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Today

By Arthur Brisbane

A Speech for Mellon. Worrying 24,000,000. Tasso and Tunney. Trouble in Jerusalem.

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Secretary Mellon announces he will make two speeches for Republicans in October. He might make one short and effective, as follows:

"This Republican administration found the United States Government in debt sixteen billions for Liberty bonds. We have paid half of that. Give us a chance and we'll pay off the other half soon."

To please American business, Mr. Mellon should add to his speech: "P. S.—I expect, D. V., to continue my work as secretary after the 4th day of March, 1929, although I ought to be giving attention to my own business."

Mr. Ozel, of Newark, 68 years old, picked up a pineoche hand, looked at it twice, gazing at all the double suit of hearts except one Jack and one Queen, then he fell dead.

The great Newton, completing calculations, verifying his immortal formula of gravitation "Directly as the mass and inversely as the square of the distance," found his hands shaking so that somebody else had to finish the calculations. He didn't drop dead, fortunately. Men's interests are of different kinds.

At Lorain, Ohio, Miss Betty Heywood is in the hospital dangerously wounded. Prohibition agents, alleged to have fired on a car in which she rode, are in jail. They thought there was bootleg whisky in the automobile.

There is the fact that 24,000,000 automobiles are running in the United States. Must they all wonder which one will be shot up next?

Gene Tunney, retired heavyweight, is to be married in Italy. The youth of our day will add, "And how?"

The civil ceremony will take place in the house where "Burning Tasso loved," and wrote poetry. The civil ceremony will be performed by no less than the Podesta of Sorrento, Duke Giovanni Maresca di Serracapriola-Bella Salandra.

The religious ceremony will take place in the sanctuary of the chapel of "Mary, Star of the Sea," a famous sanctuary.

Changing from fighting to literature, Tunney will feel at home in Sorrento. There never was a prize fight there, but Ibsen, Gorky and other modern celebrities have lived there and all the ghosts of classical antiquity haunt it.

Public anger, with threats of rioting in Jerusalem, married Yom Kippur, most holy Jewish day.

At the wailing wall, where pious Jews gather on special occasions, a screen separating men from women, demanded by Jewish custom, was forcibly removed by police.

Jewish representatives and rabbis protested to the British high commissioner, cancelled a reception in honor of officers from three British warships and plan a protest to the League of Nations. British authorities explain that Mohammedans, outnumbering the Jews in the Holy Land ten to one, and objecting to the Jewish screen before the wailing wall, threatened to occupy all the space where devout Jews go to and to stone Jewish pilgrims.

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RELIGION NOT PART OF CAMPAIGN

Hoover Reiterates Not Seeking Support On Religious Grounds—Repudiates Circular—Quotes Acceptance Speech.—'I Meant It Then and I Mean It Now.'

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Herbert Hoover reiterated today that neither he nor the Republican party wanted support on the basis of the religious issue.

His declaration was in amplification of the statement made last night in which he repudiated a circular letter sent out under the stamped signature of Mrs. Willie W. Caldwell of Roanoke, Va., Republican national committeewoman for the old dominion. In that letter it was stated that "we must save the United States from being Romanized and rum-ridden and the call is to the women to do so."

"I cannot fully express my indignation at any such circulars," Hoover said in a formal statement. "Nor can I reiterate too strongly that religious questions have no part in this campaign."

There are important and vital reasons for return of the Republican administration, but this is not one of them.

Hoover's repudiating a letter purportedly from the headquarters of Mrs. Willie Caldwell, Republican national committeewoman from Virginia, which included a plea to American women to "save the nation from being Romanized," Mr. Hoover late last night declared that which he called a forgery, the communication did violence to every instinct that he possesses.

"Such an attitude," he said in a prepared statement, "is entirely opposed to every principle of the Republican party. I made my position clear in my acceptance speech when I said: 'In this land, dedicated to tolerance, we will find outbreaks of intolerance. I come of Quaker stock. My ancestors were persecuted for their beliefs. Here they sought and found religious freedom. By blood and conviction I stand for religious tolerance, both in act and in spirit. The glory of our American ideals is the right of every man to worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience.'"

