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#### Funeral Today

## STUMP BLAMES UNEMPLOYMENT ON G. O. P. RULE

Democrat Senate Candidate Speaks at Party Picnic.

Five million men out of work is the present record of Republican prosperity, Albert Stump, Indianapolis Democratic candidate for the United States Senate, told the 1,500 Marion County Democrats who attended the picnic of the Democratic Club at Walnut Gardens Wednesday afternoon and evening.

"With Government properly administered in a country where natural resources are as great as ours there should be no agricultural or unemployment problems," Stump said.

Frank C. Dailey, Democratic candidate for Governor, assailed political corruption in the State and declared that the only way to restore Indiana's good name is to elect the Democratic ticket this fall.

#### Plays G. O. P. Ticket

"Many excellent Republican men and women are anxious to change the political situation in this State," Dailey declared. "They are going to make a thorough job of house-cleaning by voting the Democratic ticket.

"The Republicans are ashamed of their own administration. They invited their Governor to address their convention and then would not let him speak.

"Voices raised against maladministration, such as Solon Carter, Arthur Gilmon, Frederick Landis and Thomas H. Adams, were ignored. If a gong were sounded in the Statehouse the ticket could be called together. It is the same crowd that has brought disgrace and dishonor upon Indiana."

Praises Mrs. Smith

Governor Al Smith ardently was pleased by Miss Julia Landers, former national committee woman. She recently returned from a speaking tour of the east and was in contact with the Governor and his family.

"Women of America are going to support Governor Smith because he is the embodiment of their ideals," Miss Landers asserted. "Mrs. Smith is the type of American motherhood that the rank and file of American women want to see in the White House. She is the typical good mother and all who know her admire her."

Fred Barrett, president of the Democratic Club, was in personal charge of the picnic. He supervised the games in the afternoon, assisted by Jesse McClure of the city recreation department.

#### DISTRIBUTORS HEAR OF BATTERIES GAIN

Prest-O-Lite Regional Executives Attend Meeting in City.

An increase of 85 per cent in sale of Prest-O-Lite batteries as replacements in July of this year over June was announced by J. H. McDuffie, vice president and general manager, to approximately 100 regional warehouse distributors today at the first session of a two-day meeting.

This increase followed a 47 per cent increase in June over May, and the September schedule calls for nearly twice as many batteries as have ever been produced in the Indianapolis plant in any one month, he said.

The meeting was opened with a short business session at the Indianapolis Athletic Club, followed by an automobile trip to the main plant at Speedway City, and an inspection of the manufacturing unit.

A banquet at the Indianapolis Country Club was on the program for tonight. The session will last through Friday.

#### REPORTS WIFE MISSING

Mate Says Savings and Furniture Also Disappeared.

John Newman, 322 N. Pine St., told police today that his wife, Hannah Newman, 29, disappeared from home with their daughter, Mary Louise Newman, 9, and took \$2,000 from the savings bank and all the furniture in their home.

Mrs. Della Dimmett, 1218 Oliver Ave., asked police today to search for her father, George Warner, 75, who left the Oliver Ave. address on Wednesday and failed to return.

Raymond Worall, Bloomington, Ind., notified Indianapolis police by long-distance today that Mrs. Ida May Berry, 52, a cripple who walks with a crutch, is missing from her home in Bloomington.

#### FIRE DESTROYS AUTO

New Cadillac Sedan Is Burned Southwest of City.

A new Cadillac sedan was destroyed by fire early today on a road southwest of the city about a mile west of the Bluff Rd. and near the Southport Rd. There was no certificate of title in the automobile and no license plates.

Willey is charged with assault and battery, and Collins, who is said to have struck Mrs. Willey, with intent to kill, having been arrested on warrant following a police chase Wednesday night. The warrant was sworn to by Marcellous Harner, 2728 Boulevard Pl., who claims Helms tried to shoot her. When Lieut. Patrick O'Connor went to arrest Helms he ran through back yards and corn fields for more than a mile.

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