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"No Favor Sways Us; No Fear Shall Awe" From the First Statesman, March 25, 1851.

Increasing cloudiness today, with probable rain; South wind. Max. temperature Monday 46; Min. 27; River 1, Rain Sunday .07.

BORAH ARGUES DRY LAW WITH SENATOR REED

Missouri Lame Duck Twitted by Caraway for Dry Stand at Houston

Crowds Gather to Hear Debate on Prohibition Between Leaders

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Two masters of oratory—Jim Reed of Missouri, and William E. Borah of Idaho—fought opposite sides in the senate today for three and a half hours spoke to a tensely listening chamber on the problems of prohibition.

Reed denounced the law in a continuation of the speech he began on Saturday. Borah made a thundering appeal for law enforcement. Neither was interrupted and the promise of thrust counter thrust which had filled the galleries faded as the Missouriian walked over to the seat of the senator from Idaho at the end of the discussion and warmly grasped his hand.

Reed began his speech today by again describing the law as a "hideous crime." After two hours he took his seat and Borah on his feet again when the Idahoan had concluded but Senator Heflin, of Alabama was ahead of him. Whatever Reed had intended to say went unsaid.

Borah Regrets Passing Of Reed From Spotlight

The silver-haired Missouriian retired from the senate on March 4 by his own dictate, and, as if to express an eulogy on behalf of the senate, Senator Borah at the outset of his remarks expressed regret at the passing of the man "whose industry, courage and genius have placed him along among the foremost men in his day."

Sitting as usual beside Senator Sheppard, of Texas, the father of the 18th amendment, Senator Reed, his face flushed, listened to his colleague on the republican side of the aisle and when he was unable to reply he walked over to shake hands with Borah at the finish.

Argument Remains On Purely Impersonal Basis

Fists Fly as Dunne And Klepper Mix

'Joe' Resents Remarks of "Milt" and Smacks Klepper Soundly on Nose Whereupon Defendant Pummels "Joe" in Eye

A fistic encounter between Senators Joe Dunne and Klepper, growing out of reconsideration of salary increases for state industrial accident commissioners, enlivened the senate session today and reversed the first vote on the salary measure.

The direct cause of the short and snappy fight was laid to Klepper's aspersion on the character of a widow for which Dunne demanded an apology.

Just outside the senate chamber, Dunne and Klepper met. Dunne managed to smack soundly Klepper across the nose and Klepper retaliated by discoloring Dunne's left cheek and eye. The scrap turned the senate chamber into turmoil with President Norblad severely condemning the action. Representative Lonergan, chairman of the Portland boxing commission, rushed over from the house and endeavored to sign up Dunne and Klepper for a 10 round bout.

Senator Upton moved that the senate be cleaned out. The embroilment between the senators was disgraceful, said he, and those engaged should be brought into the senate on charges of contempt. Senators should, he declared, have more respect for their positions and he moved that the president direct the sergeant at arms to clear out the disturbance and have the record cease.

"I second the motion," Klepper, breathing heavily, entering at the moment.

"These people are our constituents," shouted Senator Bennett. "Sit down and shut up," thunders Upton.

INSURGENTS' LAND TO BE CONFISCATED

Further Difficulties Now Seen Between Church and State in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Close on the heels of a statement today by Bishop Miguel de la Mora that Roman Catholic clergy have had nothing to do with recent disturbances, the attorney general's office tonight declared that in accordance with the instructions of the president, it would proceed to nationalize the properties of all persons convicted of fending aid to insurgents.

MOREL FARMS ABANDONMENT RECOMMENDED

Land Settlement Commission Branded as "Idealistic" by Committee

Law Disregarded, Claim; Property May be Sold by Board of Control

Branding the Oregon state land settlement commission as an "idealistic dream," the joint ways and means committee Monday night recommended that the entire scheme be tossed overboard.

