

### Ervin Appoints Tom Henderson As Assistant State Attorney General

DELAND, Dec. 16, (Special)—Attorney General-elect Richard Ervin yesterday announced the appointment of Charles Tom Henderson of Deland as an assistant state attorney general in charge of the department of statutory revision in Florida.

Mr. Henderson, a son of Mrs. E. M. Carroll of Sanford, announced his resignation as a professor of law from the faculty of John B. Stetson University. Both President J. Ollie Edmunds and Dean L. A. Haslop of the College of Law expressed regret at his resignation.

"Charles Tom Henderson's resignation from the law faculty of Stetson University marks the departure of an outstanding legal educator, whose personal qualities of loyalty, understanding and sincerity will long be remembered deeply by both the administration and student body of Stetson," Dr. Edmunds said. "We wish him every continued success in the future."

Dean Haslop urged him in adding that "it will not be easy to fill the vacant spot left, as Charles Tom Henderson leaves. Since the College of Law reopened after World War II, he has been a mainstay in the success and progress of our school. We regret his departure from the faculty of Stetson University to the office of Richard Ervin of his services and abilities."

"Prof. Henderson's experience and training as an attorney, legislator and educator will make him invaluable in directing statutory revision," Mr. Ervin said. "It gives me great pleasure to announce his consent to join my staff in Tallahassee."

A native of High Springs, Henderson went to high school in Sanford and graduated from Stetson College of Law. He was a member of the Florida Legislature from Volusia county in 1939. Serving in the Navy during World War II, Henderson was separated with the rank of lieutenant-commander in naval legal work.

A supreme vice-judge of Phi Alpha Delta Law fraternity, Henderson is a member of the Elks, American Legion, Maana, Lions, Florida Bar Association and the Baptist Church. He was a member of the Bar Association's committee working with the Joint House-Senate tax survey committee on state agency finances.

### Nation's Shoppers

(Continued From Page One) "a third of the entire Christmas season business."

Why is the last-minute shopper reappearing in numbers this year? He pretty much disappeared during the war years and the first few postwar years, because of shortages of goods. He knew that if he wanted to get his gift list checked off, he'd have to get to the store before the shelves were picked bare.

This year almost everything he'd like to buy is on the shelf, waiting. If he can't find his way through the throng to the counter, he can get his choice.

Also, this year shoppers have been doing more comparing and shopping around, and thereby delaying the final purchasing. High prices have a lot to do with that. And the pinch on the family pocketbook of financing everyday living. What money is left for gifts has to be spent carefully. This has been shown right along in the break-down of department store sales this year. While the upstairs sales have been coming behind last year's record totals, down in the bargain basement sales have been as good, sometimes even better, than last year.

No matter how many of the gifts under the Christmas tree this year, it should be the best-lighted Christmas in history. Merchants report that more Christmas tree electric lights are being sold than ever before.

Most of the 40 companies making lights for trees report they still have customers on an allocation basis—a hangover from the war days when few light strings could be made. The shortage has been accentuated by the growth in population and in the number of families and in the number of children during the very years when tree lights were in shortest supply.

### Radio Destroyed

(Continued From Page One) zone. The Russians posted armed soldiers at entrances to the building and no one was allowed in without a special pass. As the East-West position worsened in Berlin the British urged by the other Western powers to take over the station which broadcast long tirades against the Western Allies.

The British did not take action because of the danger of an incident involving British and Soviet troops.

It also was felt the Russians might retaliate by cutting off all cable communication between Berlin and the Soviet zone.

Today's French action came as a surprise to many, although the French communists said Berlin radio had been warned in advance.

The radio station was observing a brief pause in its schedule when the towers were dynamited. It was due to resume programs shortly afterward, but late in the day the station was still on the air.

Berliners could, if they wished, tune in to the fainter program of the Soviet-controlled Deutschlandsender, but five hours after the demolition, of which radio Berlin had been warned almost a month in advance, Deutschlandsender still operated.

While Western-leased afternoon newspapers splashed the news, Deutschlandsender transmitted Christmas songs. Berlin radio officials refused to comment on the demolition.

### Farm Meet

(Continued From Page One) minimum wage which fluctuates "either up or down with the cost of living." Condemned monopolistic practices by either management or labor.

Price controls—expressed "strong" opposition. Nutrition—favored a national program to improve diets of people, with possible financial aid to low-income consumers in periods of recession.

Health programs—favored voluntary rather than compulsory medical, health and hospital insurance programs. Education—any federal aid to schools should provide "absolute" state and local control of schools.

Public housing—opposed a "pro-digression" expression of federal housing at this time of "inflated" prices, increased labor costs, and acute shortages of key building materials.

Foreign relations—endorsed present government programs, including foreign aid.

Commodity agreements—favored use of international agreements to deal with farm surpluses.

### Spy Probe

(Continued From Page One) at his arraignment.

His attorney, Edward C. McLean, protested that Jan. 24 was too early for the trial. It was argued the date would be tentative.

Immediately after the arraignment, Miss was taken to FBI offices for the fingerprinting and photographing, a routine procedure.

In Washington, House committee members viewed the indictment as proving the value of their investigations.

Rep. Nixon (R-Calif.), a leading member, said the indictment vindicates the many long months of work done by his committee despite criticism from all sources from the President down.

Similar comment came from Rep. Rankin (D-Miss) and Rep. Mundt (R-S.D.), also committee members.

Nixon said the committee will continue its probe of facts brought out by Chambers, who has testified he had sources other than Illia in the government.

Diagrams of some Navy airplane intercepts were disclosed, were among the documents Whitaker Chambers says he got from government sources when he was a Communist courier in the 1930s.

This came to light when the House Un-American Activities Committee made public two acts of the secret papers secured from Chambers in its investigation of Communist espionage activities.

Acting Chairman Mundt (R-S.D.) said he understood the data on Navy flying devices reached Chambers from "contacts" in the Bureau of Standards in the Commerce Department, rather than from the Navy Department. He said the committee had been given to understand that no high military secrets were involved, but that the information would have been "valuable and useful to Russia."

### China War

(Continued From Page 1) destroyed Wednesday night as they tried to break out towards the west.

The 12th had been trapped in the Suhalan sector 145 miles from Nanking. A previous government report that it had broken free last week proved incorrect.

The government admitted three days ago that the 12th had lost some 50,000 men -- about half its strength.

