

## CAL'S FARM AID RAPPED BY WATSON

Indiana Senior Senator Says 'I'm Not Candidate for President.'

WOULD USE TARIFF

Cooperative Marketing Belittled as Impossible.

By Times Special

MT. VERNON, Ill., Aug. 12.—Addressing 20,000 farmers here today, Senator James E. Watson openly split with President Coolidge on the farm relief policies upon which he seeks re-election in Indiana this fall. Watson belittled the Administration's cooperative marketing scheme as impossible.

He charged Treasury Secretary Mellon with making "an erroneous conclusion" in his "celebrated letter" which is held responsible for the defeat of the McNary farm bill in the last Congress.

Watson pleaded for the nation to lift agriculture to a parity with other labor and industry by application of the protective tariff principle and the adoption of supplemental legislation, like the McNary bill, to make it effective.

Disclaiming presidential aspirations, Watson denied politics prompted his stand.

"I am not a candidate for President and shall not be," he said, "and, therefore, anything I shall say on this occasion cannot be ascribed to me."

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## YOUNG MEN SOUGHT IN MANAGER MOVE

Campaign Committee to Be Named at Meeting Friday—Will Start Educational Campaign.

Besides enlargement of the executive committee fathering the movement for adoption of city manager government in Indianapolis, appointment of a campaign committee composed of young men will be discussed Friday noon by civic and business leaders of the city who are to meet at the Indianapolis Athletic Club.

One of the first tasks of the campaign committee, according to plans of sponsors of the movement, would be an aggressive educational campaign to acquaint the city with numerous advantages of the manager form of government.

Charles F. Coffin, chairman of the executive committee sponsoring the movement, will outline the history and purposes of the movement and discuss the law enabling cities to change forms. This law was a bone of contention in the original drive for a city manager, staged more than a year ago when upwards of 20,000 citizens signed petitions for a change.

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"Did you say I was 'fixed'?" asked the court.

"No, I said Governor Al Smith was fixed,"

Poland introduced an affidavit signed by Sol Rosenberg, who said that he and another Anti-Saloon League investigator had questioned the proprietor of a gambling den.

"He told us that everything had been fixed with a case which affected this district only, but had direct bearing on the State at large."

PRIMARY LAW ATTACHED

Supreme Court of Illinois to Rule on Validity.

By United Press  
DIXON, Ill., Aug. 12.—The Supreme Court of the State must decide this fall whether the law under which Illinois has held primary elections for sixteen years is valid.

Three circuit judges were yesterday ruled the law invalid, in connection with a case which affected this district only, but had direct bearing on the State at large.

AUTO HURTS KILL TWO

By United Press  
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 12.—Clarence Rodgers, 7, and Roy Mayfield, truck driver, died today from injuries received in auto accidents. The boy was struck while at play. Mayfield's truck turned over.

PLAN BLUE LAW APPEAL

By United Press  
COLUMBUS, Ind., Aug. 12.—An appeal to the Bartholomew circuit court was planned today by attorneys for Oscar Kuchner and Howard Cornell of Indianapolis and Frank Rembaugh of Shelbyville, who were fined \$10 and costs each for operating a Sunday moving picture show here.

PUBLISHER DIES

By United Press  
PASADENA, Cal., Aug. 12.—Charles Ray, aged former publisher of the Milwaukee (Wis.) Sentinel, died at his home here today.

## She's Learning to Shoot Craps



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## YELLOWLEY BOOSTED AS DRY CZAR

Shumaker Suggests District Chief Be Given Andrews' Post.

SENATORS FAVOR HIM

But Influence of Watson and Robinson Is Doubtful.

By United Press

Dr. Edward S. Shumaker, Indiana Anti-Saloon League superintendent, today suggested that Prohibition Administrator E. C. Yellowley of the Indiana-Illinois-Wisconsin area be appointed prohibition czar if Lincoln, C. Andrews resigns at the end of this month.

A possibility of Yellowley's securing the appointment was seen by Shumaker.

"Senators McKinley and Deneen of Illinois, Lenroot of Wisconsin, Willis of Ohio, and Watson and Robinson of Indiana would support Yellowley, I believe," Shumaker said.

