Frederica de Laguna, just has returned from an Alaskan expedition to Kachemak bay, Cook inlet, where she excavated a prehistoric village site for the University of Pennsylvania museum.

This is the first to be unearthed from its old resting place by a scientific expedition. Origin of these lamps has been a matter of mystery, for stone carving is not an Eskimo technique.

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