The conflicting announcements came as Nanking was stunned by news that the government's northern commander had allowed the Communists to reach Peiping's walls.

Members of Costa Rica's military junta (provisional council) visited the La Cruz sector yesterday. They returned last night with the statement: "Calderon is a traitor to Costa Rica."

The junta is headed by Jose Figueres.

Richard the Lion-Hearted, King of England, raised money for his first crusade by putting on the auction block his nation's highest offices and honors.

About 85 per cent of the nation's corn crop is fed to live-stock; most of the remainder is used as human food.

Galatin, of which more than 10 million pounds are used annually as dessert, is also used in photography and in medicine--to make capsules and to bind pills.

### RABONE'S MEDITATION

By Alvey

PAHSON WANTS KNOW HOW RUPUS GITTIN' LONG WID HE PRESENT WIFE BUT 'PEAH LAK SHE JES' A LIL TOO PRESENT TO SUIT 'IM!!



12-16-48



MEMBER of the Social Democratic Party, Ernest Doster (above) was selected as mayor of Berlin on the SPD party platform a large majority over the others. Doster has been mayor-elect of Berlin since 1946, but was forced from office because of a Russian ultimatum.

### Ybarbo Killing

(Continued From Page One) went away from his wife and pleading with him not to beat her.

"Remember your son, Jimmy," she said the maid told the Sergeant.

"Then Mrs. Ybarbo said 'It is not his baby,'" Elfriede testified. Neither Elfriede nor Mrs. Teasener, who testified yesterday, made clear what the Ybarbos were quarrelling about. Mrs. Ybarbo's attorney has announced she will plead self-defense.

Elfriede, 22, testified she heard the bathroom door forced open a few seconds before she heard three shots.

Mrs. Teasener said yesterday she saw Mrs. Ybarbo standing before the half-open door with a pistol in her hand and saw her raise the gun and fire into the bathroom.

Elfriede said she had seen the Sergeant go into the bathroom and close the door a few minutes earlier.

Elfriede did not say what the Sergeant's reaction was to Mrs. Ybarbo's alleged statement about the child.

Mrs. Teasener said yesterday that while she was holding the Sergeant, Mrs. Ybarbo told her to let him go. She said the Sergeant's gun was bleeding when the German girl went to the bedroom in response to Mrs. Ybarbo's call for help.

The Sergeant was quoted as saying "She hit me back!" Unofficial accounts said six-year-old Jimmy remained asleep in the bedroom throughout the quarrel and the shooting.

The two German women and three American soldiers were in the Ybarbo home the night Mrs. Ybarbo is accused of having shot her husband.

Mrs. Ybarbo is the first American woman to be tried on a capital charge in the occupied zone. Ybarbo was shot the night of Sept. 21 and died 10 days later.

### Rescue Of Fliers

(Continued From Page One) tion.

Brig. General Calch V. Haynes, head of the Newfoundland Base Command and in over-all charge of the rescue mission, radioed Westover that additional supplies, including warm clothing, food and heating equipment, had been dropped to the airmen, seven of whom have been on the 8,000-foot ice cap since last Thursday, when their C-47 was forced down. The other two shared their fate when their B-17 Fortress nose-dived into a snow bank in a rescue attempt.

WARD'S HOLIDAY INN Full Course Steak and Chicken Dinner

### Eggs And Poultry

Jacksonville, Dec. 16 (AP)—The following prices were quoted today on the Jacksonville eggs and poultry markets:

Florida Grade A Quality Hens to retailers Market about steady

Large	24 ea	42
Medium	24 ea	42
Small	24 ea	42
Florida Grade A Quality Hens to processors		
Large	24 ea	42
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### State Farmers Market

SANFORD STATE FARMERS MARKET

REPORT SET TO BE THE following prices reported by the Sanford State Farmers Market for produce sold to wholesalers and dealers up to 12:01 P. M. Dec. 16, 1948

Beans, Green	12.00	1.25
Beans, Wax	12.00	1.25
Beans, Black	12.00	1.25
Beans, Kidney	12.00	1.25
Beans, Lima	12.00	1.25
Beans, Navy	12.00	1.25
Beans, Pinto	12.00	1.25
Beans, Runner	12.00	1.25
Beans, Small	12.00	1.25
Beans, Soybean	12.00	1.25
Beans, Tepal	12.00	1.25
Beans, White	12.00	1.25
Beans, Yellow	12.00	1.25
Beans, Black	12.00	1.25
Beans, Kidney	12.00	1.25
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Beans, Pinto	12.00	1.25
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Beans, Small	12.00	1.25
Beans, Soybean	12.00	1.25
Beans, Tepal	12.00	1.25
Beans, White	12.00	1.25
Beans, Yellow	12.00	1.25

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### SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



ALTHOUGH A MAMMAL LAYS EGGS AND SITS ON THEM UNTIL THEY HATCH. THE EGGS ARE USUALLY FASTENED TOGETHER.

CARRIES HIS SMOKING TOBACCO IN A LIZARD SKIN. PAPER MONEY IS ALSO CARRIED IN THE IQUANA SKIN POUCH.

Approximately 650,000 people visit the historic Gettysburg battleground an Pennsylvania every year.

About 3.5 per cent of all children about 50 per cent of all divorces parents.

About two-thirds of all divorces in this country are granted to women.

The Atlantic coastal region has the lowest divorce rate in the country; the mountain division has the highest.

The giving of a ring to make a betrothal was originally an ancient Roman custom.

WHAT IS THE MOST PRACTICAL ALTERNATE FOR CITRUS JUICES AT TIMES WHEN THEY ARE SCARCE?

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Trygve Lie Sees World Peace Chance

U.N. Executive Says Palestine Dispute To Be Settled Soon By Arabs And Jews

BOSTON, Dec. 16. (AP)—Trygve Lie, secretary general of the United Nations, sees some chance for final world peace. He also is optimistic about the outlook in Palestine.

Lie told reporters upon his arrival here from Paris yesterday that he thinks "they'll get peace in Palestine within a reasonably short time."

He said the results of the Paris meeting were "better than many people expected they would be."

Many believed it would be impossible, he added, to arrange a successful general assembly out.

Curtis Culin, Jr., Aided U. S. Win Normandy Battle

NEW YORK — (AP)—Curtis G. Culin, Jr., made only one invention in his life—but it helped win the battle of Normandy.

