

FIGHT OVER RUM WILL CENTER IN LOCAL ELECTIONS

Politicians Realize Senators and Congressmen Must Run Gauntlet—President Will Have Small Say

By Byron Price, (Chief of Bureau, The Associated Press, Washington.) Home from the Chicago convention, and thinking it over, the politicians are beginning to realize that the prohibition shoe is likely to pinch hardest, not in the presidential race at all, but in the local elections of senators and congressmen.

Under the constitution, whoever is President after March 4, next, can do very little about the dry laws. Both Mr. Hoover and Mr. Roosevelt cannot, and probably will—subordinate this issue to the grave questions of economic recovery.

But congress can do a great deal about prohibition. It, not the President, is empowered to propose changes in the constitution. It alone can modify the Volstead act. The wet and dry leaders in public life, have been quick to see that, and to apply the pressure where it means something.

It will be vastly more difficult this year than ever before for any candidate for senate or house, anywhere, to dodge and straddle.

The constitution provides just two methods of originating amendments. One is by the action of two-thirds of both houses of congress. The other is by a national convention, assembled for that special purpose on the petition of the legislatures of two-thirds of the states.

Hats Turn Up Their Brims for Fall; Gay-Colored Velvet Favorite Fabric



The hats smart women will wear this fall are of the turban variety. Many of them are made of velvet and they're trimmed and turned up in front. At left is a black velvet turban made with two small bows to accent the new "forward on the forehead" movement. It is a perk new model. Openwork turbans are among the new hats being offered.

By Diana Merwin (Associated Press Fashion Editor) PARIS—(AP)—A new hat has leaped into the spotlight already turned on fall fashion predictions.

It is trimmed in front and often turned up as well, in marked contrast to the summer "turned down front." Its colors are gay, its fabric rich and intricately worked by hand.

Its line is distinctly 1932 with airplane bows and wings perched above foreheads to achieve its modern silhouette. Low crush crowns and turned up brims are often seen.

Velvet is the favorite fabric for the new fall hats already being worn by a number of smart Parisians. In a thick dull pile and a new uncrushable "astrakhan" effect having a crinkled surface, it is worn for both formal and semi-formal occasions.

For street hats a soft pliable broadcloth which can be snipped, pieced and worked to fit the head, threatens to replace the blocked felt seen on smart heads last winter.

Colors are important. Agnes has launched a new American beauty velvet which she calls ruby. Made up in a combination of Corintine red (reds of wine) and Ophelia rose (a soft dull rose), and others are showing chocolate brown, leaf green, geranium reds and a new dark beige.

One smart bicorne is designed of brilliant cerise velvet with a flat bow applied over the forehead above the right eye. Another fashionable model has a three-inch turned-up brim of Corintine red and a crush crown of Ophelia rose with the two colors combined in an airplane bow perched on the front brim.

Beige broadcloth makes a third which has a sharply turned up brim made of rolls of the material finished with a knit in chocolate brown.

The toque—molded closely to the head and tilted to the right—is a favorite with the smartest women in Paris and threatens to replace the beret in popularity.

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mad for cooperation between the district attorney's office and prosecuting attorneys in the office of the corporation counsel to expedite these cases, present them to the courts, and to urge substantial sentences and to arrange proper prison accommodations in the district jail, the Occoquan workhouse, and the prison at Lorton, for any number of persons who may be convicted.

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DRY LAW REPEAL TO TRAVEL SLOW AND ROUGH ROAD

Debate in Senate Discloses Inability of Members to Agree On Wording—Effort Only in Infancy

By Byron Price If anyone thinks repeal of the eighteenth amendment can be effected quickly or easily, he should read the record of that Saturday night prohibition debate with which the senate wound up its sessions.

Here was a visible, tangible demonstration of the constitution-amending processes of government at work over the wording of a very short paragraph it was proposed to write into the supreme law of the land.

Why what result? The debate disclosed that everybody had his own idea what words should be employed, and when adjournment arrived the advocates of a change appeared a little further apart, if anything, than they were in the beginning.

Yet before the machinery of ratification can begin to function, two-thirds of the senate and two-thirds of the house must agree, not only on a change, but on the precise form of that change.

Clear-Cut? Hardly As matters stand now, what is the issue that is thrown over into the congressional campaign?

The submission plank adopted by the republican national convention. The repeal submission plank rejected by the republican convention but supported by a strong minority.

WEAKEST LINK IN RAILWAY IS RUSSIA'S GUARD

Trans-Siberian Line Paradox in Nation's Military System—Japan's Actions Strain Soviet Patience

By Stanley P. Richardson MOSCOW (AP)—The Trans-Siberian railroad, the only line which links up the whole Soviet Union from the Baltic to the Pacific, is at once the weakest and the strongest factor in the nation's transportation system, from a military standpoint.

This paradoxical fact is being considered here in the light of recent Japanese actions in Manchuria. There is evidence that such moves as the Japanese seizure on June 29 of Chinese customs at Manchul, on Manchuria's western border, and the more recent taking over of Russian docks and warehouses at Harbin, are straining soviet patience.

Lessons in Weakness? Because if war comes in the Far East it would be difficult to move sufficient troops and supplies over it unless there was

time for advance preparations. Historians lay part of the responsibility for czarist Russia's defeat by Japan on the railroad's inability to rush large bodies of troops to Manchuria.

