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Justice Jackson's Sensational Cable

A few days ago, discussing in general terms the problems facing Chief Justice Designate Fred Vinson, Marquis Childs reported that Justice Jackson's labors as chief prosecutor at the Nuremberg trials had left him "in a state of physical and mental exhaustion." Mr. Childs' observation, written in advance of Justice Jackson's outburst against Justice Black, might well explain that singular cable addressed to the House and Senate Judiciary Committees.

But, even if ragged nerves and disappointment at the elevation of another to the Chief Justice's chair did combine to prompt Justice Jackson to an unseemly display of temper, his charges do more than that. His claim that Justice Black refused to disqualify himself in a case in which his former law partner represented one of the litigants is no light accusation. It means, at best, that one Supreme Court Justice has no faith in the integrity of another Justice. It clearly creates an intolerable situation in the Court which can gloss over.

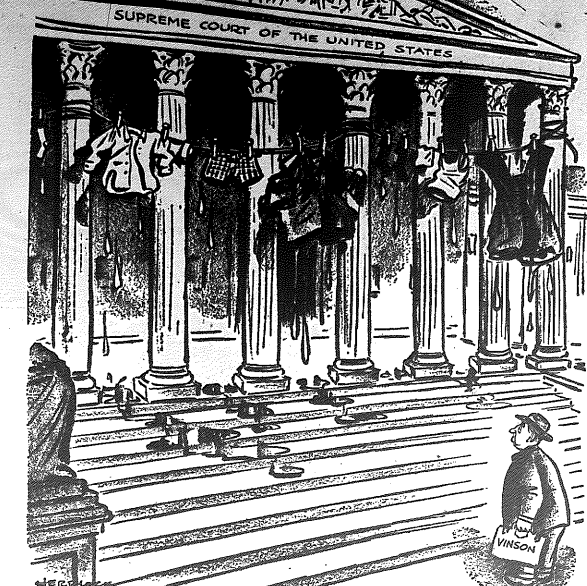
There has been no serious talk of impeachment yet, but hairs are being pulled. It may be that it will be the only solution. If Justice Jackson's charges against Justice Black are true, there is reason to question Justice Black's fitness for the bench. If they aren't, there is reason to question Justice Jackson's.

Very practical considerations dictate the

departure of one or the other of these two Justices, or both, from the Supreme Court. The personal bicker indicated by Justice Jackson's public attack can never be healed sufficiently to insure the harmony that the Court must have. More important, dropping such published charges without any definite action would undermine public confidence in the Supreme Court, and in the judiciary as a whole.

The Congress, as we see it, has a clear obligation if it developed, as seems most likely, that there is no venality involved on either side. It will be argued that judges, even Supreme Court Justices, are only human. That, of course, is true, but it is also true that the jurist must be superhuman in the discharge of his official duties.

It may very well be that neither has been guilty of anything worse than bad judgment—Justice Black in refusing to step aside in a case in which he might appear to have a personal interest, and Justice Jackson in prematurely making public charges that will, whether he can sustain them or not, seriously damage the reputation of the Supreme Court. But bad judgment, while it may be forgiven in lesser beings, is in itself an absolute disqualification for an official whose very function is to pass judgment on others.



Watch Those Booby-Traps, Boys

IN HIS Sunday radio broadcast, Drew Pearson, a columnist whose slightly hysterical work adorns this page, made a passing reference to the heated Congressional race in North Carolina's Fifth District. Quoth Mr. Pearson: "I suggest that the House Elections Committee investigate charges that thousands of dollars are being poured into (the district) by the millionaire Hanes family and the Chatham blanket family to defeat Congressman John Folger." Now this charge, as we have relayed in Mr. Pearson's breathless microphone manner, is old hat. It is, we understand, being investigated by the State Elections Board, along with other charges and counter-charges brought by Messrs. Chatham and Folger. It has been commented upon at length, here and elsewhere.

But this network attention seems to have excited Mr. Chatham, who has replied with one of the truly remarkable political statements of the season. From a categorical denial of the excessive expenditure charge, he went on to allege in his turn that any CIO-PAC is pouring thousands of dollars into the district to support Mr. Folger.

Drew Pearson's comments are in line with his well-known sympathies with the PAC-CIO attempt to dominate the Democratic Party, especially in the South. Drew Pearson

has evidently accepted Mr. Folger's absurd contention regarding my campaign expenditures. I have said, and I repeat, that my expenditure was a matter of record and within the legal limit. The enormous fund which the CIO has at its command for political purposes is being used against all candidates who do not agree with CIO principles. The latest object of the President of the United States, Mr. Truman, I am happy to be fighting on the same side as our Democratic President. The CIO supports Mr. Folger. Mr. Folger is well-known throughout the Fifth District.

Mr. Chatham's statement, of course, was issued in the interim between President Truman's demand for stringent emergency labor legislation and his veto of the Case Bill. But by the time Mr. Chatham's happy announcement that he is "fighting on the same side as our Democratic President" reached print, the scene had changed. Morning, in the cold gray light of the morning after the veto, Mr. Chatham appears to be on the side of the union interests he is proud to be fighting.

It is upon this subject that a deep feeling of sympathy for Mr. Chatham, and any other candidate engaged in an election battle in this strange season. And we close with this gratuitous advice: Lay off that old trick of trying to identify yourself with the Administration boys. These days you never know where that may leave you.

Politics South Of The Border

THE greatest traveling political shakedown on earth, the county by county gubernatorial campaign in South Carolina, is underway again. Playing two stands a day the eleven candidates in the Democratic primary are carrying their pleas out where the tobacco juice runs thick and the political feeling high. It's democracy in the raw, the last holdover from that simpler day when the daily debate was the approval of the people by campaigning. And it's a fascinating spectacle.