Watson, Robinson

"But I don't know whether Watson and Robinson have very much influence with the President any more," Shumaker asserted, hastening to add, "but I don't believe Mr. Coolidge would slap them in the face outright."

Informing that Watson was openly slapping the President in his speech at Mt. Vernon, Ill., today, Shumaker said:

"Well, it's his funeral."

Shumaker's suggestion was made in comment on one by The Times and other Scripps-Howard newspapers that Wayne B. Wheeler, Anti-Saloon League general counsel, be appointed.

On Political Front

The first suggestion was that the appointment of Wheeler would put him at the head of the battle being waged by Andrews, which he has so severely criticized. The impression in Washington is that Andrews, in charge of dry law enforcement, will quit.

"We need Wheeler to safeguard the law itself," Shumaker said. "If he were in Andrews' job he couldn't wage the fight for the drys on the political front, like he does so admirably now."

WILD WEST ENJOYS GUN PLAY AT CHICAGO

Rodeo Star, However, Says Drugstore Cowboys Can't Hit Much.

By United Press  
CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Espurred cowboys of the Wild West here to take part in a rodeo don't think much of the shooting of their drug store brethren.

E. D. Jackson, Gillette, Wyo., one of the westerners with the reputation of shooting of four on scenic Michigan Blvd.

"It was kinda tame," he said. "Them boys didn't seem to know much about shooting. They didn't hit anything. I haven't had so much fun since I left the West. Gee, wish I had my iron with me."

Since the westerners have arrived, the drugstore men have put on the following shows:

1. Three murderers.

2. One street battle on Michigan Blvd.

3. One taxi-cab race through the outer sections of the city.

4. A renewal of beer gang feuds.

5. Two saloons "shot up."

The three men who have been killed were "Big" Smith, Tommy Ross and John Foley.

PYTHIANS ELECT HEAD

Also Plan Endowment for Eradication of Leprosy.

By United Press  
CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Richard S. Witte of Milwaukee, was elected chancellor of the supreme lodge of the Knights of Pythias here today at the bi-annual convention. Alva M. Lumpkin, Columbia, S. C., was elected vice chancellor.

A congressional appropriation of \$500,000 and a \$1,500,000 endowment from members for the eradication of leprosy is expected to be asked by the supreme lodge before the convention closes.

## MR. READER, WHICH ONE PLEASES YOU?

Here's Story About That Vacation You Might Have Had. And Here Is One About Mysterious Murders—Four of Them.

By Eldora Field

"If you were an average reader, what would you like most to read about in the paper today?"

This was the city editor's question. "Vacations," I began hopefully. "If I ever get any—"

"A lot of folks have already had their vacations," he remarked. "So much the better," said I. "They're sure to like the 'Vacation They Might Have Had.' You know—if you went to the country, you wish afterward that you'd not wasted your time and had really seen something; if you went to the big cities, you think it's a shame afterward that you didn't rest yourself up in some nice, quiet spot—well, say like Dr. Herbert T. Wagner. He's fishing up in Wisconsin."

"I never have luck fishing," the city editor remarked, "and I don't believe the average reader—"

In Switzerland

"How would yodeling suit—yodeling up in the snow capped mountains like George Allig, 1605 Park Ave. Now there's a vacation—up (Turn to Page 10)

By Clyde G. Byers

"If you were an average reader, what would you like most to read about in the paper today?"

I replied to the city editor that a gripping, mysterious murder story always is worth printing.

"A murder story you get then," said the man who cracks the whip. "Might I inquire who has been selected your victim?" I asked.

"You get the murder story. You. Understand?" he replied. I did.

Four Murder Stories

Police were not doing anything about the city's murders today, but there were four outstanding murder stories at police station.

"People like to imagine a lot of freak ideas about this Wilkinson Haag case," commented Detective Inspector Claude Worley.

Police always call a homicide, murder, slaying or killing a case.

"But all this talk you hear about paid assassins and so forth is bunk," continued Worley. "I'm satisfied (Turn to Page 10)

## TRACTS WILL BE SOUGHT BY BOARD

Hope to Complete Boulevard Right of Way.

Only two small tracts of ground remain to be acquired by the park board to obtain a right of way for Pleasant Run Blvd., from Meridian St. to E. Tenth St., according to board members.

