

Campaign Enters Final Week Today

HOOPER WILL CLOSE DRIVE IN THE WEST

Speeches Scheduled For Springfield and St. Louis on Friday.

MAY VOTE NOV. 8 IN WESTERN HOME

President Hears Frequent Cheers and Occasional Boos During Eastern Campaign.

By Nathan Robertson (Associated Press Staff Writer)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 (AP)—With election just one week off, President Hoover returned to the capital today to begin hurried preparation for another westward swing starting Thursday in which he will wind up his campaign for re-election, and probably continue to California to vote.

Plans for the chief executive's fifth western jaunt were taking shape today as his special train brought him in from New York where he asserted his campaign speech last night that Democratic campaign proposals would "break down our form of government."

The president also told a gigantic Republican rally at Madison Square Garden that Franklin D. Roosevelt's "new deal" would "destroy the American system" of life.

To speak at St. Louis, Deflate arrangements have been made for Mr. Hoover to speak at Springfield, Illinois, Friday afternoon and St. Louis Friday night. If he continues on to the coast, it is expected he will speak at Minneapolis, but his friends believed time might now allow stops at Denver and Salt Lake City.

His tentative plans call for arrival at his home in Palo Alto at noon election day, giving him time to cast his ballot.

The president's New York speech, delivered before a cheering audience, was filled and overflowed every one of Madison Square Garden's 21,000 seats, was the big event in one of the busiest days of campaigning ever indulged in by the chief executive.

This was his official party estimated that during the day he had

DEATH TAKES MRS. BOWMAN OF LOSTINE

By Mrs. William Wiggins (Observer Correspondent)

LOSTINE, Ore., Nov. 1 (Special)—Following a stroke of paralysis Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Robert Bowman, about 60, died at 7:30 o'clock this morning. Funeral arrangements had not been made this morning.

Mrs. Bowman was near the river at the time of the stroke and floundering in dirt and snow for some time before found by her husband, who had returned from a two-hour absence. Falling to find her at home he started a search, discovering her whereabouts shortly before 5 p. m., partly covered with a white mantle of snow.

Mrs. Bowman leaves her widowed husband, a father in California, a sister, Mrs. Irvin Whittemore, of Lostine, and a brother, Arch Willett, of La Grande, besides other relatives.

Red Cross Clothing Committee in Meet

The clothing committee of the local Red Cross met yesterday afternoon with Miss Alida Bigelow, of San Francisco, national representative of the Red Cross, and took inventory of the cotton material and clothing to be distributed this winter. Committee headquarters are on the second floor of the Stevens building on Adams avenue, and clothing will be stored there.

Mrs. W. D. Hanks is chairman of the production committee and is assisted by Mrs. H. S. Brown, Mrs. W. R. S. Eakin and Mrs. Lynn Wright head the investigation and distribution division.

The sewing committee is making plans to start work in the near future as soon as equipment has been installed in the headquarters.

Miss Alice Marquardt, county health nurse, attended the meeting and was decided that clothing donated to the county will be moved from the court house to the Red Cross rooms, where it will be avoided. Duplication thus will be prevented.

Mountaineers To Play in Spokane Friday, Nov. 4

A change in the E. O. N. football schedule recently moved up the game to next Friday, Nov. 4 and on Thursday the Mountaineers will leave La Grande for their only invasion of Washington during this season.

This will be the second meeting of the two schools, Spokane university, leading a 2 to 6 game in La Grande last fall.

Coach Bob Quinn expects to take 19 of his hard-hitting Mountaineers to Spokane, although he was not prepared to announce his squad today.

George Plank, tackle whose arm was seriously injured in the game with Ashland last Saturday, will not be able to play during the remainder of the season, and there is some question as to whether Hodgens, tackle, will be in the lineup against Spokane, although he is expected to play here Armistice day against Lewiston Normal of Lewiston, Ida.

The Lewiston game will be the final one of the season for the E. O. N. football team.

Mills Will Reply To Glass' Address

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 (AP)—Secretary Mills told newspaper men today he would broadcast a reply to Senator Carter Glass' campaign address to-night, after the Democratic senator's speech is concluded.

The secretary of the treasury said he would speak over the same chain as that utilized by the Virginia senator, a former secretary of the treasury.

Building Permit Total is \$17,653

The building total for La Grande for the end of the tenth month of the year was \$17,653 according to city records. Three permits, calling for work valued at \$205, were issued during October.

Forty-four permits have been issued during the year.

Pearle Predicts Butler Victory In This District

Finds Sentiment Overwhelmingly Against Zorn-Macpherson School Moving Bill.

