

# JIM REED FLAYS G. O. P. IN HIS CAMPAIGN KEYNOTE

## FIERY SENATOR SEARS MELLON AND COOLIDGE

Monopoly Multiplies While President 'Chooses Not to Act,' He Says.

### TIME RIPE FOR CHANGE

25,000 Missourians Applaud Address in Which Foes Are Assailed.

By United Press  
SEDALIA, Mo., Oct. 12.—Senator James A. Reed, endorsed by the Missouri Democratic central committee for the party's presidential nomination, today greeted 25,000 members of his party here with a speech accepted by the throng as an indication that he would enter the national campaign.

The occasion was the quadrennial State Democratic barbecue and a typical Reed plea for individual rights and Jeffersonian Democracy, combined with a ferocious attack on the Coolidge Administration, stirred the crowd to high enthusiasm.

The state central committee met last night and endorsed Reed for the presidency, but also urged him to file again for the Senate. He has indicated he will not run for re-election.

### Time Ripe for Change

"Times are ripe, rotten ripe, for a change in Washington," Reed declared, pleading for a united Democratic party in the 1928 campaign.

Secretary of the Treasury Mellon he termed "the arch protector of the moneyed interests," Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, "a bribe," and Harry M. Daugherty, former Attorney General, "a vile insect."

Mellon, said Reed, "stands astride the Government whilst the President seduces Yellowstone trout with worms or studies the psychological effect of not choosing to run."

After reviewing several events of the Coolidge Administration, Reed said:

"How stands the case?"

### Coolidge Doesn't (Choose)

"Trusts multiply, and the President does not choose to interfere. Monopoly grows fast, and the President does not choose to act."

"Combinations are formed and arrogantly pursue their methods under the protection of the Government, and the President chooses to approve."

"Commissions are packed by interested parties and their attorneys, so that instead of being guardians of the public, they have become instruments of oppression and of wrong, and the President chooses to do the packing."

"Not a single effective blow has been struck in favor of liberation of the commerce of the Nation from the control of those who have conspired in the teeth of the statutes of the land, and Mr. Coolidge does not choose to act."

### Indirectly Hits Drys

Reed did not refer directly to prohibition, but denounced in general "the invasion of personal rights and privileges."

The protective tariff he blamed for the farm crisis. The foreign policy of the administration, he said, causes "the insolent attitude of foreign nations."

Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, informally a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination on a farm relief platform, Reed referred to as "one of the shining lights and the son-in-law of the Pullman Car Company, now a farmer's friend and defender of the oppressed, who put up \$38,500 to control the Missouri delegation to the Republican convention in the Harding campaign."

### WHIST TOURNEY OPENS

One Hundred Players to Banquet at Severin Tonight.

Approximately one hundred whist players, members of the Indiana Whist Association and guests from various parts of the country, will participate in a tournament opening at a banquet at the Severin at 6:30 p. m. today.

Beginning Thursday, open tournament games will be played at 8 a. m. and 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. each day until the tournament closes Saturday night. The Indianapolis Athletic Club trophy for auction bridge teams of four will be competed for Thursday. The association trophy presented by Max Eichman and Robert G. McClure will be played for Friday evening.

### Divorce to Society Woman

By Times Special  
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 12.—Mrs. Roseland Bourn Heberer, young society woman, is divorced today a second time from Arthur Heberer, whom she accused of infidelity. She married Heberer a year ago after a previous divorce.

## CHILD PAYS WITH LIFE FOR LOVE OF PET CHICKEN

A FUZZY, awkward, half-developed little chicken meant a lot to Helen Schatz, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Schatz, 1322 N. Emerson Ave.

It meant more than her dolly, her dishes, her warm little bed—it turned out that the chicken meant more than her life.

For little Helen is dead, because of her maternal solicitude for the chicken.

Mother and Father Schatz operate a barbecue stand on Pen-

dleton Pike. Little Helen knew that chicken sandwiches were served there.

