

The Weather
 Forecast—Fair; slightly warmer
 Friday.
 Maximum 89
 Minimum 44

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

Weather Year Ago
 Maximum 63
 Minimum 44

Daily—Twenty-third Year
 Weekly—Fifty-seventh Year
 MEDFORD, OREGON, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1928.
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Today AL MAPS JAUNT TO CORN BELT

By Arthur Brisbane
 New Work Begins.
 Rich Men Not Worried.
 Don't Know Too Much.
 N. Y. Central Listens.

The passing of Labor day means the beginning of another year for those that take work seriously.

A few rejoice that hard work has returned. Many would have vacation days last forever.

With this morn the campaign comes to life, feebly. Lack of earnestness is due to the fact that many big men, which means rich men, care little which candidate wins.

That does not disturb the "best minds." They know prohibition is in the constitution to stay, whether they like it or not.

Most of them like it. Prohibition interferes with the northern worker's beer, and the southern negro's gin.

While politicians and editors are calm, the clergy shows signs of excitement, north and south.

New York socialists say they are taking votes from the democrats, because democrats are bidding for Wall Street support.

HOOVER PLANS DRIVE ON NEW YORK

Hoover to Invade Tennessee for Talk On Water Power—Nominees Both Parties Plan Stumping Tours—Curtis Greeted in Massachusetts.

By D. HAROLD OLIVER
 Associated Press Staff Writer
 ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 6.—(AP)—Governor Smith will carry his presidential campaign into the mid-west the week of September 16 with three speeches in Nebraska, Oklahoma and Colorado.

The itinerary for the first week of his tour was announced today by the democratic nominee. All his speeches will be at night, he said.

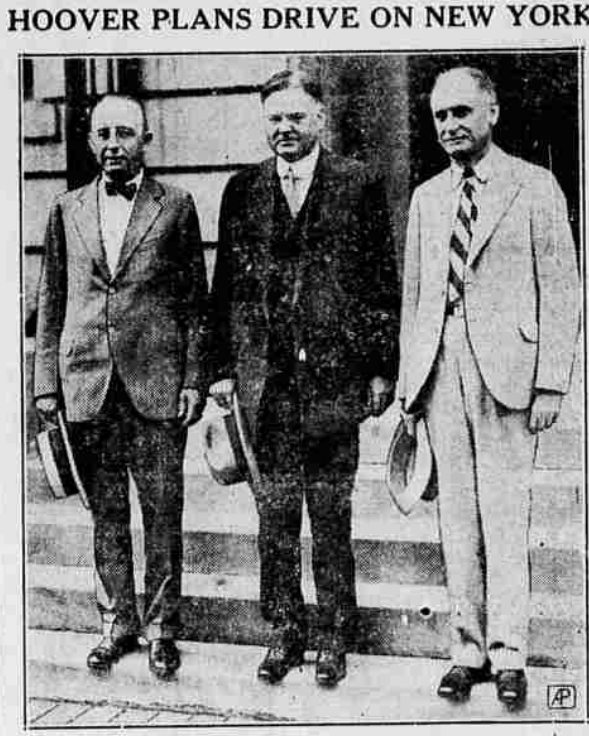
After the second week of his stumping trip, the nominee will go direct to Rochester for the democratic state convention.

Asked what subject or subjects he would discuss in his three schedules in the mid-west, the governor said he could not make that public at this time.

There will be no daytime talking for me, he emphasized.

The nominee's special train will leave New York today, September 16, and take on his party at Albany the same day, probably in the early evening.

By JAMES L. WEST
 Associated Press Staff Writer
 WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Water power development as an aid to industrial expansion is likely to form the chief topic of Herbert Hoover's address at Elizabethtown, Tenn., on October 16.



Herbert Hoover following a conference on republican campaign plans in Governor Smith's home state with Edmond Machoid (left), New York state chairman, and William H. Hill, chairman Hoover-Curtis campaign committee in New York.

