

HOOVER CALLED LABOR'S FRIEND

Sympathy for Workers Prompted by Memory of His Own Early Toil.

URGED 8 HOUR STEEL DAY

Induced Manufacturers to Establish Industry on That Basis After 30 Year Struggle.

WASHINGTON.—The intention of Herbert Hoover to keep to a high level the standards of the American home and to do so by continuing his efforts in behalf of labor is shown in a pamphlet, "Hoover and Labor," released by the Hoover for President Labor Council of the Republican National Committee.

During his entire career, beginning at the age of 12 when he was tossed into the world to earn his living, Mr. Hoover has worked wholeheartedly in the cause of the working man. As a laborer himself, as a worker in the mines in his youth and, since 1921, as Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Hoover has studied the problems of American labor and has aided in the solution of many of them, the pamphlet shows.

Aided Long Fight in Steel Mills

Mr. Hoover's labor record is an open book. Policies that have benefited labor have won his unwavering support in every instance, the leaflet reveals.

"In supporting Mr. Hoover," it states "American workers will be voting for one of their own kind."

The brochure further goes on to show that Mr. Hoover's support of the principle of collective bargaining is not mere theory. Prior to 1922 the workers in the steel industry were working 12 hours a day. This condition Mr. Hoover deplored, as he believed that a shorter working day would not only be of untold benefit to the steel worker, but would result in the long run in a greater output and better craftsmanship.

To this end, in 1922, he brought together the steel manufacturers of America and induced them to establish eight hours throughout the entire steel industry. For thirty years organized labor had been fighting to this end and the pamphlet just issued shows that Mr. Hoover's efforts were successful in bringing to a close that long fight of the steel workers.

Mr. Hoover has always believed in collective bargaining and in addition he has constantly upheld the rights of workers to select their own representatives without interference, influence or coercion from any source. He has always opposed the seven-day week, once general in many industries.

Is High Wage Advocate

In 1920 he said: "In fixing hours of labor in industrial establishments at a point consistent with the health of employees and with proper opportunity for rest and recreation, there should in all cases be provision for one day's rest in seven."

"Mr. Hoover believes that the surest road to prosperity is that which leads to prosperity for the masses," the pamphlet says. "While advocating mass production and the use of labor saving machinery, he has earnestly advocated that labor share in the increased production through higher wages and the adoption of the best conditions of employment in the world. His record in the Department of Commerce and his public utterances demonstrate the earnestness and sincerity of his interest in the workers of our country, who have always looked upon him as a friend."

Digging into the public utterances of the Republican candidate for president, the pamphlet reveals that in his dealing with the question of the restriction of foreign immigration, Mr. Hoover believes that our first concern is to provide employment for our own people and others already here before we permit the admission of many from other countries to compete with American labor. At the same time, in his address of acceptance at Palo Alto, Calif., in August, he promised to do his utmost to amend the immigration laws to relieve unnecessary hardships upon families.

As a basis of protection for the American working man Mr. Hoover believes firmly in the Protective Tariff, the booklet reiterates in pointing out the dangers of a change in administration policies at the present crucial period.

LOCAL LODGE WOMEN TO BE GUESTS AT EUGENE

Past Noble Grands of the Springfield Rebekah lodge will be guests of the Eugene Past Noble Grand club next Monday evening, it was announced at a meeting of the local group Monday night.

Since lodge members hold this office for only six months at a time, there are many ex-chairmen in the lodge here, and formerly there was a club of ex-officers.

At the meeting Monday the regular business session was followed by a social hour at which games were played.

To California—Mrs. Eliza J. Snook expects to leave in a few days for Sautel, California, to visit relatives, she has been delayed in her trip because of the illness of her son, Bert, who is reported as improving.

WOODEN APPROACH FOR NEW BRIDGE FAVORED IN STATEMENT BY COX

Believing the use of wooden spans for the west approach of the new Springfield bridge would settle the difficulty between West Springfield people and the state-highway commission, H. J. Cox has issued a statement recommending this step.

Mr. Cox, who is secretary of the Willamette Valley Lumbermen's association and candidate for election to the city council here, declares in his statement that he has seen several floods in the affected area and believes that an earthen fill would turn the water down the Pacific highway. He proposes wooden spans instead of concrete ones because of the saving which would result.

Among his reasons for favoring such an approach Mr. Cox points out the savings, that consumption of home products should be favored, that wooden bridges have served for half a century even carrying automobile traffic for which they were not originally planned. He cites the Coburg and Hayden bridges as example of useful wooden structures.

COUNTY CHAMBER TO WORK ON ROAD BILLS

In behalf of the four-mill road tax for the completion of the McKenzie and Florence highways will carry on its chamber of commerce will carry on a campaign before election. This measure was passed two years ago but was declared illegal because of irregular proceedings. J. S. Magladry, of Eugene, Mayor George Knowles, of Cottage Grove, and H. E. Maxey of Springfield, has been named by the county chamber as publicity committee in behalf of the four-mill tax.

The county chamber road and legislative committees met jointly last Friday night in Eugene. They decided to make an active fight against the Dunne Bills before election. A study of the bills reveals the fact that their passage would not only cripple the state road program but would also deprive the counties of market road money and eventually cause the counties to pay for all roads by a property tax.



Moon Close-Up!
The moon posed for this remarkable close-up of the Southern portion of its surface, taken with the aid of a 100-inch reflector at Pasadena, Cal. The surface is dotted with hundreds of craters, some of which are over 50 miles in diameter. Shadows are caused by the sun's reflection.