"I meant that then and I mean it now." The letter, described as a "form letter," was brought to light by the Washington Post, which in a copy-righted story today said it had received it from Mrs. Cora Lyon of Virginia Highlands, Va., to whom it had been sent under the mistaken assumption that she had accepted the post of vice chairman of a Republican precinct committee.

Mrs. Caldwell was interviewed by the Post by telephone at her home in Roanoke, Va., and the Post quoted her as saying that such a letter had been distributed by her headquarters but that she did not believe it had contained the words quoted from it. As given to the Post by Mrs. Lyon it was written on stationery of the Republican national committee and contained Mrs. Caldwell's rubber stamp signature.

The committee woman explained to the Post that her letters were outlined to her secretary, who then wrote them in her own language. In this case, she said, the secretary probably "dressed up" the letter. She would not reveal the secretary's name, but said she had written her as saying that only two or three copies of the letter had been sent out.

Chairman Work of the Republican national committee declined to comment on press reports regarding the letter of Mrs. Caldwell, but said he was having the facts gathered. "We must not prejudice the matter," he continued. "There are two sides to every question."

Among those in conference at Republican headquarters today was C. Bascom Slemp, Virginia committeeman.

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CARDS TAKE THIRD GAME AND PENNANT

Sherdel Makes Victory Certain—Second Pennant for Team in 53 Years—St. Louis Fans Enthusiastic—Rain Mars Other Games

BOSTON, Sept. 29.—(AP)—With the pennant previously clinched by the defeat of the Giants earlier in the afternoon, the Cardinals cleaned up their third straight game against the Braves here today by a score of 3 to 1. Willie Sherdel pitched, but retired in favor of Flint Kuhn soon after announcement was made of the Giant defeat.

The pennant victory was only the second for the Cardinals in the 53 years of the National league, but was Bill McKechnie's second managerial triumph in four campaigns, as he won for the Pirates in 1925. The Cardinals took their other National league flag two years ago under the management of Rogers Hornsby.

Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 3 8 0 Boston 1 8 2 Sherdel, Ehem and Wilson; Smith; Delaney, Brandt and Taylor.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(AP) The Cardinals clinched the National league pennant for 1928 today when the Cubs defeated the Giants at the Polo grounds, 6 to 2. Although the St. Louisans were still engaged with the Boston Braves when the Giant game was finished, the New York defeat settled the pennant issue in favor of McKechnie's band.

Score: R. H. E. Chicago 6 12 0 New York 2 6 3 Blake and Gonzales; Fitzsimmons, Scott and Hogan.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 29.—(AP) The first game of the Pittsburgh Brooklyn series was cancelled because of rain and cold this afternoon, ending the season for the Pirates. The Robins will finish with the Phillies tomorrow.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29.—(AP) The rain closed the baseball season in Philadelphia today, when the double-header scheduled between the Phillies and Cincinnati Reds was declared off.

Score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 5 11 3 Cincinnati 4 12 2 Earnshaw and Perkins; Wash, Connally, Cox and Course.

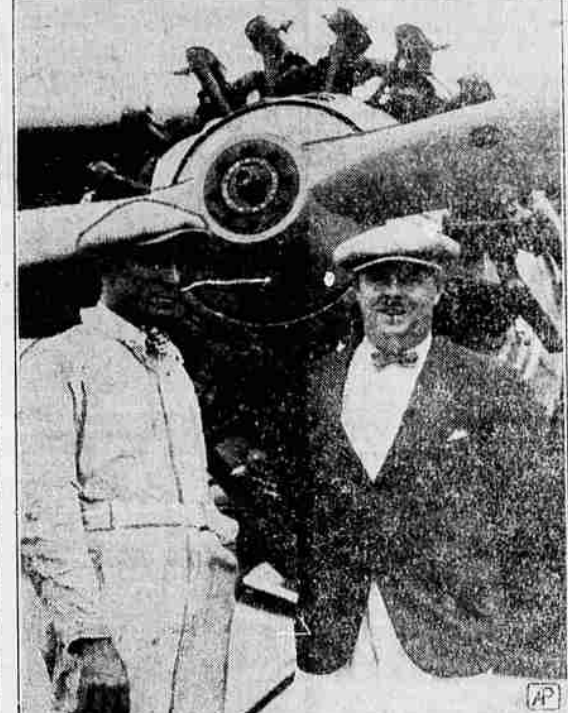
Score: R. H. E. New York 19 17 2 Detroit 19 27 1 Zachary, Johnson, Ryan, Shealy and Bengough, Collins, Vandelier and Hargrave.