SMOOT FLAYS DEATH RUSE IN HOOVER CRITIC GOTHAM SEWER UPON RELIGION GRAFT HUNTED

Ex-Dakota Senator Taken to Task for Attempting to Fan Bigotry—Pennsylvania Now Claimed for Smith.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—(AP)—A blistering statement, full of terms such as "political has-been" and "disgruntled republican office seeker" was directed at former Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota, today by Senator Smoot of Utah.

Smoot's utterances were a recent letter in which Hansbrough, now supporting Governor Smith, asked Herbert Hoover to repudiate all statements seeking to appeal to religious prejudice in the campaign.

The Utah senator said that "no decent man tolerates publications built on religious prejudice" and that Mr. Hoover has "already in his acceptance speech made the strongest statement on religious intolerance ever delivered in the United States."

He accused Hansbrough of voting to deprive him of his senate seat, because Smoot was a member of the Mormon church.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Predictions that Governor Smith would carry Pennsylvania by a 150,000 vote were brought to democratic national headquarters today by three keystone state party leaders.

JAPANESE POISONER A MADMAN

Asylum Escape Sent Death Package to Royal and Titled Nipponese—World Hunt Ends—Portland Consul Intended Victim.

OAKLAND, Cal., Sept. 6.—(AP)—A poison plot planned in the mind of a mad man and calculated to kill royal and titled Japanese was revealed here today with the arrest of M. Higashi, Japanese escapee from the Napa state hospital for the insane.

Higashi was captured at a Japanese-Chinese club after a six months search in which all of the intelligence forces of the Japanese government were utilized.

Toyogi Kaneko, Japanese vice-consul at San Francisco, asked the mail department so that he could be "dealt with by Japanese authorities."

Higashi prefaced each poisoned package with a threatening letter, the vice consul informed police today, which led recipients of the gifts to have the fruit analyzed by an American chemist in Tokyo.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 5.—(AP)—K. Inoue, imperial Japanese consul in Portland, was among the intended victims of M. Higashi, mad Japanese whose arrest in Oakland ended what he believed to have been an attempt to poison royal and titled Japanese in America and Japan.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—(AP)—The Evening Post today says that Dr. Louis H. Taylor, family physician and close personal friend of John M. Phillips, indicted Queens sewer pipe magnate, has expressed serious doubt that it was Phillips' body that was buried recently.

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 6.—(AP)—An investigation of the affairs of the Christian Crusade Spearheadship association is now being conducted by the district attorney of Lane county, according to Mark McCallister, state corporation commissioner, who was in conference with that official at Eugene Wednesday.

Lout Beats Mother to Gain Her Home; She Begs for Him

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Mrs. Minnie Hanko, 95, in a critical condition from a blow to her head, pleaded with police yesterday not to punish her son, even if she should die.

HERLIN, Sept. 6.—(AP)—The federal railway administration has ordered that milk markets be installed at strategic points to enable railwaymen to quench their thirst.

BERLIN, Sept. 6.—(AP)—The prohibition express will rush from city to city with its load of abstemiousness for all persons identified with railway operations.

TULARE, Calif., Sept. 6.—(AP)—So tiny that she might use a tooth pick for a cane, Alice Hamilton was born August 25, at the Tulare hospital, the one pound and fourteen ounce daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hamilton of Dunsmuir.

LANE OFFICERS SEIZE 2 STILL
 ENGENE, Ore., Sept. 6.—(AP)—Two prisoners were captured and two stills were seized in the hill country near Trent and Pleasant Hill last night by Sheriff Frank E. Taylor.

FRENCH ROILED BY AIR PRANK OF SERGEANTS
 PARIS, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Sergeants Jean Assolant and Rene Lefevre of the French air service seem likely to be mustered back into the army as soon as they land at Le Bourget, as a result of their stunting town at Casablanca, Morocco, after starting a trans-Atlantic flight.

