

COLBY TO DEFEND MARINE LAW ACTION

Will Stump in Explanation of Refusal to Enforce Shipping Act.

PRESIDENT IS RESOLUTE

Determined to Oppose Measure on Ground That It Violates Treaties.

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WARNS PRISONERS OF 'PARDON RING'

Governor Notifies Convicts to Beware of Persons Claiming Influence.

Gov. Alfred E. Smith announced in Albany last night that he intended to "put a stop" to further operations of the so-called pardon ring, and that notices would be posted in all prisons in the State warning convicts not to have any dealings with persons who pretend they can influence the Governor to grant executive clemency.

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"In order to guard as far as we possibly can against similar actions in the future, I hereby direct that the following bulletin be placed in a conspicuous position throughout the prisons of the State where the inmates can have ready access to it:

"The inmates of this institution are hereby warned to avoid dealings with any persons, attorneys or otherwise, who pretend to be in a position to get them any favor at the hands of the Executive. Communications of sentences will be issued on the merits of each particular case and for no other reason. This warning should be conveyed to relatives who may be approached by persons for this purpose."

WILSON UNSHAKEN; SEES COX A WINNER

Crushing Defeats in Georgia, Maine and New Hampshire Fail to Dismay Him.

THINKS U. S. FOR LEAGUE

Attitude Recalls Confidence That He Could Dominate 1918 Congress Races.

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BEVERIDGE ON STUMP SEES HARDING VICTORY

Says 'Mass Sentiment' Everywhere is in G. O. P.

Senator Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana, who has been speaking in Massachusetts, reported at National Republican headquarters yesterday that "mass sentiment everywhere is for the Republican ticket."

The traveling salesman of the United States, who are organizing a league in each State, have taken for a motto, "We are for Harding and horse sense as against Cox and chaos."

George W. Perkins, Jr., has been made treasurer of the campaign committee of Robert M. C. Marsh, Republican candidate for Supreme Court Justice.

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DRYS KEEP FEGGING AT COX.

Follow Taggart's Example, Hineshaw Suggests to Him. Virgil G. Hineshaw, chairman of the Prohibition National Committee, has sent this telegram to Gov. Cox:

"Now that Tom Taggart of French Lick Springs, Ind., a candidate for the United States Senate on the Democratic ticket, who is generally accredited as being a vital factor in your nomination, has declared openly and emphatically in favor of the Volstead law and his opposition to any increase in the alcoholic content of beverages, can you not join your compatriot and declare in like manner for the spirit as well as the letter of the Constitution?"

MRS. ROOSEVELT TO STUMP.

While Assemblyman Theodore Roosevelt is touring the country for Harding and Coolidge, his wife will speak in every town and village in his Nassau county district in the interest of her husband, who is a candidate for reelection. Mrs. Roosevelt will speak also for the State and national Republican tickets. Her first appearance will be in Freeport to-morrow evening.

DEMOCRATIC CALL OUT.

TEKONN, N. J., Sept. 29.—A call for the Democratic State Convention here next Tuesday to adopt a party platform and select electoral candidates was issued to-day by Charles F. McDonald, chairman of the Democratic State Committee. The Republican State Convention also will be held Tuesday.

Stewart Truck Prices Reduced. THIS bed-rock reduction in Stewart prices means a large temporary loss to the factory while using up material on hand, but we are willing to do our part to put the business of the country on a pre-war basis immediately, thus insuring continued prosperity and full employment of labor. These are the new prices compared with the old—effective immediately, f. o. b. Buffalo.

Stewart MOTOR TRUCKS. Model Old Price NEW PRICE. 3 1/2 ton \$4,100 \$3,395. 2 1/2 ton 3,200 2,575. 2 ton 3,075 2,495. 1 1/2 ton 2,450 1,995. 1 ton 1,850 1,650. 3/4 ton 1,450 1,295. Orders will be filled in order of their receipt. Herrman Motor Truck Co., Inc. 607-615 W. 57th St., N. Y. Tel. Columbus 5572

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AMUSEMENTS.

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SELVYN. 'TINNEY-TICKLE ME'. HAPPY-GO-LUCKY. ELTINGE THEATRE. 'LADIES NIGHT'.

REPUBLIC. 'THE LADY OF THE LAMP'. TAYLOR HOLMES. 'CROOKED GAMBLERS'.

BIJOU. 'CHARM SCHOOL'. OVER THE HILL. ASTOR. 'THE TREASURE'.

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CENTURY THEA. Seats Now on Sale. F. Ray Constock & Morris Gest. ANNOUNCE THE World's Premiere, Mon., Oct. 4.

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