Deep in the child's consciousness was a lurking fear that some day her chicken would go the way of its kind. It would be killed, dismembered, fried a crisp golden-brown and eaten by some unwitting person, unmindful of what a tragedy he was participating in.

THE fear grew so strong that on the night of Sept. 16 the child smuggled some matches from the kitchen, and

stole out into the dark to see if the chicken still was in its pen. She struck a match. The wind was blowing. The match nearly burned the little fingers. The tiny hand wavered toward her dress—a flash—a scream and the parents rushed from the house to find the little girl's clothing ablaze.

The flames were quickly extinguished, but the child was seriously burned. She was taken to St. Francis Hospital. A few days later she appeared to be on the road to recovery and was taken home, but she grew worse.

THE child was taken to city hospital, and there doctors, nurses and internes, who grew to love the patient little sufferer, began a three weeks' battle to save her life.

They did everything they could, but yesterday Helen died.

And a gangly young fry, grown much larger now, may have wondered as it pecked around its pen at the Schatz home why those tender little hands never come to stroke it any more.

## PREDICT APPEAL ON ROAD RULING

Judge Holds Tax Board Has No Authority on Bonds.

Appeal to the Indiana Supreme Court from a ruling of Judge James M. Leathers, in Superior Court, One that the State tax board has no authority to pass on the issuance of bonds for building roads in Marion County is expected soon.

Judge Leathers made the ruling Tuesday afternoon in connection with the sale of bonds for the improvement of Alexandria Rd., between Sherman Dr. and Arlington Ave., in Center and Warren Townships. The tax board issued an order disapproving the bonds.

The case was taken to the court by Lawrence Hayes, a property holder. The suit asked that the county commissioners be ordered to issue bonds to pay Hayes Brothers, contractors, for the work.

Judge Leathers also ordered that this be done within fifteen days.

"The court finds that the county commissioners have not issued the bonds and that the order of the State board of tax commissioners is null and void. The tax commissioners are wholly without jurisdiction, the ruling said.

## GREET 4,000 PASTORS

Christian Ministers Gather for Parley Opening.

Disciples of Christ pastors from all parts of the country were arriving in Indianapolis today for the opening at 7:30 p. m. tonight of the annual four-day North American Christian convention at Cadle Tabernacle.

The attendance is expected to reach 4,000 or 5,000 clergymen. The opening session will be addressed by the Rev. Wallace Tharp of Tuscaloosa, Ala., on "The Deity of Jesus." J. W. Atherton will preside as chairman.

Addresses and discussions will occupy the convention at three sessions daily, starting Thursday and continuing until Sunday night.

The committee on arrangements includes: The Rev. P. H. Willshire of Canton, Ohio, chairman; the Rev. W. B. Walker of Columbus, Ohio; the Rev. W. E. Sweeney of Johnson City, Tenn.; the Rev. F. S. Dowdy of Pittsburgh, Pa.; the Rev. C. A. Trinkle, pastor of Englewood Christian Church, Indianapolis; the Rev. Mark Collis of Lexington, Ky.; the Rev. Robert S. Tuck of Wooster, Ohio, and S. S. Baplin of Cincinnati, Ohio.

### Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported stolen to police belong to:

W. A. Miller, Sheridan, Ind., Ford, from Georgia and Meridian Sts.

Ben Lavin, 709 N. Pennsylvania St., Maxwell, from North and Delaware Sts.

William Stacks, city, Jewett, 144-998, from Columbus, Ind.

Frank Mohler, Lebanon, Ind., Ford, 406-407, from Senate Ave. and Market St.

Dayton P. Carter, 1119 Hoefgen St., Ford, 710-288, from Market and Alabama Sts.

Claude Epperson, 605 Lockerbie St., Buick, 16-971, from Meridian and St. Clair Sts.

### BACK HOME AGAIN

Automobiles reported found by police belong to:

Armand Rankin, 5267 College Ave., Oldsmobile, at 223 Liberty St.

Fred Penick, Covington, Ky., Ford, at North St., and Massachusetts Ave.

Dana Lamar, 1502 N. Capitol Ave., Ford at Missouri and Fifteenth Sts.