Baseball Scores
 American.
 NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—(AP)—World series excitement came to New York today, nearly a full month ahead of time, when several thousand baseball fans strolled the down town offices of the New York Yankees in search of tickets for the Athletic-Yankee series opening Sunday at the Stadium.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Washington at New York, postponed, rain. Two games tomorrow.

EGAN IN RARE FORM WINS HIS SECOND ROUND

Medford Golfer Shoots First Nine at Del Monte Two Under Par and Easily Defeats Glendale Player.

Associated Press Sports Writer.
 DEL MONTE, Cal., Sept. 6.—(AP) Playing the same brilliant brand of golf that carried him to national titles more than 20 years ago, H. Chandler Egan of Medford, Ore., easily defeated Dick Thompson of Glendale, 7 and 6 today in the second round of the California amateur championship.

One of the aspects of the day came when J. J. Williams of Santa Barbara eliminated Jack Gaines of San Bernardino, one up. Williams toured the first nine holes of the Pebble Beach links in 37. Gaines was medalist of the tournament last Wednesday.

MITE OF A BABY IS DOING FINE
 The baby was so tiny at birth that its mother's wedding ring slipped easily over the right arm to form a bracelet, which was not a very well fitting bracelet at that. The ring slipped nearly to the elbow.

Wire Report on the Pear Market
 CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—(U. S. D. A.)—Pear receipts: Eleven California, 17 Oregon, 1 Idaho, 1 Washington, 1 Michigan arrived. Nine cars diverted; 18 California cars on track, 25 others on track; 22 1/2 cars sold.

ROOSEVELT FIELD, N. Y., Sept. 6.—(AP)—The class B and C races in the New York-Los Angeles air derby were postponed today until tomorrow at 8 a. m. on account of rain, fog and low clouds.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—(U. S. D. A.)—New York pear receipts: Twenty-nine cars California, 2 New York, 19 Oregon, 1 Washington arrived. Three California cars on track, 13 others on track; 22 1/2 boxes Idaho Clearcoats, \$3.50 to \$4.20, some fancy \$4.50, ordinary \$3.95 to \$3.65, common and ripe \$2.50 to \$3.20, average \$2.50; 1725 boxes Hardy's \$2.60 to \$3.15, average \$2.90; 1700 boxes Claregoes \$2.40-\$2.55, av. \$2.71; 5045 boxes Oregon Bartlett's, extra \$2.50 to \$2.80, average \$2.20, fancy \$2.50 to \$2.80, average \$2.61; 520 boxes D'Anous, extra \$3.75 to \$4.20, average \$3.75; 620 boxes Hills, extra \$3.95 to \$4.20, average \$3.15; 525 boxes Washington Bartlett's, extra \$2.60 to \$2.75, average \$2.65, fancy \$2.45 to \$2.50, average \$2.45.

PORTLAND AVIATOR IS NUMBER 7

Wichita Flyer First to Land at Kansas City Today in Air Race Across Continent—One of Entries Forced Down.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Earl Rowland of Wichita, Kan., in his Cessna A monoplane, flew into Kansas City today, landing at Richards Airport at 12:33 p. m.

Rowland was followed by Robert Duke of Pittsburgh in an American Moth. He arrived at 1:06 or 25 minutes after Rowland who was 16 minutes ahead of him at St. Louis.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 6.—(AP)—Earl Rowland of Wichita, flying a Cessna Model A, was the first of the cross-country airplane racers to arrive here this morning, from Columbus, Ohio, on the second day of the air derby.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 6.—(AP)—Harry Snedley of Kansas City, piloting plane 23, an Eaglecock, and accompanied by Dr. George L. Bennett of Kansas City, in the trans-continental air derby, was forced down in a field south of Terre Haute, a blown cylinder head caused the landing and, according to Snedley, they will be unable to continue.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 6.—(AP)—The Chinese national government today announced its decision to adhere to the Kellogg-Briand pact renouncing war.