Score: R. H. E. Washington 2 6 6 St. Louis 5 10 1 Brown, Burke and Holl; Ogden and Manion.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Army defeated Boston university by a score of 25 to 9 in the opening game of its football season. The cadets got to the Boston boys in the second half after being held to a single touchdown in the first, and marched to an easy victory.

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NOTED FLIERS IN ENDURANCE TRIAL



Edward F. Schless, left, and William F. Brock, have set 24 hours as the time they hope to remain in the air in their Ballona airplane in an effort to break the world's sustained flight record, at Rockwell Field, San Diego. In 1927 the two fliers hopped the Atlantic and terminated a flight of 12,295 miles in 145 hours, at Tokio.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 29.—(AP)—Edward Schless and William Brock, world famous fliers, took off from Rockwell field here at 6:40 P. M. today in an attempt to break the world's record for duration now held by Germany.

MOTHER LEADS POLICE SAY SON TO PRISON; MOTHER AIDED OTHER TO THEFT

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 29.—(AP) A mother's wish to see strict justice done, no matter what the cost in pain and grief to herself and loved ones, brought Mrs. Anna Hawkins, mother of four, to police headquarters last night. She came leading by the hand her 16-year-old son that she might turn him over to the police as a confessed forger.

"I don't like to do this," she said, "but my boy is a forger. He took a check issued to me, forged my name and cashed it. He has confessed to me. He is my boy—my flesh and blood—but he did wrong and I think he should take his just punishment. I only hope he takes it like a man."

Clifford, the son, told the officers he had taken a pay check issued by his mother, who in turn employed in a cannery at a small salary, signed her name and cashed it to get money for soda pop. When his mother charged him with the theft and begged him to strike her if her accusation was false, Clifford confessed.

The mother embraced her son tearfully when it was time to leave the police station. "Kiss me, son, please kiss me," she said. Clifford kissed his mother and a moment later was led away to a cell.

A Different Story. LOS ANGELES, Sept. 29.—(AP) Archie McNamara, five years old, picked up a pocket book in an exclusive Hollywood shop and returned unobtrusively out the door into the arms of two policemen. Right behind him came his 21-year-old mother and two youthful companions. They accompanied him to jail and went in with him.

With that police placed a charge against the quartet, accusing them of a purse snatching scheme, in which Archie lifted pocketbooks in stylish shops in the film district, while his mother and mates engaged the attention of sales girls. Police said they had successfully made the round of Hollywood shops for "some time" obtaining considerable money and jewelry.

Crash Cigarettes. OAKLAND, Cal., Sept. 29.—(AP) Local members of the W. C. T. U. are crushing cigarette habits with their heels. Boys that 1928 have been stamped down in a few weeks. The reason is given as a conviction, to keep children from smoking them.

Assessed Valuation of County Property Increased Materially during Past Year. Gold Beach.—Assessed valuation of county property increased materially during past year.

LADY ASTOR EXPRESSES NO CHOICE

Native Virginian Home for Visit—Glad to See Country Stirred Up Over Election—Says Women Do Not Vote As Husbands Do—Reports England Drier.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(AP) Lady Nancy Astor, member of the British parliament, was here today for a two weeks' visit, glad to see the United States stirred up over the presidential election, but noncommittal as to her own preference.

"As a native Virginian I should undoubtedly have my coat off and be in the thick of the fight," she said, "but as an M. P. not one word—not even a gesture, it would be unbecomable for me to express an opinion."