Marshall Hague, 1331 S. Belmont Ave., Ford, at River Ave. and Morris St.

### Prince Keeps Secret

By United Press  
SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 12.—Prince William of Sweden believes a secret should be kept. The prince attended a secret practice of the Notre Dame football team here Tuesday, and refused to tell anything of what had happened on the field. It was secret, he explained.

## 'Poor Kid!' Scott Eulogy



"Poor kid," was the only eulogy for Russell Scott, convicted slayer who hanged himself with a belt in a Chicago jail. Mrs. Florence Scott, his widow, who once went on a hunger strike to raise funds with which to fight for his freedom, is pictured here just after she spoke the words. To the left is Thomas H. Scott, the suicide's father. Scott Stewart, attorney, is on the right.

### DRYS TO NAME TICKET

Prohibition Party of Indiana Holds Session Here.

Representatives of the Prohibition party of Indiana today adopted a resolution providing that a ticket of candidates be drawn for the 1928 campaign, at a meeting at the Wheeler Rescue Mission.

State Prohibitionist Chairman B. L. Allen reviewed the history of the movement and urged that the party back a candidate in the coming election. The resolution scored "old political parties for failure to enforce the dry laws as they should be administered."

Candidates for State, district and county officers were urged wherever possible.

### Indorse Woolen

By Times Special  
HUNTINGTON, Ind., Oct. 12.—

Evans Woolen, Indianapolis banker, stands endorsed today by Democrats of Huntington County as the party's nominee for President in 1928. Support was voted at a rally Tuesday night. A Woolen-for-President Club has been organized with Lee Griffith business agent of the county farm bureau, as chairman.

## SMITHY SHOOTS SELF

Wound May Be Fatal; Ill Health Is Blamed.

Despondent over ill health that made him unable to carry on his business, William Ellsworth Thomas, 61, blacksmith, shot himself early today while sitting in the porch swing at his home, 3141-Clifton St. The bullet struck just below the heart. He is in a critical condition at the city hospital.

His wife and daughter were in the house, but thought the report was that of an auto tire bursting or motor backfire. Passersby saw Thomas crouch in the swing and carried him into his home.

Thomas for years has conducted a blacksmith shop near Clifton and Udell St. He started by his shop today, his wife said, but came back, stating that he forgot his time book. His wife was unable to tell where the gun, a .32 calibre, came from, stating the family never owned one.

## CARROLL PLEA TO PAROLE BODY

Special Session Is Called for Thursday.

### By United Press

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 12.—Earl Carroll's application for parole from the Federal penitentiary was considered tomorrow, prison officials said today. The parole board will convene in special session.

Warden John W. Snook said the special meeting was not called because Carroll's plea was on the docket. The next regular meeting of the board is in January and Snook previously had said he knew of no reason for a special session.

If Carroll, serving a year for perjury in connection with testimony concerning his "bathtub party," should be paroled he will have served a little more than four months of his sentence.

The New York theatrical producer entered the prison June 8 after two months in a Greenville, S. C., hospital, to which he was taken when he suffered a nervous collapse while en route to Atlanta.

Prison doctors said the prisoner, now on the honor farm, has gained twenty pounds since he came here.

### SERUM DEMAND GROWS

Rush Product to Fight Infantile Paralysis to Epidemic Areas.

Demand from infantile paralysis epidemic centers throughout the United States in rushing production here of a new serum developed recently in the laboratories of Eli Lilly and Company.

The company's experiments were made in cooperation with Dr. Edward C. Rosenow, experimental bacteriology division head, Mayo Foundation, Rochester, Minn.

Since the United States Public Health Service granted a license for the production of the serum, nearly 10,000 units of the serum have been used in epidemic centers.

### KING SPEAKS AT PARLEY

"Man is the originator and distributor of his own diseases," Dr. William F. King, secretary of the State board of health told a national conference of dairy, food, and drug officials, which opened at West Baden Tuesday.

King stressed the importance of food inspection and said that only 60 per cent of the nation's meat is now inspected.