It was this unheralded young sergeant who figured out a way for American tanks to crash through the French hedgerows.

Recognizing that the "suggestion box" principle pays off on the battlefield as well as on the industrial front, General Dwight Eisenhower pays this tribute to "Bud" Culin in his memoirs:

"He restored the effectiveness of the tank and gave a tremendous boost to morale throughout the Army."

I set out to get the sergeant's own story, and found him less impressed with his own invention than was his commander-in-chief, Lt. Colonel Culin, a slender, blond, mild-looking man of 33, now holds an office post here with Schenley Distillers, Inc.

"I commanded a light tank in the 102nd Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron," he said, "and my invention, if you want to call it that, was something anybody in the front lines would have come up with in a few days. Our squadron just happened to be the first to try it out and develop it."

For six weeks after the landing (Continued on Page Four Sec. 2)

Seaway Project For St. Lawrence River Is Debated

Gov. Dewey Says Truman Delays Proposal To Start Activity

By JAMES C. DUNN WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. (AP)—The ever-controversial St. Lawrence seaway and power issue generated new heat today.

The newest developments started yesterday. At that time, Governor Thomas E. Dewey told an Albany news conference that the Truman administration is delaying New York's proposal for a \$460,000,000 development of the St. Lawrence River's hydroelectric potential.

An application for a license to construct the power facility is before the power commission. Hearings on the application were ended in October.

Today, Senator Wiley (R-Wis.) told a reporter that he has "assurances" that the New York proposal will be "put on the shelf."

The New York proposal for the development was initiated by Dewey after the Senate early this year turned down legislation calling for construction of the entire seaway project which includes both navigation and power phases.

President Truman urged passage of the legislation. And, in a recent (Continued on Page Three Sec. 2)

Clues Dropped In Brutal Slaying Of U.S. Girl On Guam

Bloodstained White Underwear Said To Be No Lead In Case

By DOUGLAS LOVELACE GUAM, Dec. 16. (AP)—A bloodstained shirt and man's underwear were checked off as no lead to the investigation of the sex slaying of a young girl on the island of Guam.

Guam police did not explain the negative result of the check. They admitted there were no promising clues but were continuing a search of a pair of shoes, a pair of glasses, a pair of socks and a pair of pants.

The 22-year-old girl was found dead in a rooming house on the island. She was found in a rooming house on the island. She was found in a rooming house on the island.

One officer, however, said the examination of the underwear Tuesday turned up an "X" on the scratched fabric. He said that satisfactory explanation will be given.

A police spokesman said the status of the case is now a "survey" of all available clues to be discovered.

Paterson, N. J. Resident Believes In Santa Claus

PATERSON, N. J., Dec. 16. (AP)—Anthony Navarino, who wanted to sell one of his eyes to give his five kids a good Christmas, is 30 years old, but he believes in Santa Claus.

Until yesterday, Navarino was desperate. Bills were piling up. The electricity and gas had been turned off. He had no job. And, worst of all, his head faced a miserable Christmas.

That did it, he decided. The only way he could think of to get money was to offer one of his eyes for sale for \$10,000 to be surgically transplanted.

Today, though, that's all just a bad memory.

After reading of his plight, more than 50 persons and business firms contributed to the flood of gifts that poured into his drab, four-room flat.

Now he has: A job (the president of a glass company paid him a personal call to offer him work. Four other firms also offered him jobs).

A complete layette for his three-month-old daughter, Anna (from a woman who lost her child at birth).

Two tons of coal for the winter (Continued on Page Four Sec. 2)

Newspapers Prize Reputation For Accuracy Above Other Qualities

Editorial Commenting on forecast by L. L. French, former editor of the Memphis Star, and now editor of the Pittsburgh Press, says newspaper's reputation for accuracy above other qualities.

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American GIs Stage Christmas Air Lift In U.S.

Thinking Out Loud Proves Blessing To Private And Buddies

BY ELMER C. VOGEL FORT LEWES, Wash., Dec. 16. (AP)—A chance remark—the wish of a GI that he could fly home for Christmas—has snowballed into an air lift that will carry an estimated 100 soldiers out for the holidays.

The demand for chartered planes is so great in fact that travel agencies have had to call for help from California.

No far 17 planes with a capacity of 26 to 30 passengers have been reserved. More probably will be needed, travel service officials said, and it is expected that within a few days they will be flying for planes.

It was a few days before Thanksgiving that Pvt. Gerald Roberts of Peoria, Ill., was out of thinking on how to get home for Christmas.

He asked a friend to call in the 9th Infantry barracks.

I wonder if it or 16 of the fellows around here would throw in with me and charter a plane to get us home.

He was almost overwhelmed with replies. The 10 or 15 fellows to go and in short order the group had chartered a 60-passenger C-47 for flight to Chicago.

The idea spread like a barracks rumor.

The men in the 72nd Tank Battalion liked the idea. Most of them flew far away to be sure of arriving at their east coast homes in time for Christmas by surface (Continued on Page Four Sec. 2)

Barkley Pledges Fight To Repeal Taft-Hartley Law

Administration To Seek Legislation On Anti-Inflation

NEW YORK, Dec. 16. (AP)—Vice President-elect Alben W. Barkley pledges that the new administration will fight for anti-inflation legislation, repeal of the Taft-Hartley Law and other public housing and extension of Social Security benefits.

Public housing and extension of Social Security benefits will be among the administration's legislative goals, the President-elect said last night.

Barkley spoke at a dinner in New York City sponsored by the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America.

The new administration, he said, is committed to a program of national sales tax and a reduced tax for business families.

Whenever it is possible to do so without unduly raising the national debt, he said.

Barkley repeated President Truman's recommendation to suggest that the excess profits tax be extended and said:

"I have no information as to whether that recommendation will be reported but, necessarily, it will be reported."

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Hoover Group Says Defense Needs Cleaning

211 Page Critique Says Machinery Is Not Working Well; Plan Is Submitted

By FRED C. FAY WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. (AP)—The executive board of defense veterans' groups today said the defense machinery needs cleaning.

The 211-page critique said the war production establishment set up by law last year is on the whole soundly constructed, but is not working well.

A House subcommittee to study the defense machinery was set up by the House of Representatives.

The committee is headed by former President Herbert Hoover, and is expected to report its findings to the House in a few days.