Profiting by that lesson, the soviet authorities began reinforcing their already strong military base in the Far East as soon as the war scare was occasioned here by Japanese occupation of Manchuria. Now Red Army leaders assert that the Soviet is ready to repeal an invasion—a possibility about which the press here warns unceasingly.

The military strength of the ink ties, paradoxically, in the place which might be considered its greatest weakness—the fact that the far eastern end of the line, stretching 1,600 miles from Chita to Vladivostok, is only single track.

It has been left that way deliberately as a piece of military strategy.

Would Hamper foe This makes of the territory lying between Chita and Vladivostok a sort of bottleneck. Therein lies the strategy. An official of the commissariat for transportation explained it this way:

"Suppose an enemy invaded soviet territory from the east. He naturally would make first for the Trans-Siberian, which is the only means by which he could hope to advance. But a single track line could not accommodate the troops and supplies he would have to move.

"Consider, therefore, that if the single track is somewhat inconvenient to us, how much more disadvantageous it would be as an instrument for an invading force in a hostile country.

"Japan tried to take Siberia once when the allies intervened there right

her troops nearly froze to death because there was no adequate transportation. Before the Japanese plan on getting that far again they had better recall that experience.

"No, I think we'll let that single track stay for awhile."

Hyderabad's Iron Shop HYDERABAD, India.—(AP)—A belt shop here is probably the world's smallest store. Its window is only 36 inches high and 8 wide but it is complete with shelves which are locked each night.

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BONUSERS CLASH WITH POLICEMEN DURING EVICTION

(Continued from Page One) Mitchell, had ordered the evacuation of all veterans from federal property. Quick reinforcements were rushed into the area and the brick throwing veterans soon subsided so far as actual violence was concerned, but continued yelling and booing and shouting, "Let's run them out."

Meanwhile, police reserves from every precinct in the District of Columbia arrived on the scene. Veterans were moving on the Pennsylvania avenue area from all directions and gathering bricks and stones en route.

The lot on which the veterans have been living was covered with bricks and debris from buildings which have been demolished.

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'CACTUS JACK' HAS UNORTHODOX VIEW OF OFFICE DUTIES

(By Herbert Plimmer.) WASHINGTON.—(AP)—"Cactus Jack" Garner already has indicated that if he is elected vice-president of the United States some drastic changes in the discharge of the duties of that office may be expected.

One of the first things he did was to make sure that there would be no ceremony and folderol about his notification.

Notification ceremonies—even for a vice-presidential candidate—in the United States have been colorful. When Curtis, for example, was informed by Senator Foss back in 1928 that the Republican party had selected him as Mr. Hoover's running mate, his home town of Topeka, Kans., made it a memorable affair.

With warehouses, the Indian boys of the Fortawatomies were on hand to execute their wild dances in his honor. From every lamp post and across every principal street hung flags, bunting, party insignia and pictures of Curtis.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN IMITATIONS 'OUT' FOR SON'S DEBUT

By Robbin Coons. HOLLYWOOD.—Frank Craven, who acts when he isn't writing, has a nice job on his hands.

It is to write a screen story to feature two little boys he has never seen, two very famous little boys, and their mother, who is equally well-known. It is the story that will illustrate the two young sons of Charlie Chaplin to their father's profession.

Craven, sitting in his office at the studio the other morning, admitted he hadn't the shadow of an idea what sort of a story he would write. But he was smiling unworried.

"I know I'll get it written," he said. "The mechanical job of putting a story on paper never worries me. The only question in my mind is, will the studio like it? But I haven't any control over that, so what's the use of worrying?"

Craven, author of 14 plays, in many of which he has appeared, has had experience entitling him to freedom from worry in that regard or any other pertaining to his craft.

Four hundred and thirty-five members of the house and 30 members of the senate are to be elected. Every candidate can take his own view. When the election is over, each successful candidate will come to Washington with what he calls "a mandate" from his constituents to support the particular form of change he advocated during the campaign, if he favored any change at all.

Figure for yourself how long it will take to get these hundreds of mandates melted down into one textual formula on which two-thirds can agree.

Just a Beginning And that will be only the beginning. The real decision whether the eighteenth amendment is to stand or fall will be rendered later—probably much later—out in the states, headquarters of them must agree, after two-thirds of congress has agreed.

Apparently, whatever conventions may be held and whatever the people themselves may desire, this attempt to take prohibition out of the constitution is only in its infancy.

KLAMATH FALLS.—Construction of \$10,000 building to start at Southern Pacific depot soon.

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ABYSSINIAN RULER OPENS LAW COURTS IN REFORM DRIVE

ADDIS ARABA.—(AP)—Pursuing his aim to westernize his backward country, Emperor Haile Selassie is establishing regularly constituted judicial courts in Abyssinia.

Before the young monarch ascended the throne there were no regular courts. Justice was administered in a haphazard way by men having no knowledge of law or jurisprudence.

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MACARONI MAKERS SEE NO DEPRESSION

NAPLES, Italy.—(AP)—Neapolitan macaroni makers are not worrying about the depression, for in the midst of it their industry is flourishing.

The Italian family budget may be slashed in a dozen ways, but the item set aside for macaroni, spaghetti and noodles stays put. Any cut in it would mean the people were going hungry.

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