## FORD TO TAME JUNGLE TO BUILD RUBBER EMPIRE

Vast Amazon Wilderness Has Few Trails; Natives Travel in Log Canoes.

### By United Press

DETROIT, Oct. 12.—Henry Ford will throw the vast resources, human and mechanical, of his organization into converting 6,000 square miles of Amazon jungle into thriving settlements for the production of rubber, Edsel Ford said today.

The formation of the Companhia Ford Expansao Industrial do Brasil, announced yesterday exclusively in a United Press dispatch from Para, has aroused considerable interest in automobile circles. It was regarded as Ford's first step toward breaking the British monopoly and the development of cheaper rubber for the United States.

Edsel Ford said that their entry into rubber production was the result of extensive preliminary study in which all major details had been taken into consideration.

### Area Is Disease Ridden

He will have to bring health and sanitary discipline into territory ridden by the malaria bearing mosquitoes; by yellow fever and other diseases which the Rockefeller foundation has attacked with greater or less success in less isolated but contiguous areas.

He will have to solve the not inconsiderable problem of maintaining a native labor supply. Normally this is scant in quantity and irregular in character and these residents of the "bush" usually work when they feel the urge.

The white man's activity in the region is limited by constant exposure to tropical sun and susceptibility to disease.

### Plan Gradual Development

The scheme calls for the gradual development of the acreage so that after a certain period an annual crop will be available. Rubber trees bear many years after their planting and thereafter at long intervals. Overshadowing the eventual fact of production is the romance of the jungle conquered by modern mechanical genius.

Ford will have to create his own transportation in a wilderness where human trails are few and where natives travel largely in their corials, canoe like boats hollowed out of tree trunks.

### Enforce Sanitary Discipline

Ford plans involve the maintenance of an ocean service from the United States probably to Para.

## Bedlam!

By United Press  
DENVER, Colo., Oct. 12.—When pedestrians here heard moans coming from the home of Miss Ruth Haberland, 25, they summoned the riot squad. Patrolmen Hargrave and Porche found the door of the house locked. They found a ladder and entered a second story window.

They liberated Miss Haberland from the grip of a folding bed, which had folded with the woman inside. She was treated for bruises and shock.

From Para Island, only light draught vessels can be used over the shallow rivers, broken in many cases by rapids.

It is possible, however, that the organization will clear large areas of jungle in suitable spots for flying fields. Hydroplanes may also be used in such cases where the rivers are broad enough for landing.

Edsel Ford admitted that the greatest obstacle facing the project was the insanitary character of the area. He said that specialists would be employed to enforce strict sanitary discipline.

## AIMS JAB AT GILLIOM

Horse Thief Sleuth Chief Resents Klan Link.

Oren E. Davis, president Marion county council of the Horse Thief Detective Association, aimed a verbal jab at Attorney General Arthur L. Gilliom today, answering that official's recent derogatory remarks anent the association.

"I must take exception to your charges," says Davis' sharp letter, "that the organization is allied with or is an auxiliary to the Klan, Anti-Saloon League or any other organization."

Davis defends activities of the detective body and asks the attorney general: "If you are so considerate of the interests of the citizens why do you accept the taxpayers' money in salary, then devote your time in running over the State holding up to ridicule the good citizenry? I am wondering if some horse thief detective has apprehended the wrong bootlegger, apparently from the wall which is heard daily."

Gilliom declined comment, saying he had not yet received the letter.

### GARBAGE CHIEF IS OUT

Sanitary board members today admitted the ousting of Floyd Baber, garbage plant superintendent.

Ousting of Baber was done secretly and believed to be the first step in a general shakeup. No announcement of Baber's successor was made.

## WAYWARD SON; MOTHER DIE IN TILT WITH LAW

Chafe Taylor Slain Near Greenfield; Parent Fatally Wounded.

### By United Press

GREENFIELD, Ind., Oct. 12.—A mother and her wayward son were dead, her today, both victims of the son's attempt to escape arrest.