COLUMBUS DAY WILL BE OBSERVED BY PROGRAM

Pupils of the Brattain school will give a Columbus day program Friday at 1 o'clock. Parents of children in that school have been invited by the principal, Mrs. Ora Read Hemenway, to attend.

The program follows: First grade, questions and answers about Columbus; second grade, song, "Our Flag"; third grade, dialogue, "Columbus"; third A, piano solo, June Berg; fifth grade, recitation by Joanne Seavey; fifth A, composition contest in which the best paper on Columbus will be read; sixth grade, song.

The audience will take part in patriotic songs during the program.

Atheism is Theme

"The Bible or Atheism—Which?" is the topic of Rev. S. E. Childers' evening sermon at the Christian church Sunday evening. In the morning, the pastor will speak on "The Story of Christ's Wonderful Birth." Sunday school is at the usual hour and Christian Endeavor convenes at 6:30 p. m. Lawrence Sunkler, new music director at the church, will sing "My Task" as a solo at the morning service and the choir will sing, "Seek Ye the Lord" at the evening service.

Bridge Benefit Slated

The Star club of the local Order of the Eastern Star lodge is sponsoring a benefit bridge party in the lodge parlors October 30, it was announced today. The proceeds will go into the general funds of the lodge.

Eugene Group Invited—The Progressive 22, degree staff of the Springfield Rebekah lodge, will entertain this degree staff of the Eugene lodge here Friday evening. A novel entertainment is being planned by the local staff.

Hurricanes and Tornadoes Cause Death and Destruction



The first photo shows a view of debris piled up in front of a department store in the Street of San Juan during the recent terrible hurricanes which swept Porto Rico. The next view is of the business district of the town of Davis, S. D., which was totally ruined by the recent South Dakota tornado, and the third photo shows the top of a house at West Ridge, N. H., of which part of the roof was torn off by the tornado which swept through this section felling trees, damaging crops and wrecking houses. Two little girls are shown salvaging their toys.

Council Seats Are Contested

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Gordon home at the corner of Eighth and A streets.

Polls will open as usual at 8 o'clock in the morning and will close at 5 o'clock in the evening.

Election Boards Named

County Clerk W. B. Dillard this morning announced the following election boards for the four Springfield precincts:

Precinct No. 1, day board: Elsie Stewart, chairman; Cora M. Hinson, judge; Mary E. Male, first clerk; Mary Roberts, second clerk; Cecilia Jones, third clerk.

Precinct No. 2, day board: Maudie T. Bryan, chairman; F. P. Thurman, judge; Weiby Stevens, first clerk; Vina McLean, second clerk; Ida C. Adams, third clerk.

Precinct No. 3, day board: Hattie D. Drury, chairman; Ida M. Peery, judge; J. Baxter Young, first clerk; Emily Perkins, second clerk; Lillian Black, third clerk.

Precinct No. 4, day board: C. E. Wheaton, chairman; Frank Gordon, judge; Alma J. Halsey, first clerk; Ida Swarts, second clerk; Elizabeth Olson, third clerk.

Counting Boards Listed

Precinct No. 1, counting board: Charles O. Wilson, chairman; Melinda Hawke, judge; Katie W. Brummette, first clerk; Mabel Tyson, second clerk; Flora Huntly, third clerk.

Precinct No. 2, counting board: L. K. Page, chairman; Myrtle Eggmann, judge; Hattie E. Myers, first clerk; John Ketels, second clerk; Grace R. Stevens, third clerk.

Precinct No. 3, counting board: Vernie Morrison, chairman; Civility McKlin, judge; M. M. Peery, first

clerk; Genevieve H. Louk, second clerk; Ida Gauz, third clerk.

Precinct No. 4, counting board: Katherine Basford, chairman; Mrs. A. B. VanValzah, judge; Mrs. Abbie Wheaton, first clerk; J. E. Cross, second clerk; L. E. Pasford, third clerk.

Heated Races Certain

With at least two candidates for each county office, and in some cases an independent nominee running, a heated contest is certain in this county.

Harry Bown, ex-sheriff and county judge, is the democratic nominee for sheriff and Earl Luckey, chief deputy under Frank Taylor, incumbent, is the republican choice for sheriff. Melvin Turnbull former deputy under Taylor will enter the race as an independent candidate.

For district attorney two Kings face each other. Alta King is democratic

nominee and James K. King is the choice of the republican party.

W. W. Branstetter present county coroner will be opposed in the general election by Marion Veatch who has filed as an independent candidate for this post.

Another office for which there are two aspirants is that of school superintendent. E. J. Moore, incumbent, will be opposed by Vera Todd Crowe.

Clinton Hurd, incumbent, will be opposed for the four-year term as county commissioner by M. E. Steele, a democrat. O. E. Crowe, republican, appointed to fill out the term of Martin Anderson, who resigned, will be opposed by J. H. Moffitt, democratic candidate for the two-year commissioner's term.

Mrs. Hildebrand Better—Mrs. Noah Hildebrand who has been quite ill is reported recovering at her home here.

Inspect Power Work—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eggmann drove to the Leaburg power construction operations on the McKenzie highway Monday evening to inspect the work being done by Eugene Water Board crews. Three shifts of men are at work and rapid progress is being shown, they stated.



Marion Veatch

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