The committee recommended that the defense machinery be cleaned up by holding hearings on the various parts of the system.

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Increase In Farm Monitor Editor Ownership Told Says Press Must By Insurance Men Educate Americans

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### Poor Man's Philosopher Has Poor Man's Gout Or- Rheumatism

By HAL BOYLE

WRITTEN FROM A WINKLED BED. (P)—Look at me. I'm an ex-rheumatoid.

No, not a parlor, bedroom and bath. A real, honest-to-aspirin, fully repaired ex-rheumatoid. That's me.

Some days back I wrote a piece revealing for the first time the Boyle secret of staying healthy.

It was very simple. You just buddy up to all the office hypo-chondriacs—the people who imagine they have chronic ailments. When you follow all their diets, and take all their capsules, pills, nose drops and nostrums.

Just borrow them. Any hypo-chondriac will share his last pill with you—if you just listen to his symptoms. And nobody ever asks you to return a used pill.

Well, for ten years this cheap, foolproof system worked perfectly. I knew sickness only through hearsay. Stuffed with scores of high-octane medicines. I was a strolling druggator, pro-ec-t-d against every disease known to man—from anemia to zymosis.

Or so I thought. Then I published my secret to the world—how to stay well by preying on hypo-chondriacs. And what happened?

Two days later I sprang out of bed and—"Ow-w-w-eh!" my right foot was red, swollen and sensitive as an old maid at a wedding reception.

I hobbled into the office, and bird-dogged around to my favorite hypo-chondriacs. I held up my lame foot.

"Didn't twist, strain, bruise, or break it—or anything," I explained. "Just woke up this morning and there it was, pulsing like a

turkey gobbler. What's wrong?"

And right there I lost my faith in these bathroom scientists. Listening to them is about as helpful as going walking in a revolving door to cure hiccoughs.

"Just falling arches," diagnosed one. "Soak it in hot epsom salts."

"It's mental," said the office's amateur psychiatrist. You've got a delusion. Soak it in hot epsom salts.

"Looks to me like retroactive, post-war trench foot—or, in plain words, gold-bricking," sniped a third false friend. "Soak it in hot epsom salts."

But they all agreed my story was completely unlikely. And that the only thing to do was "soak it in epsom salts."

I hot-footed home to Frances, a limp at a time. And with that quick intuition that comes only to good women she said, "go see my doctor."

I did. He unveiled my throbbing foot. He succeeded it like a miser grabbing a 320 gold piece. When I climbed down from the chandler, still tingling, I croaked hopefully:

"Tell me it's gout, Doc. My family has been in America for only three generations. If I'm the first one to get the gout—what a success story!"

"Look what thinks it's got gout," jeered the doc. "You have to have enough money to eat well

### Hints To Housewives

HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT

Christmas shoppers investing in household equipment this year will find many makes and models in everything from washers and home freezers to electric hand irons. Price and appearance are likely to influence shoppers most in making their choice, yet neither of these is a dependable guide to best value, household equipment specialists of the U. S. Department of Commerce caution.

What good'll that do?" "Probably none," said the doctor cheerfully. "But it'll be a nice change for Frances to see you with only one foot in hot water."

Well, the week's over. I'm going to tell the boys at the office my ailment was "poor man's gout." Sounds better than rheumatoid infection. Might even give the boss the idea I am suffering from payday malnutrition.

And I know that within another week at least six phoney hypo-chondriacs will come limping in with "poor man's gout"—and say they caught it from me. When they come creeping and crawling up for my advice, I'll tell 'em:

"Soak your head in epsom salts clear down to your big toe—as hot as you can stand it."

One of the most famous rings in the world is the papal "ring of the Fisherman," and has been known to exist as the personal signet ring of the pope since 1265.

It is generally safest to buy equipment made by a reliable manufacturer known for good products and well-established service. Relying on the manufacturer is necessary because parts that count most toward good lasting service generally are underneath where they cannot be examined and equipment does not carry labels describing them.

In choosing between different models of one manufacturer, give special consideration to the one he turns out in largest quantity.

### usually known as his "standard" model. Special models may cost more than they offer in convenience and service.

Look for essentials rather than style. Elaborate trim and fancy extras have sales appeal but bring up the price, often without making the equipment do its main job any better. Deluxe models may cost twice as much as "standard" or "stripped" models but generally are the same in essentials.

Look for the UL (Underwriters' Laboratories) seal to be sure the equipment is constructed for safe use. On gas equipment the AGA (American Gas Association) star shows that it meets standards of good condition, performance, and safety.

For good convenient serving, it pays to buy from a local dealer with a dependable service department to save spending equipment or parts to the factory for repairs. It is especially important to check on this when buying a home freezer.

Almost one-half the people of the world live in Southeastern Asia.

### For pies

Dixie Crystals Sugar

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### From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

The Missus "Ducks" Out

Slim Hartman took his misus duck hunting the other day. And after five hours of sitting in a swamp, she'd had enough! Going home, Slim reminded her good-naturedly of the time she'd taken him to a woman novelist's lecture, and insisted that he sit it out.

So now the misus and Slim have an understanding. No more duck hunting for her—no more lectures for him. They decided each to his own taste.

It's because they can agree to disagree like that, I think, that

Slim and the misus get on so well—content to stay home nights together, enjoying one another's company over a glass of beer and a game of chess.

From where I sit, we can't all enjoy the same things—but we can share those little pleasures that we do enjoy—a glass of beer, a game of chess, some music on the radio—and live-and-let-live when it comes to the others.

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## List Of Books For Christmas Giving Is Made By Boyle

By HAI BOYLE  
NEW YORK — (AP)—Santa Claus had a problem. "I don't have any trouble picking presents for the children," he wrote. "But these grownups—so many of them want books."

"But what book? I don't have much time to read, and this year the dis-blamed publishers came out with about 9,000 new titles. Can you imagine anybody in his right mind wading through 9,000 new books? How about helping me again?"

So, for the third year, I have compiled a tentative list of gift books to be sent to famous folks around the world. Here 'tis—all in fun:

How To Stop Worrying And Start Living—George Bernard Shaw.

The Man In The Street—George Gallup and Elmo Roper.

Cruise In Europe—Stalin.

No Place To Hide—Whittaker Chambers.

Tomorrow Will Be Better—The Republican Party.

Theory Of Harmony—Molotov.