Starting out on the circuit this week, the de-be-governors set the pattern for the remainder of the campaign. More than half of them raised a refrain familiar in South Carolina politics—an attack on the Burnwell Ring which reputedly carries the Legislature in its pocket. President Edgar Brown of the Senate and Speaker Sol Blatt of the House are traditional targets, and they came in for their usual working over. As a concession to the times, the CIO-PAC was scored in passing. The Burnwell Ring and Washington dictation came in for wholesale

damnation. One candidate even managed to drag in White Supremacy by his heels. It's a little early yet for the candidates to be trading personal insults, but a few unpleasantnesses were sounded on the stump. Nothing exciting yet, however, and only a couple of hundred spectators sat through the whole three and a half hours of oratory at the opening meeting.

We certainly wouldn't attempt to pass judgment on the candidates from this distance. It being none of our business anyway. But we do feel constrained to note, with awe, the platform of one of them. Del O'Neal of Columbia, self-styled "preacher of sons" rests his candidacy on three points: (1) Bars and cocktail lounges to "educate the drunks"; (2) opening instead of closing liquor saloons at sundown "because that's when folks need it"; (3) legalizing gambling as a source of revenue, and (4) passage of a liberal divorce law. Whatever else it may be, Mr. O'Neal's bland disregard for South Carolina's most deep-seated prejudices is the most astounding political gesture of the century.

Another Voice

A Matter Of Co-Operation

PROPOS the "kicks" of various individuals North Carolina cities regarding the space allotted them by the Burnwell Ring. The Charlotte News brings up the point that it probably would be better for the Tar Heel cities to stick together in a firm demand for improved and expanded air service. When this is secured the allocation of services for each city could be satisfactorily ironed out.

The News thinks good healthy competition in air service is needed in this area—competition which will be provided if the Civil Aeronautics Board approves the recommendations of its examiners for the expansion of services of several air lines to cover the region. The fact that patrons of air lines in the State and the Southeast are finding present services grossly inadequate appears to constitute prima facie evidence that "Public convenience and necessity" require greatly extended air transportation service. If the one or two interstate lines now serving the area cannot or will not provide the necessary expansion of facilities and service, then the logical conclusion is that of admitting new lines into the field.

limited-seating space on planes should be divided inequally. But *The News*, we believe, is right in its plea for a united front from the Tar Heel cities of this section and State in the fight for greater and better air transportation facilities. Closer co-operation among our communities in this fight may result in greatly expanded air service for all.—*Turn City Sentinel*.

Ideal combination of the patriotic, the sentimental and the practical would be a World War II memorial with 500 rooms and baths.

An Eastern manufacturer of tasty molasses candy announces his retirement after 53 years in the game. We hope to be among the first to say it was a long pull.

In the Sherlock Holmes "le, the odd thing about the dog in the night was that it didn't bark. This would begood, too, in a neighbor we know.

People's Platform

The Minnow And The Whale

WILLIAMSON

Editors, The News: NO fair-minded person anywhere could or would object to a workers' organization founded and maintained on the principle of "An honest day's pay for an honest day's work." That is a laudable principle. "Demand everything you can get for just as little as you can give" is a destructive agency in any country.

America is endeavoring to recover from the most disastrous war in history. Her people are in need of many kinds of merchandise which they are unable to get. On top of this, the country is struggling under the heavy burden of feeding and clothing the hungry and naked millions of the world, friend and foe alike. And yet, despite all this, it is being thwarted and hindered and endangered by strike after strike of organized labor. It is a spectacle to make both men and angels weep.

Does anyone suppose that the leaders of Soviet Russia would permit any group within their borders, labor or otherwise, to paralyze their industry and endanger the very safety of their country in any such manner? "Unfair to organized labor" is a much used expression with the labor unions. Is organized labor to be treated as a group with any right to recognition and fair treatment? Is unorganized labor to be deprived on wheels and used to crush all other classes within at least the limits of home and many people human beings of their right to "Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness"? If they deny that they are doing this, what else does it mean when they make the workers pay a heavy tax to them for the privilege of earning their daily bread? If they deny that they help the workers to get more pay, it is an undeniable fact that they first make it necessary for them to get more pay.

One thing that has shaken the faith of the average man overseas is the manner in which the draft was handled by the "Leaders" of our country. It was a selfish scheme of political "Buck Passing." We would like to know why the House and Senate are reluctant to draft men in their teens and men above a certain age limit. Everyday we pass graveyards that are filled with men in just these categories. What we would like to know is why, now that the dangers of war are over, are these men exempted from the draft in the Army? What if we fall in this class and there is certainly nothing being done to release them.

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Forgotten Men

OKINAWA

Editors, The News: THIS is a very informal letter expressing the views of a number of men now on the island of Okinawa. I assure you that the opinions set forth here coincide with the opinions of most of the men in this theater.

There are a great number of men overseas that have anywhere from 17 months to 23 months, and a day's service as of the 30th of June, 1946, and who are not eligible for discharge. Likewise there are those of us who have from nine months to seventeen months overseas and since July, September have received no credit for being away from our homes and loved ones while men in the States have been within at least the limits of home and many have their wives and families with them and are receiving credit for the same time that we are. There is not one of us here that is complaining about his share in the "Winning of the Peace" since among our buddies and relatives left their lives doing just that. At the same time, however, we feel that it is about time we were remembered and given a chance to come home.

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