The coming election has developed a real fight, hasn't it? This is good. Citizens feel to be awakened. Politics, religion, prohibition, the farmer, issues that strike home, that reach the individual."

Accompanied by her daughter, the Hon. Phyllis Astor, the former Nancy Langhorne of Virginia, arrived yesterday on the Aquitania. She spent the night at the home of Roger Winthrop on Long Island, with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson. Tomorrow she goes to the family home at Mendenhall, Virginia.

The first woman ever to take a seat in the British parliament, Lady Astor "pooh-poohed" the idea that women vote as their husbands do. "That is one of the delusions men have got which they must get over," she said. "I can say, however, that many men vote as do their wives."

Naval Pact Stupid. She expressed the belief that there was nothing very wrong with the recently disclosed secret naval pact between Great Britain and France, except that "it was very stupidly done. If we are agreed, as I think we are, that peace is desirable, it is very silly to continue armament for war," she said.

She reported that the cause of temperance in England was constantly gaining ground. She said that the cities which had voted local option were happy in the experiment, and that where there were "dry" cities, they were only one today.

In the course of her interview, she let fall the following epigrams: "I do not believe that I must stand by my party, right or wrong, or my country, right or wrong, either."

"Most of our troubles in this world come from thoughtlessness on the part of himself, courtesy officials and his civil right priest, Monsignor Joseph A. Bealin, got all the necessary civil and religious paper work essential for his pending marriage to Miss Mary Josephine Lander of Greenwich, Conn., completed this morning."

They had got down to a lunch given in his honor by American Ambassador Fletcher. There were no speeches or interviews and the luncheon was an extremely intimate gathering. The guests included American newspaper men, U. S. Home and members of the embassy staff.

BOMBING OF ASTOR EXPRESSES NO CHOICE

Rocky River and Lakewood Residents Victims Bomb Mystery—Police Believe Outgrowth of Labor Controversy—No Fatalities.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 29.—(AP) Two exclusive Cleveland suburbs were rocked by blasts when bombs planted under a private residence in Rocky River and a 28-unit apartment, exploded within a few minutes of each other early today.

Members of the family of Paul C. Hackett were thrown from their beds but escaped serious injury when an explosion wrecked the front of their Rocky River residence. Windows in adjoining homes were shattered and several others reported being hurled from their beds.

The second blast was reported at a three-story apartment building in Lakewood, throwing more than 50 occupants of the building from their beds.

The second bomb was placed on the front windowsill of the second story apartment of John Schlemmer. He and his wife escaped injury although their furniture was shattered.

Schlemmer termed the explosion a mystery, but police saw labor trouble as a possible background for the bombing of the Hackett home.

Hackett, a real estate man, said the explosion probably was intended for the house next door, owned by Charles Montgomery, another real estate dealer. Nearly a year ago, Montgomery said one of his houses was bombed when he refused to employ union labor. He said he had thought his labor troubles had been settled, however.

It then had been planned to take him on a tour of the city, probably for a visit at Marquette university, whose students, in brown berets and college blues, turned out in such large numbers last night and paraded several miles alongside the automobile procession, a visit to the soldiers' home also had been arranged for the nominee.

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AL SMITH TO SPEAK ON LIQUOR

Former Brewing Center to Hear Prohibition Program—Last Speech of Western Tour—Worked Late Yesterday On Speech Draft—Will Tour City.

Associated Press Staff Writer. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 29.—(AP) In this former brewing center Governor Smith tonight will lay before a waiting electorate his detailed program for prohibition reform.

The speech, the sixth and last of his two weeks' western invasion, will be the first devoted by the Democratic presidential candidate to the eighteenth amendment and Volstead Act since he advocated their modification in his acceptance speech at Albany, August 22.

With only this one subject as his text, it is expected that the nominee will elaborate to some extent on the stand he took in the address for state control of liquor sales and in the side discussion of prohibition at Omaha, September 18, when, at the close of his farm relief speech, he answered one of several questions propounded to him in a newspaper advertisement with the declaration that he did not consider liquor "the great evil" of the campaign.