According to J. H. Pearle, the second congressional district in Oregon will re-elect Congressman Robert R. Butler, overwhelmingly defeat the Zorn-Macpherson school moving bill, and give President Hoover a majority over Walter Gleason, Democratic opponent, and give President Hoover much more support than many political observers expected a few weeks ago.

Mr. Pearle, dean of Republican county committees in this state, returned during the weekend from a journey that took him through most of the counties of this district. He made stops at Ontario, Burns, Lakeview, Klamath Falls, Bend, Madras, Redmond and The Dalles among other places.

From my observation, Union and Walter Gleason probably will be carried by Walter M. Pierce," he said in connection with the congressional race, "with Malheur, Baker and Umatilla counties likely to be close. Grant, Harney, Klamath, Lake, Deschutes, and Wheeler are safe."

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Hallow'en In City Unusually Quiet This Year

Quiet predominated last night as La Grande celebrated Hallow'en, and although pranks were out, no complaints were lodged against them.

John C. O'Brien, said this morning. The majority of Hallow'en fun consisted of soaping windows and ringing doorbells, and it is believed to be the quietest event of its kind in several years.

No injuries were reported inside the city, although Warren Hawes, of Meacham, 12 years old, was brought to the Grande Rouge hospital for treatment for a broken leg and a head injury, sustained last night while observing Hallow'en.

An old buggy with only one wheel was parked near the corner of Adams avenue and Fir street, but no valuable property was damaged so far as police reports show.

Some additional excitement was caused earlier in the evening when the fire truck made a short run to a downtown garage.

PORTLAND POLICE USE RADIO
PORTLAND, Nov. 1 (AP)—A mob-goblin is no match for the police radio. The city's youngsters learned this lesson today when they tried to pull off a stunt of Hallow'en vandalism. Scores of these plans were blundering by timely arrival of radio-equipped police cars.

At first the roving youths believed it were coincidence. But after being caught red-handed several times they realized the thing they were up against was science.

Arrests were few. Scooting to the scene of a prank the radio cars frequently arrived as the deed was being consummated. "Put 'em back, boys," was the unflinching order. Am sheepishly the pranksters returned the sign or replaced the porch seat.

The only consequential damage reported was a \$600 fire caused when 9-year-old Donald Carter took his pumpkin jack-o'-lantern to the attic to light a candle in it.

Fire Damages Small House Early Today

Two fire alarms were turned in last night, one blaze resulting in practically no loss and the other considerable damage to the small home.

J. J. Bachant at 1493 1/2 Cherry street.

The first alarm was at 7:30 with recall at 8:15. A blaze, origin unknown, started in the machine shop at the L. C. Smith garage but was quickly extinguished.

At 1:30 o'clock this morning the truck was called to the Bachant home, which, while partly furnished, was first occupied at the time. The fire started inside the building, which consisted of two rooms downstairs and an attic. The recall was sounded at 2:50 a. m.

Cement Plant To Resume Operations

HAMMOND, Ind., Nov. 1 (AP)—Shut down since April, the Universal A. L. Cement company plant resumed production today. It was understood that the normal force of 1200 workers had been recalled.

The plant, reputed largest cement factory in the world, will operate at 50 per cent of capacity well into the winter.

Party Heads Study Geography In Making Final Campaign Speeches

By Byron Price

Political reading becomes a major concern of party managers during the final week of a presidential campaign for under the American electoral system geography has much to do in determining last minute strategy.

These geographical aspects of the case are a little complicated. They involve the peculiarities of the electoral college. They run into statistics. But an examination of them is necessary to any clear understanding of what now is taking place in presidential politics.

Stated as simply as possible, the electoral college system means that individual voters do not vote for president at all, but for presidential electors. These electors, in turn, vote for president. Each state has a right to choose a fixed number of these

Weather Forecast

Oregon: Rain in the east and snow in the west portion tonight and Wednesday; moderate temperatures; fresh and at times strong southeast winds offshore.

WEATHER TODAY
7 a. m.—43 above.
Minimum: 35 above.
Condition: Cloudy.

WEATHER YESTERDAY
Maximum 44, minimum 31 above.
Condition: Cloudy, rain 18 of inch. Range: 13 degrees.

WEATHER NOV. 1, 1931
Maximum 71, minimum 40 above.
Condition: Partly cloudy.
Range: 31 degrees.

M. E. Clergymen Will Gather At Union Tomorrow

Bishop Titus Lowe to Preside Over Group Conference of the Western District.