A Mask For Privilege—An Automobile Dealer.

The American Language—Sam Goldwyn and Leo Durocher.

The Loved One—Tommy Manville.

The Old Beauty—Peggy Hopkins Joyce.

The Gathering Storm—Your Local Weather Forecaster.

Footnote In France—General Charles DeGaulle.

The Gestapo—Norman Thomas.

The World Is Not Enough—The Soviet Politburo.

Toward An Unknown Station—Thomas E. Dewey.

The Nightmare Of American Foreign Policy—Chung Kai-Shek.

King Of The Wood—Harold Ickes.

The Roosevelt Myth—Herbert Hoover.

Eisenhower Was My Boss—Field Marshal Montgomery.

You Can Change The World—Westbrook Pegler.

Single Please—John L. Lewis.

Office Management—Rep. J. Parnell Thomas.

I Capture The Castle—Harry S. Truman.

Mysteries Of Blair House—Mrs. Truman.

Laughter In The Next Room—Your Neighboring Politician.

Guard Of Honor—Maj. General Harry Vaughan.

The House Without A Roof—Your Landlord.

Ordeal By Planning—The National Association of Real Estate Boards.

A Man Called White—Rep. John Rankin.

The Tax Dodgers—Sh-h-h-Anybody.

Economic Security And Individual Freedom—Garland.

The Sky Is Red—The Committee On Un-American Activities.

A Guide To Confident Living—Gibriel Heatter.

The Plague And I—Any Owner Of A Television Set.

Knock On My Door—Mrs. Chung Kai-Shek.

Blood Of The Martyrs—The Political Funditis.

The Wine Of Astonishment—The News Analysts.

The Steam Shovel That Wouldn't Eat Dirt—Henry J. Kaiser.

The War We Lost—Herbert Brownell.

The Complete Card Player—Jesse Jones.

It Gives Me Great Pleasure—Any Lifelong Democrat.

Pursuit Of The Horizon—Henry Wallace.

Answer To Question 33—Alastair.

The Exchanged Life—A draftee In The "New" U.S. Army.

Dixie Raider—Governor J. Strom Thurmond.

The Beast In Me—Errol Flynn.

Field Guide To The Western Birds—Andrei Vishinsky.

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sale of Radio Station WTRR facilities and physical assets to Myron A. Beck, Inc., Radio Station WTRR, in return for a non-assignment of license and under terms of Employment Purchase Contract dated November 15, 1948. While stipulating, in addition to present properties, the creation of a building for transmitter studios and offices on the tower site under lease from the city of Sanford, Florida, details of sale and transfer will be found in the files of the Federal Communications Commission in connection with application for transfer of license and control of facilities filed with that Commission on December 2, 1948. Any other person desiring to purchase this facility upon the same terms and conditions may file an application to that effect with the Federal Communications Commission within an hour from December 2, 1948.

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**CIRCULATION**

Increase in Farms

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) Years. "These changes strengthen the basis of the nation's agriculture and, combined with other developments such as greater farm income and savings, indicate marked progress in the well being and security of an increasing number of farm families," the Institute stated.

mately 2.9 million farms, or 42 per cent of all farms, were tenant-operated. In the following decade the number of tenant farmers declined more than a million and their proportion of all farm operators fell to 32 per cent. A sample survey of 11,000 farms conducted by the Department of Agriculture early this year indicated that the proportion of tenancy at that time had declined further to around 27 per cent.

Monitor Editor

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) by newspapermen to find out what is going on in the world and transmit news across frontiers have been "increasingly restricted since the end of the war."

Hoover Group

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) 600,000,000 only by "the most earnest effort" by "the most earnest effort" by Secretary of Defense Forrestal and a specific directive from President Truman, the report said.

4. Relate scientific research more closely to strategic planning. "The failure to have war planning geared to feasible scientific developments was said to constitute one of the most glaring deficiencies in the whole panorama of the national security organization."

The joint chiefs of staff (the commanders of Army, Navy and Air Force) "feel that their strategic responsibility must not be impaired, yet the simple fact is that the joint chiefs of staff is not now equipped for technical evaluation."

5. Speed up plans for civilian mobilization in case of war, including economic, industrial and manpower mobilization. In another section, the committee said the condition of the nation's stockpile of strategic materials needed for a war is "deplorable."

6. Make adequate provision for use of and protection against "unconventional means of warfare." This includes "not only the atom bomb, but the other radiological and biological and chemical weapons that have appeared, definitely and terribly, upon the horizon of warfare."

Newspaper Prizes

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) intense passion and partisanship. "If you will look over our early days, or read American political history, you will find there was virtually no effort by any party to give both sides of an election campaign. The early papers were party organs, and the famous early editors were passionate spokesmen who saw no good in, and therefore no reason to report, anything the opposition did or said."

"From the two standpoints of editorials and news content, more newspapers probably gave less cause for offense this year than in any previous election. Yet they obviously got it bad."

"The answer seems to get down to a third factor which was emphasized more in this campaign than previously.

"This factor was the element of prophecy—of predicting the result of trying to forecast what was to come. There's where the papers fell flat on their faces. The polls, columnists and assorted experts proved so wrong that their failure was an outstanding feature of the campaign from a newspaper standpoint."

British Investigate Carrier Sabotage

LONDON, Dec. 16. (AP)—The British Navy is investigating damage to an aircraft carrier. One London newspaper said the vessel had been sabotaged and four others said sabotage was suspected.

An admiralty announcement last night said a main engine of the 14,000-ton light carrier Terrible had been damaged by steel bolts found in the oil pit of the engine's gearbox.

The announcement said "pending results of the investigation, no definite information can be given." The carrier was scheduled to be turned over to Australia today.

"It is true that political campaign managers and workers have always made claims of victory. But nobody took them too seriously. It was just part of the game."

"But with the advent of polls, opinion research, columnists and so-called experts of all sorts, this matter of trying to predict things to come became a mania with both press and radio."

"Papers used to strive to be first to tell what had happened. Lately they have been competing to be first to tell what was going to happen. It hasn't been confined to politics but all through the paper—especially in sports. The columnist, in particular, has become a self-appointed prophet who feels called on to tell you next Saturday's football scores, next October's baseball standpoints, next week's markets, next year's legislation and next Tuesday's election returns."