Report on progress in removing insanitary conditions near the Garfield Park lagoon was to be made. Board officials have directed removal of a large part of the lagoon dam and thorough cleaning of the water.

The board was expected to continue its policy of secretly removing old employees to make way for those politically "right." Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer, who have operated the concessions in the Charles E. Coffin golf course clubhouse for many years, have been ordered out and R. D. Williams has been named in their place.

DECLARES BUTLER FINANCIAL ASSET

To Spend \$15,000,000 in Next Five Years.

Butler University will spend directly between \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000 in the community in the next five years according to a conservative estimate, John W. Atherton financial secretary, told the Indianapolis Real Estate Board at luncheon today at the Chamber of Commerce.

About \$30,000,000 will be expended in the next five years indirectly as a result of the school being located here, he said.

Expenditure of \$1,000,000 on new buildings composing the first unit at the new Fairview site is planned this year in addition to \$250,000 for the athletic plant and \$500,000 for fraternity houses.

Persons visiting students and attending athletic contests spend thousands of dollars here each year, he said.

Addition of at least 1,000 families in five years, growth of the locality surrounding the site and increased real estate values was predicted.

Butler condemned the city for its failure to widen Forty-Sixth St., which he said was promised.

RECKLESSNESS CHARGED

Driver Arrested After Crash; Failed to Stop.

Paul Lang, 2539 Manker St., was charged with reckless driving today by Motor Policemen Long and Curran, following an accident at Southern Ave. and Manker St., after which Lang is said to have failed to stop. He was found at his home. No one was injured.

NORRIS TRIAL IS SET

By United Press  
FT. WORTH, Texas, Aug. 12.—Trial of Dr. J. Frank Norris, Baptist pastor who shot and killed D. E. Chippis, prominent lumber man, July 17, will be held in Ft. Worth, convening Nov. 1, attorneys in the case agreed today.

Horse Laughs? Nope, Tears

By United Press  
GRAYLING, Mich., Aug. 12.—A stable full of field artillery horses at Camp Grayling enjoyed a "good cry" when tear gas fumes wafted into the stables from the camp ground, where an Army instructor was demonstrating chemical warfare to the Michigan National Guard.

TRACK WORKER KILLED

By United Press  
GARY, Ind., Aug. 12.—Funeral arrangements were being made today for Thomas Ancher, railway track worker, who was killed by a train at a serious condition at a hospital here following an accident in which they were run down by a Baltimore & Ohio passenger train yesterday.

## Can Indianapolis Baby Beat Him?



Clarence Frederick of Toledo, Ohio, is not yet 19 months old, but he weighs forty pounds and is growing all the time. "Good food and plenty of sleep did it," his mother says proudly. Clarence compares in size with his playmates of 4 and 5 years. Can any Indianapolis baby beat his record? Call the city editor of The Indianapolis Times if you know of any.

Dog Saves Five Kittens From Fire

By United Press  
NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—A fox terrier made a heroic rescue of five kittens from the basement of a burning building Thursday. The dog darted through smoke and flames and carried the cats to safety in her teeth. Nellie, the dog, has been decorated for bravery by a Long Island city fire company.

FIFTY DROWN IN JAPAN

Bridge Gives Away, Hurling Crowd Into River.

By United Press  
Aug. 12.—Fifty persons were drowned at Noshirimito in Akita prefecture, when the railing of a bridge on which they were watching a religious fete broke last night, hurling them into a river. Three bodies have been recovered.

ROAD BIDS TABULATED

Pendleton Pike Resurfacing Will Serve as Test.

Bids were being tabulated by State highway officials today on resurfacing of a local street, as cars were being tabulated by the Pendleton Pike near Dr. Benjamin Harrison. Eight different kinds of surfacing will be used in an effort to determine the qualities of each. The offers generally fell under the engineer's estimate of \$35,409.45.

APPROVE SCHOOL PLANS

Board, in Special Session, Also Lets Lath Contracts.

Working plans for School 42 were approved by the school board in special session today. Contracts were let for the installation of lathes in the manual training department at Manual Training High School. The bid of the Jackson Supply Company for septic tanks in the Broad Ripple High School at \$1,159 was accepted. Lumber for high and elementary school manual training work was ordered from the Mass-Niemeyer Company for \$9,780.