By Mrs. L. Z. Terrill (Observer Correspondent)

UNION, Ore., Nov. 1 (Special)—Methodist clergymen of the western district, which takes in a large section of the Pacific northwest, will meet at Union tomorrow for a group conference.

It is not often that a town the size of Union plays host to such an important meeting and preparations are being made to entertain the visitors royally.

The conference will have for its presiding officer Bishop Titus Lowe and Rev. H. G. McCallister, district superintendent, also will be present.

The program follows:
2:30 p. m. "The Church Abroad and Its Needs." Dr. E. Laird Mills, Union, Ore., Nov. 1 (Special).
3:15 p. m. "Religious Education in Relation to Personality and Benevolent Enterprise." Dr. C. L. Clifford.
4:00 p. m. "The Church at Home and Designated Gifts." Dr. Walter Torbet.
4:45 p. m. Discussion period.
5:30 p. m. "A Modern Missionary Program." Dr. Ira Gillett.
6:30 p. m. Fellowship dinner at the church.
7:45 p. m. Inspiration address, Bishop Titus Lowe.

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RAINFALL 2.02 ABOVE AVERAGE

Total Rainfall For First 10 Months of 1932 at 17.17 Inches Here

With the closing of the month of October, the total rainfall at La Grande for the first 10 months of the year amounted to 17.17 inches, which represents 2.02 inches more than normal. According to long-time government records, a normal total for the month of October is 15.15 inches in La Grande.

The month of October saw a slight excess, with a total precipitation of 1.61 compared with 1.33 as normal. In September the precipitation was .20 of an inch, which was 1.62 inches less than normal. At one time late in the spring the excess rainfall was nearly six inches, but dry summer months cut it down considerably.

Unless November and December are unusually dry, it seems likely that 1932 will rank as one of the "wet" years in La Grande history—as far as the weather is concerned.

During October rain fell during nine days, 12 were clear, 11 partly cloudy and the remainder cloudy. The maximum temperature was 85 above, registered on Oct. 1 and the minimum was 27 above, registered on Oct. 10.

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FARLEY SAYS HOOVER DUCKS PROHI ISSUE

NEW YORK, Nov. 1 (AP)—James A. Farley, Democratic national chairman, said today that President Hoover's Madison Square Garden speech "scolded like that of a desperate man who knows that defeat is inevitable."

"I was far more impressed by what the president didn't say than by what he said," Farley commented. "My rapid attention went unwarded. I had heard the report that he had a private signature committee to make on prohibition, but he remained true to the ducking and dodging of the Republican platform and failed to say one word on this subject of such importance politically, socially and economically to the entire nation."

"I would characterize Mr. Hoover's speech as a scarecrow. He simply put up a lot of straw men and proceeded to knock them down. His speech sounded like that of a desperate man who knows that defeat is inevitable."

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Johnson To Speak In Chicago Friday

CHICAGO, Nov. 1 (AP)—Democratic state campaign headquarters announced today Senator Hiram Johnson of California would speak in Chicago Friday night.

The address will be broadcast shortly after President Hoover's talk at St. Louis the same night, it was said, and will be in the nature of a reply to the president's remarks.

Johnson will speak in the Dexter Park pavilion on the south side.

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POWER TRUST WITH HOOVER, NORRIS SAYS

Republican Independent Speaks For Roosevelt in Seattle Monday.

NEBRASKAN WILL VISIT PORTLAND

Homer T. Bone, of Tacoma, Lashes Weyerhaeuser Co. For "Intimidation" of Voters.

SEATTLE, Nov. 1 (AP)—The "power trust" in the opinion of Sen. George W. Norris, middle-western Republican campaigning for Roosevelt, will probably print and distribute President Hoover's address at New York last night, as part of their campaign against public ownership.

Lashing out in an aside remark in a bitter voice, in a campaign address here last night on the power question, Senator Norris raised his voice and called out:

"I suppose many of you heard President Hoover's speech in New York tonight, in which he opposed government ownership or operation of public utilities. I imagine the 'power trust' will probably print and distribute this address too."

This speculation was made all the more interesting in view of persistent rumors—which receive no official encouragement—linking the name of the prince with that of Princess Ingrid of Sweden who is now visiting her grandfather, the Duke of Connaught, in England and frequently is seen with George.

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Prince George To Become Duke; May Wed Ingrid

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The other three royal princes all have been given peerages.