"The public apparently has wanted prophecy, for in addition to the papers it has bought tip-letters, clamored for rating cards and hung on the words of radio commentators who predict anything from pregnancy to presidency."

"This forecasting business took an awful tumble in the election which may prove to be a good thing."

"Fortune-telling may, hereafter, be cut to reasonable proportions while newspapers return to the safer, sounder job of reporting what has happened and editorializing about known facts rather than predictions."

Lie Speech

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) side of New York. He landed in Boston when the plane carrying him from Paris to New York was diverted because of bad weather. He left last night by train for New York.

The United States ranks far ahead of any other nation in production of the four major sources of power, coal, natural gas, oil, and hydroelectric power.

Curtis Cullin

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) in Normandy the American Army made advances measured in terms of yards rather than miles. The landscape offered almost as much resistance to progress as did the dug-in enemy.

The chief obstacles were the famous Normandy hedgerows. They were massive banks of dirt, centuries old, and topped by thick growths of shrubbery and small trees.

"When our tanks hit them, it was like cracking into a stone wall," said Cullin. "And if we tried to climb over them, the underbelly of the tank was exposed. The German anti-tank guns then could rip us open like sardine cans. Our own tank guns were pointed at the sky—useless. We couldn't defend ourselves."

The problem was to find a way for the tanks to force a path through the hedgerows, guns firing, instead of clambering over them. At first combat engineers were sent out on foot to blast holes in the hedgerows. But they were picked off by German infantry.

"One day my commanding officer called a meeting of non-coms to get suggestions," said Cullin. "I didn't know anything about mechanics or engineering, but I had seen a lot of German iron roadblocks."

"I suggested putting sharpened chunks of iron from these roadblocks on our tanks so we could dig through the hedgerows."

"They tried it. They welded four flanges to a crossbar, fixed it to a tank—and the 15-ton vehicle pitched forward its way right through the nearest hedgerow."

"General Bradley heard about it and came down to watch a demonstration," said Cullin. "He saw it worked, and swore us to secrecy. He then secretly had 600 of our frontline tanks equipped. They were to spearhead our attack."

"The device caught the Germans completely by surprise, and the American army made a successful breakthrough of the Nazi lines at St. Lo on July 25th, 1944—the breakthrough that carried to the Siegfried Line."

"Later they called me and three others back to corps headquarters and gave us the Legion of Merit for the invention," said Cullin. "All it meant to me was a half-day off from the front."

"One of those who got a medal," he grinned, "was an officer who insisted when I made the suggestion that it would never work."

Cullin lost his left foot and had part of his right thigh blown off a few weeks later in the Hurtgen Forest when he stopped on a German mine and fell on another one.

"But it didn't make me a pacifist," he said. "Hell, no. I don't think we're doing half enough

right now. I only hope we don't make the same mistake we made in 1939."

American GL's

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) transportation. In quick order 130 men in the outfit joined the travelers. They chartered three planes which will leave here the night of Dec. 21, when the Christmas furlough starts, and land them in New York and New England way-points within the following 24 hours. One of the 72nd's planes will stop at Chicago, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia.

Recruit Paul G. Currier of Brooklyn, organized his 23rd Infantry pals and today he has three planes chartered and a growing list of "me too's."

Men from virtually every unit on the post are clamoring to get in on the "holiday-hop" as it has become known to the 17,000 men of this sprawling army post. All they need is the furlough—being granted to 50 per cent of the post's personnel—and cash for the round trip ticket.

Paterson, N. J.

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) (from a coal company). A station-wagon load of preserved foods and staples (from the Volunteers of America).

Two chickens and 15 quarts of milk for the children (from, respectively, a grocer and a milk company).

Besides that, an anonymous donor offered to pay all back bills plus the rent through March "to carry him over the winter." No Santa Claus? Pshaw!

Barkley Pledges

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) program, I am not in a position to predict that such a tax will be reenacted."

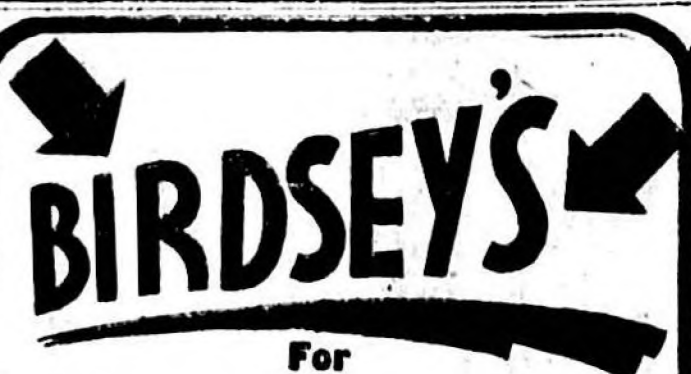
Seaway Project

(Continued From Page One Sec. 2) news conference he reiterated he would again press for its approval. He has said flatly, however, that he does not favor the Dowsy proposal. He wants both the navigation and power work carried on simultaneously.

This is also Wiley's position. He contends that separate work on the power program would delay if not kill any chance of passage of the overall seaway proposal.

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### THE WEATHER

Sanford and Vicinity—Partly cloudy and continued warm through Saturday with a few afternoon showers likely. Gentle variable wind, becoming north-easterly Saturday.

## Rail Employee Pay Increase Recommended

### "Non-Operators" May Get Seven Cents Per Hour Hike On Forty Hour Week

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The White House said today President Truman's views on labor legislation will be clearly stated in his state of the union message to Congress Jan. 5. Today, presidential Secretary Charles G. Ross was asked if he knew whether Mr. Truman thinks the Wagner Act should be changed in any way. If the Taft-Hartley Law is removed from the books, Ross replied that he knows Mr. Truman's views on the matter, but could not state them for publication. He added that the President will cover the matter thoroughly in his state of the union message.

### By NORMAN WALKER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—A presidential board today recommended that the railroads give their "non-operating" employees a seven-cent an hour wage increase immediately and put them on a 40-hour week next September without loss in pay. The non-operating employees—the clerks and mechanical workers who do not operate trains—now work 48 hours a week. The board proposed that the seven-cent increase be retroactive to Oct. 1. Under the proposal, the shift to the 40-hour week would be made (Continued on Page Eight)

## School Glee Club Presents Program At Tourist Center

The Tourist Center was filled to capacity last evening as the Seminole High School Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Ollie Reese Whittle, repeated the Christmas program given recently at the High School.