As in his custom, Governor Smith worked late on a draft of his speech last night at the Hotel Schroeder, where his party is quartered on the nineteenth floor. A press conference was the first engagement facing him after breakfast today.

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"Young Hero" La Follette, who is up for reelection to the senate this year, and Senator Blaine, Republican of the so-called progressive school are looked upon hopefully by Smith managers for assistance in Wisconsin and other northwestern states in view of the former's statement that he would support the Republican platform and the latter's pronouncement of this week that he would not support or vote for Hoover.

Smith supporters also are counting on a large proportion of the German vote in this state, as well as that of the Scandinavian elements, and hope to pull enough votes in Milwaukee, which incidentally has a socialist mayor and the only socialist representative in congress, to offset possibility of Republican gains—a rest of the state.

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GENE COMPLETES MARRIAGE PLANS; ATTENDS LUNCH

ROME, Sept. 29.—(AP) Gene Tunney by dint of Herculean efforts on the part of himself, embassy officials and his civil right priest, Monsignor Joseph A. Bealin, got all the necessary civil and religious paper work essential for his pending marriage to Miss Mary Josephine Lander of Greenwich, Conn., completed this morning.

They had got down to a lunch given in his honor by American Ambassador Fletcher. There were no speeches or interviews and the luncheon was an extremely intimate gathering. The guests included American newspaper men, U. S. Home and members of the embassy staff.

Tunney's wrath against photographers finally relented to the extent of his posing in the courtyard of the Roman palace before the luncheon. He posed with Ambassador Fletcher and with Warren K. Robinson, retiring ambassador of the embassy, who will be the new United States minister to Salvador. "Yes, I'll pose if you leave me alone after this," Gene said.

"All right, champ, we promise," chuckled the camera men. "Nuthin' says 'No'." After the luncheon, Fletcher and Gene had a long talk about books and pictures.

Chardon is stated to have tried his machine over at an attempt of about 200 yards when the blood pressure in his head became so severe and his legs so cramped that only by a last desperate effort was he able to right the machine and to slide to earth.

"It was the worst quarter of an hour of my life," he said later.

Pirates Kill. HONG KONG, Sept. 29.—(AP) Two British officers of the China Navigation company, a crewman and a sailing mate, have been killed by Chinese pirates.

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WILLIAMSON GETS PLACE ON BALLOT FOR LEGISLATURE

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 29.—(AP) The official certification of candidates who are to be voted on in November include Lloyd A. Williamson of Medford as one of the Democratic candidates in the legislature from Jackson county. Williamson was nominated by the Jackson county Democratic central committee to take the place of J. H. Fuller, who withdrew his candidacy. The secretary of state some time ago stated that Williamson could not be certified because of a defect in the form in which the committee sent in his certification. This, however, was corrected by the secretary of state.

Board Appointed. WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—(AP) President Coolidge today appointed an emergency board under the terms of the railway labor act to investigate and report to him within 30 days regarding the same dispute in a number of western railroads.

Oregon Temperatures. Oregon, especially fair tonight and Sunday but with clouds of fog in west portion, moderate temperatures. Humidity normal in the west portion and below normal in the east portion. Gentle variable winds.

BULLETIN

The Medford high school defeated the Clatsop Indians this afternoon, 29 to 7, in a game that was featured by long forward passes on the part of the winners. The Indians were unable to ball the Medford team, in line bucking and were outbushed in every department of the game. The Indians scored their touchdown, when Meacham recovered a fumbled punt, and ran the ball to the 12-yard line before he was downed. A forward pass, Smith to C. Meacham, brought the touchdown. A fair sized crowd saw the contest.

3 U. S. TEACHERS JAILED IN TURKEY

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 29.—(AP)—Three American teachers, charged with disseminating religious propaganda today were again sentenced to three days imprisonment and a fine of three liras (about \$14) when the case against them was returned. The teachers, Miss Jennie Johnson, director of the American school at Broussa, Miss Edith Sanderson of Berkeley, Cal., and Miss Lucille Day, were sentenced by Judge Nizamiddin, whose former identical verdict had been set aside by the court of appeals.