

State of the union

**Today, it may be worth remembering
[Gerald L. K.] Smith's nut-ball campaign
to overturn the 1960 election.**

**You used to have to get out into the
far-flung wilds of American political life
before you'd find people trying to
persuade state or local officials to
monkey-wrench the Electoral College by
refusing to send their states' real results to
Washington for the Electoral College count.
Not anymore.**

**Rachel Maddow,
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