Soloists were Stanley Rumlford, Ingrid Esterson, Bobby Cavell and Anita Allen. Hymns were sung by the boys and girls' groups. A large ensemble, boys' double quartet and girls' sextet. Singing in the girls' sextet were Anita Aiken, Ingrid Esterson, Betty Ball, Kathleen Babcock, Joan McTeer and Betty Dunsen. In boys' double quartet (Continued on Page Four)

## Sixth Graders To Aid Seal Campaign

Boys and girls of the Sixth Grade, under direction of Mrs. E. J. Routh, will endeavor to reach a goal of \$100, Saturday in the sale of double banded cross bangle pins to aid the Christmas Seal campaign of the Seminole County Tuberculosis Association.

Mrs. Routh, teacher at the Grammar School, announced today that people who are shopping on Saturday will be asked by the boys and girls to share the change left over from their purchases. She is promoting the work in her capacity as a member of the Health Education Committee of the board of directors and as a representative of the American Legion Auxiliary of which she is historian for the Department of Florida. All who have received Christmas Seals are urged to send in their contributions as quickly as possible, said Mrs. Edward Kirchner, secretary of the Association. Others who may not have received the seals are requested to telephone the Association office and Seals will be promptly mailed.

### SUMMER WEATHER

LAKELAND, Dec. 17.—(AP)—There's no end in sight to Florida's summer-like weather. The Federal-State Frost Warning Service temperature advisory said: "Forecast for peninsular Florida for tonight and Saturday: partly cloudy and continued warm. "Future temperature outlook: Mild through Monday."

### THE WEATHER

JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 17.—(AP)	High	Low
Atlanta	59	55
Bismark	11	14
Chicago	59	51
Denver	52	10
Galveston	72	61
Minneapolis	20	6
New York	42	38
Saint Louis	44	28
San Antonio	75	53
Seattle	46	30
Winnipeg	19	12
Jacksonville	79	65
Orlando	79	73
Sanford	80	68
St. Petersburg	79	68

## Spirit Of Joy, Mirth Abound In Sanford As Christmas Approaches

Christmas with its gay spirit of joy and mirth is approaching in Sanford and nowhere is its significance more evident than in the many colored lights glow on the tall Christmas trees set up in the City in Central Park at Fourth Street, in from the old town to the shuffleboard court in Ft. Mellon Park.

Shoppers are hurrying about on downtown streets intent on the purchase of gifts, stores are jammed with attractive merchandise and starting Saturday evening, many of them will remain open until 9:00 o'clock evenings until Christmas in order to accommodate buyers. Forests of the far north, bright marginals, shiny fruits and green vegetables add color to the scene. Downtown Sanford is a scene of windows have been gaily decorated by the merchants to attract their merchandise suitable for Christmas gifts, and at night the colored lights of Christmas trees gleam in store fronts.

Of special religious interest are the display of the Christ in (Continued on Page Three)

## Mrs. Moser Tells Executives Club Of China Needs Aid From The United States Is Stressed In Mayfair Inn Talk

The extreme need of China and all of the Far East for aid from the United States was stressed last evening by Mrs. Paul Moser in a talk to the Executives Club at a dinner meeting held at the Mayfair Inn. Mrs. Moser, who has just returned from an extensive tour of Europe which followed a trip to the Philippines, Siam and other countries of the Far East, impressed her audience with her intimate knowledge of the needs of these countries.

## Government Offers To Review Federal Taxes With Cities

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The government today offered to discuss with municipal leaders the possible elimination or reduction of some federal taxes. The idea is to receive their as sources of revenue for financially ailing cities.

Secretary Gilge Nease in Denver, presiding, quickly seized the opening. He announced that a conference will be held probably in February, to exchange ideas on overcoming some of the state, federal and local governments.

Only an hour before, the 50 mayors and other city officials had voted unanimously to ask Congress to wipe out the federal taxes on night clubs, amusement and admissions. These taxes are "peculiarly suited to municipal administration," the resolution said.

## Freezing Weather Hits Central U. S.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Subzero and freezing weather hit the central section of the country again today. Montana, the Dakotas and Minnesota got the heaviest snowfall. The snow included 17 below at Miles City, Mont., 11 at Great Falls, N.D., 10 at Aberdeen, S.D., and 12 at International Falls, Minn.

The freezing weather extended over most of the Midwest and into the Oklahoma panhandle and westward into the Pacific Northwest. There also was rain over most of California and temperatures dropped. Los Angeles reported a reading of 44 during the night. Light snow fell in the Rocky Mountains and also in the upper Great Lakes region.

## DERRICK CHRISTMAS SAN FERNANDO, Calif., Dec. 17.—(AP)—With Earl Anderson, an oil firm production foreman, it will be a "Derrick Christmas. To All!"

He announced today he has ordered all lights—strung up in 47 oil well derricks in a small field near here—turned on Christmas eve and Christmas night.

## SEBES DECISION TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 17.—(AP)—

The Supreme Court today was asked to decide who has jurisdiction over bus operations between adjoining municipalities and suburban areas. The City of Miami Beach is appealing a decision by the Leon County Circuit Court which held the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission should assume jurisdiction over a proposed route from Miami Springs through Maitland, Miami, North Bay Village, Miami Springs, Surfside, and Harbor into Hialeah Park.

## Headquarters Of Nationalists Leaves Pengpu

### Government's Defense Posts Fall Back To Only 30 Miles From Capital At Nanking

By HAROLD K. MILLS NANKING, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Supreme headquarters of Chiang Kai-shek's East China command today began withdrawal from threatened Pengpu to Chongqing only 30 miles north of the Chinese capital. Pengpu, 105 miles northwest of Chongqing, is the anchor for the government's new thrust defense line. It became Nationalist headquarters after the abandonment of the stronghold at Suowu, 100 miles farther north.