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CROWDS CHEER NEXT HEAD OF UNITED STATES

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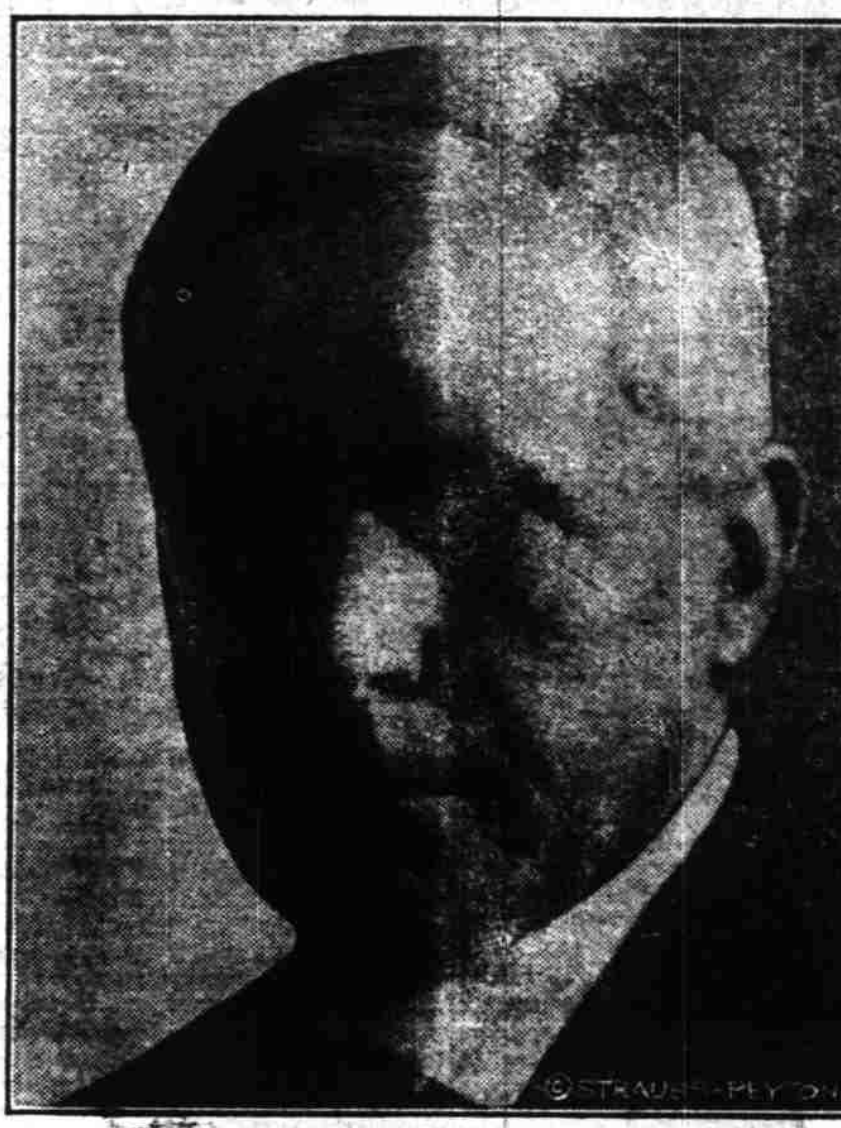
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Mechanic's Lien Is Asked Against Hubbard Springs

City's Building Inspector Here

They Pack The Galleries



JAMES A. REED



WILLIAM E. BORAH

When Senator "Jim" Reed locked forensic horns Monday with Senator William Borah, the senate was crowded to the limit while for four tense hours, the debate on prohibition aroused the attention of the nation.

100 MERCHANTS AIM AT AD CLUB DINNER

Experts in Marketing and in Advertising at Elks' Club This Evening

Meeting to be Practical

JUDGE NAMED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The nomination of Representative Fina J. Garrett of Tennessee, to be a judge of the United States court of customs appeals was confirmed today by the senate.

FILTRATION IS WATER SUPPLY SOLUTION, HELD

Council Takes Action; Report is Adopted, Committee Appointed

River Source Better Than Wells, City Health Officer Contends

Action by the city council looking toward solution of Salem's water supply problem, announced many weeks ago as imminent, was started at Monday night's meeting when a report prepared by Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, city health officer, containing specific recommendations, was adopted, and a committee was appointed by Mayor Livesley to investigate the prospects for early improvement of the water.

Members of the committee are Alderman Thompson, Patton and Vandevort.

Dr. Douglas' recommendations were: 1. Abandon the present source of supply, take the water from the river farther up stream, and erect a modern filtration plant.

ENOCH ARDEN, 1929 MODEL, REPORTED

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 18.—(AP)—Returning to Milwaukee after a mysterious absence of ten years, to find his wife, who had given him up for dead, happily married to another, Charles Wagner has become a modern Enoch Arden.

Campaign for Willamette Starts Today; 40 Men in Field to Raise \$100,000

The Salem intensive campaign for completing the Willamette university endowment contract begins this morning. For the past two weeks Paul B. Wallace has been organizing a corps of solicitors and other workers, and publicity work has been carried on throughout the city.