STUMP SEES VICTORY

Predicts Watson and Robinson's Defeat in Fall.

By United Press  
GARY, Ind., Aug. 12.—That Indiana voters will not return James E. Watson and Arthur Robinson to the United States Senate this fall was the prediction of Albert Stump, Democratic long term senatorial candidate, in an address here Wednesday.

Stump is a member of the Democratic "Flying squadron" now touring Indiana in the interest of the party in the fall elections. Other members of the party include Zach T. Dungan, candidate for re-election as clerk of the Supreme Court; A. C. Woods, candidate for judge of the Supreme Court; R. Earl Peters, State chairman of the party, and Mrs. A. P. Flynn, vice chairman.

TREATED AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. Frances Young, 53, of 521 N. Alabama St., was sent to St. Vincent Hospital today for treatment after she was injured about the face and head, in an auto crash at Thirtieth St. and College Ave.

SWEDISH QUEEN ILL

By United Press  
STOCKHOLM, Aug. 12.—Queen Victoria, 64, was suffering from pneumonia today. Her physicians said she was weaker and the illness had intensified, although her heart action was somewhat better.

HOURLY TEMPERATURES

6 a. m. .... 68 10 a. m. .... 75  
7 a. m. .... 70 11 a. m. .... 75  
8 a. m. .... 71 12 noon .... 76  
9 a. m. .... 72 1 p. m. .... 76

## FIVE MEN ENTOMBED IN KENTUCKY MINE A WEEK, ARE TAKEN OUT ALIVE

Rescue Workers Reach Trapped Quintet After Heroic Struggle—Harrowing Story Is Told.

SUCKED WATER FROM TIMBERS

Only Had Four Matches Between Them

When Caught—One Is Delirious.

By United Press  
SALEM, Ky., Aug. 12.—The harrowing story of being entombed in the dark, cold depths of a zinc and spar mine for six days and seven nights, tortured by thirst, slackened only by sucking water-soaked timbers, without food, with but four matches between them to fight off the darkness, was told today by five men, rescued this morning from the American Fluorspar and Zinc Company's shaft here.

Rescue workers, who had been toiling for days, reached the men at 7:15 a. m. after sinking five shafts. All hope that they were alive had been abandoned.

Saves Own Brother

The men were rescued by Freeman Cobb, who crawled into the old shaft of the mine, through mud and slush and met his brother, Randolph Cobb, 32, and his brother-in-law, Roy James, 30, who had started to crawl out of the pocket. These two men were brought out first. Cobb then returned and saved the other three—Harry Watson, 26, George Catillo, 37 and U. B. Wilson, 44.

"Hello boys. I'm not one bit sick or weak. Just tickled pink to be out again," said Cobb.

Cobb was supported on either side by a rescue worker as he came up and was carried toward the first aid tents. They stopped occasionally for Cobb to shake hands with a friend or smile at the crowd in general.

One Delirious

Friends and relatives cheered as, one by one, the five came out of the shaft. All but Catillo were seemingly in good condition and were in exuberant spirits. Catillo, suffering from pneumonia caused by exposure, was delirious and had to be carried out. He was rushed to a hospital.

The men were immediately wrapped in huge blankets. Their clothes were black and soaked with water which had dripped on them while in the mine.

Story Is Told

Cobb, who became the leader of the men during their stay in the shaft, told the story of their adventures while a nurse administered water and liquid food.

"My gut was cold down there," he said, "and awfully dark."

"When the cave-in first occurred we just huddled together and didn't do anything but pray and hope."

"Then we sat down to take stock of our situation. We weren't afraid of suffocation, as the hole made when the roof fell in, let in plenty of fresh air. We figured we could hold out for three weeks."

Just Four Matches

"The boys kind of appointed me leader and then we had an inventory. There were just four matches and a small tobacco can full of clear water between us."

"There are just two stopes in the drift and they had to serve for beds. A stope is a scaffold on the order of those used by bricklayers."

"Three of us had to sleep on one stope and two on the other. That, of course, made it highly uncomfortable. This problem was (Turn to Page 11)

BOND ISSUE DISAPPROVED

The State tax board today disapproved a \$27,840 bond issue for constructing the Ralph L. Stream road in Shawnee Township, Fountain County.

GENERAL MOTORS CUTS MELON