The withdrawal coincided with reliable reports that the government's National 15th Army Group, trapped by the Chinese Communist forces at Pengpu for 18 days, had been wiped out. Official reports today also reported that the 15th Army Group had been wiped out, that half of the army had been captured and the remainder had fled to Pengpu. The Chinese Communist units advanced to Suowu on the 12th (Continued on Page Three)

## 300 Known Dead In Wake Of Heavy Rains In Brazil

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Dec. 17.—(AP)—More than 300 known dead, hundreds are missing and thousands are homeless in two states of Brazil today in the wake of heavy rains which swept the coastal band over wide areas. The rains had been drenching the area since Monday. In Rio de Janeiro, 300 people are reported to have died. In Minas Gerais, 200 people are reported to have died. The rains have caused landslides and flooding in many areas. In some places, the water has reached a level of 10 feet above normal. In many villages, the water has cut off the roads. In some places, the water has reached a level of 10 feet above normal. In many villages, the water has cut off the roads.

## Cross Funeral To Be Held On Sunday

Funeral services will be held for George H. Cross, whose death occurred Monday, at his home in Hialeah, Fla., on Sunday at 10:30 a.m. at the funeral home of Mrs. H. J. Cross, 1115 S.W. 11th St. in Hialeah.

## Court Frees Woman Of Contempt Charge

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The Florida Supreme Court today released Leah Adler, 35, from a contempt of court jail sentence imposed for her refusal to say whether she is a Communist party member. A jail sentence imposed for her refusal to say whether she is a Communist party member. A jail sentence imposed for her refusal to say whether she is a Communist party member.

## Princess Elizabeth Air Force Tests New Glider At Eglin Base

LONDON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Princess Elizabeth left Buckingham Palace today for her first outing since the birth of her son, Prince Charles, a month ago. Riding in the front seat of a car beside the Duke of Edinburgh, who was at the wheel, the princess went to inspect work at Clarence House, which will be the couple's official London residence. They spoke for an hour with reporters.

## MARONS MEET

Taylor Commandery No. 23, Knights of the Temple, will meet at Masonic Hall tonight. The trial of the Temple will be conferred and the annual election will be held. Sir Knights are requested to wear uniforms, if possible.

## DEAN HALE DIES

ORLANDO, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Morris S. Hale, 50 dean of Orlando Junior College died last night at Florida Sanitarium following a stroke earlier at his home. Well known as an educator, he left the position of dean at the University of Tampa in 1944 to come to Orlando and organize Orlando Junior College. His efforts helped in raising the college to its present high position among state educational institutions. Addison L. Williams, president of the college, said.

## U.N. Rejects Membership Bid Of Israel

### Little Nation Is Unable By Two Votes To Muster Strength To Enter Assembly

PARIS, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Israel had for membership in the United Nations failed to win Security Council approval today. Five nations voted to admit Israel. Two nations abstained and one voted against the new state. An affirmative vote of seven is needed for approval by the United Nations Council.

Seven out of the 11 nations at work with Israel voted against the application. Voting for Israel were the United States, France, the Soviet Union, Argentina and Colombia. Abstaining were Britain, China, France, Canada and Belgium. Earlier, the Security Council had rejected Israel's bid for membership in the United Nations. The Security Council had rejected Israel's bid for membership in the United Nations.

## Speech Contest Winners Appear At Jaycee Meet

Miss Anna Rogers of Lincoln High School, Miss Dorothy Smith of Oviedo High School and Miss Elizabeth Kirchner of Sanford were the winners of the speech contest held at the Jaycee meeting at the Sanford Hotel last night. The contest was held at the Sanford Hotel last night. The contest was held at the Sanford Hotel last night.

## Howard M. Giles Dies In Orlando

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## House Lays Appeal To Gain Freedom

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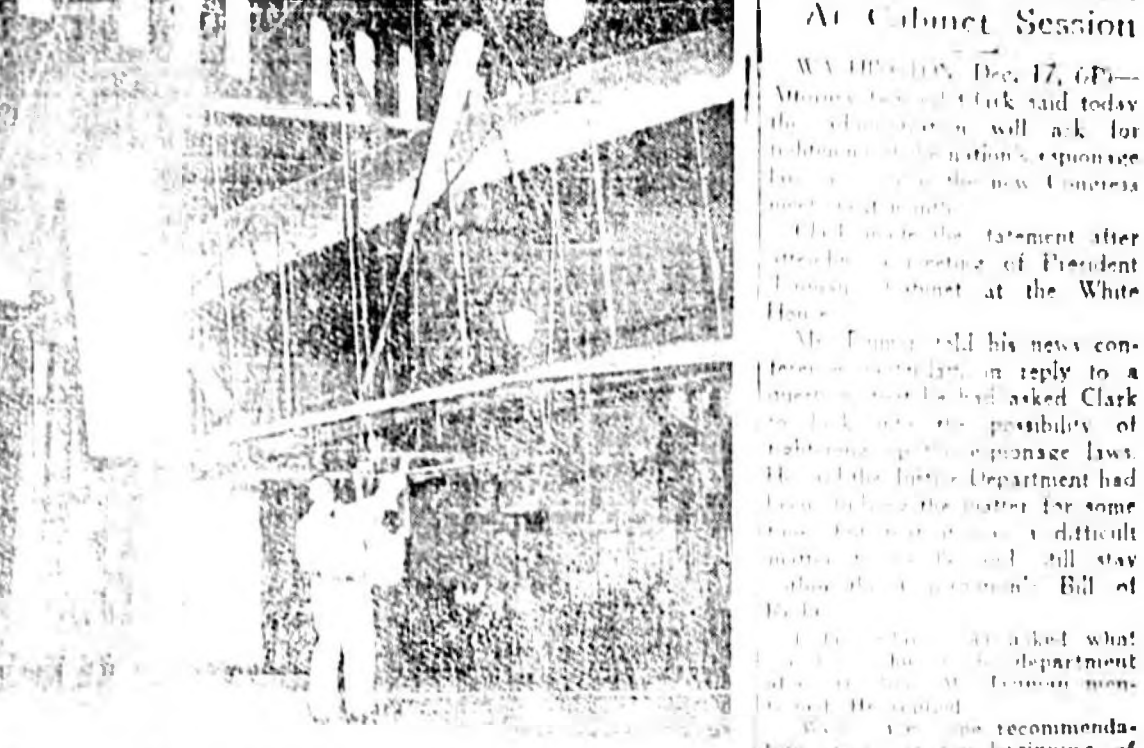
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# President To Seek Tighter Espionage Laws, Clark Asserts

## Lift 'Kitty Hawk' Into The Air



WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—President Truman today said he would ask Congress to pass legislation to tighten espionage laws. He said the new laws would make it easier to prosecute spies and would give the government more power to investigate suspected spies.

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