Chafe Taylor, 31, Wilkinson, was shot to death, and his mother, Mrs. Emma Taylor, 57, was fatally wounded Tuesday night when Taylor resisted arrest by Sheriff L. E. Coons of Rush County. Mrs. Taylor died of her wound early today.

Coons and a deputy and Sheriff Harry Comstock of Hancock County, had placed Taylor under arrest at his home and had permitted him into a room to change his clothes.

When he reached his room, he darted inside ahead of Coons, seized a gun and tried to escape. In the fight that followed, he was shot twice through the heart and Mrs. Taylor was struck by a stray bullet.

Taylor was wanted in Rushville, according to Sheriff Coons, on charges of burglary, receiving stolen property and intoxication.

At first no resistance was offered by Taylor and Earl McDaniels, also wanted at Rushville, Taylor was permitted to go into the other room. Coons accompanied him. Then the prisoner grabbed a revolver which was discharged during a tussle with the sheriff, the bullet striking Mrs. Taylor, who was in another room.

Taylor then offered to surrender, but struck Coons with the revolver, whereupon the officer drew his revolver and shot him dead.

### WOMAN STILL MISSING

Five Hundred Searchers Fail to Find Petersburg Amnesia Victim.

By United Press  
PETERSBURG, Ind., Oct. 12.—

Mrs. Bert Warner, amnesia victim, is still missing today, in spite of the fact that 500 persons took part in a search for her Tuesday.

Mrs. Warner disappeared from her home Monday morning. Blood hounds were used in an effort to locate the woman, but they lost the trail at White River three miles north of here.

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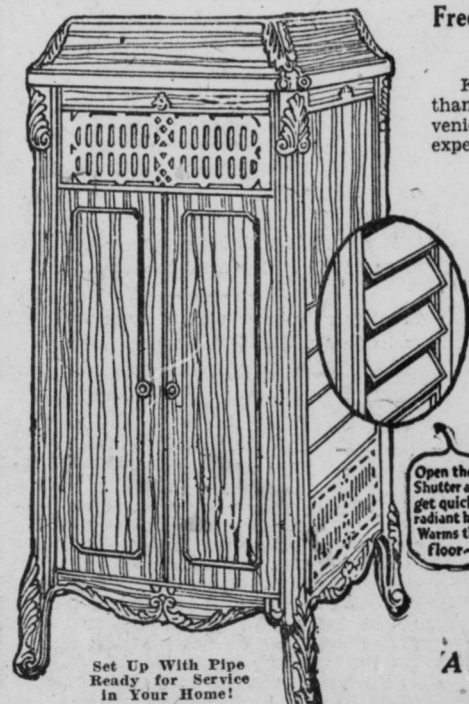
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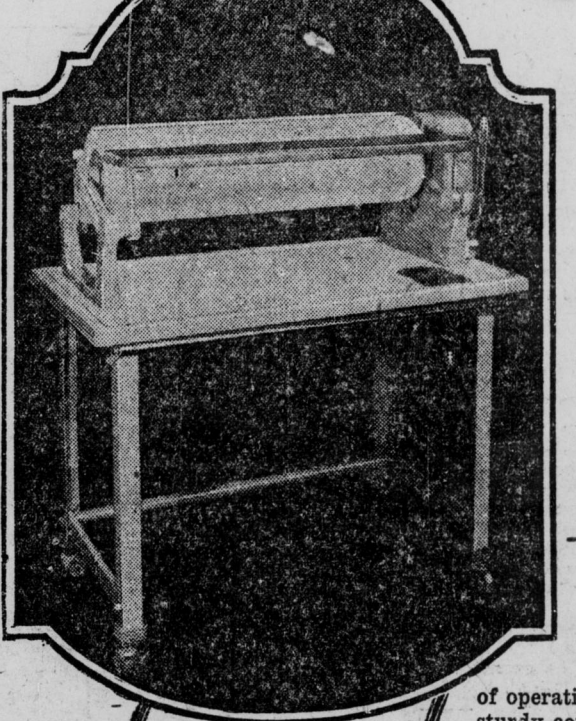
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