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Steiner To Be Speaker Here On Wednesday

Senator Frederick Steiner, national senator, will speak tomorrow evening under the auspices of the men's and women's Hoover-Curtis club at 7:30 o'clock here at the Santa Ana Inn. Senator Steiner expects to arrive tomorrow and will be the guest of local Republican political leaders during the day.

Representative Robert R. Butler, national congressman, was in La Grande today, accompanied by Roland F. Stone, also of The Dalles. Mr. Butler has recently been over the entire second district and reports that his election as representative again seems assured. He spent the day calling on friends here and left this afternoon for Pendleton.

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Election Odds

Whoever loses rolls a peanut around the block with his nose!

It's a go—but there oughta be a medic on long snoozles!

The loser lets his beard grow for a year!

The barber is the loser of this one!

Don't pay this bet the nose have it!

I'll betcha a button hook and a jack knife on the GOP!

I'll lay you my fountain pen and a key on the Dems!

If I lose I'll never mention a chicken in every pot again!

If I lose I'll never speak of the forgotten man again!

AND HERE'S ONE IN WHICH THE SPEECH-WEARY PUBLIC WOULD BE WINNER!

ALL STREET BETTING—1932!

F. R. ACCUSES HOOVER OF PANIC TALKS

Administration "Cracks the Whip of Fear" Over People, He Says.

FAVORS PROTECTING FARMER, LABORER

Points to Loss of Presidential "Dignity"; Says Hoover "Misquoted" His Arguments.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 1 (AP)—Expressing his belief that he has added Rhode Island, Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts to those states he expects to support the tariff, Franklin D. Roosevelt paused in his flying expedition through the state today to address a large crowd in front of the city hall.

BOSTON, Nov. 1 (AP)—Franklin D. Roosevelt left Boston at 9:30 a. m. today on a round trip to his home in Hyde Park, N. Y. He planned to go to Providence, R. I., re-enter Massachusetts for a stop at Worcester and thence through Springfield and Connecticut to his home.

A crowd estimated by police at approximately 2000 swarmed Copple Square as the Democratic candidate left his hotel. The windows of adjacent office buildings and stores were packed. Governor Roosevelt said he was "very happy" over last night's reception, waved good-bye and sped away, preceded by motorcycle police.

Would Protect Agriculture
The candidate said in last night's order of business, "An excellent example is your own fellow citizen, Mr. Hartman, president of the chamber of commerce of the United States, who has recently proclaimed a plan for the restoration of agriculture, not unlike my own. President Hoover does not favor a program of that kind. He has closed the door of hope to American agriculture, and when he did that he closed the door of hope to you also."

Favors Protecting U. S. Labor
"He says proudly that he has effectively restricted immigration in order to protect American labor. I favor that, but I might add that in the enforcement of immigration laws serious abuses have been revealed. But he does not tell you that by permitting agriculture to fall into

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RED ORGANIZER OF RIOTERS HELD

W. A. L. Hannington, Communist Leader of "Hunger March," Jailed

LONDON, Nov. 1 (AP)—W. A. L. Hannington, communist organizer of the unemployed "hunger march" on London, was arrested today on a charge of inciting to rioting among the London police and lodged in the Bow street police station pending arraignment.

Twenty detectives swarmed into the office from which he has been directing activities of thousands of unemployed who engaged in serious rioting in Hyde park and Trafalgar square last week. Hannington was arrested as he was talking at his desk with a newspaperman.

The office records were seized and another man was arrested on a charge of distributing seditious literature.

Hannington threatened yesterday that he would lead fifty of his men to the house of commons tonight and demand revision of the dole system, scoring the tradition that any petitioner to the house must be presented by a member of parliament.

The organizer of the hunger army has long been known to police as a communist and he claims responsibility for the naval mutiny at Invergyle last year. He organized a similar march in London in 1930.

Meanwhile London's volunteer police, which were called to duty for the first time since the general strike in 1926 for the Trafalgar riots, reported today to many parts of London to relieve regular police and traffic. The regulars will rest until tonight, awaiting the demonstration of the jobless in Camberwell green in the south of London.

It was charged specifically that Hannington had attempted to cause

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NEW ACCOUNTS DEPOSITED IN ONTARIO BANK

ONTARIO, Nov. 1 (AP)—Many new accounts and few withdrawals appeared on the books of the Ontario National bank which reopened its doors Monday. More than 98 per cent of the deposits of \$200 or more on which waivers of immediate payment were requested, were secured, the bank said.

The few withdrawals which were made were more than offset by new accounts which were opened. Deposits more than doubled withdrawals as the community greeted the resumption of banking after a 60-day period without such service.