Justice Jackson's Sensational Cable

few days ago, discussing in general terms the problems facing Chief Justice Designate Fred Vinson, Marquis Childs ties Designate Fred Vinson, Marquis Chilids reported that Justice Jackson's labors as chief prosecutor at the Nuernburg trials had left bim "in a state of physical and mental exhaustion". Mr. Child's observation, written in advance of Justice Back, might will be considered the state of the control of the state of the children will explain that singular cable addressed to the House and Senate Judiciary Com-

mittees.

But, even if ragged nerves and disappointment at the elevation of another to the Other Justice's chair did combine to prompt Justice Jackson to an unseemly disappay of temper. his charges deserve a complete investigation. His claim that Justice Black refused to disquality 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. This clearly rereases an intolerable situation in the Court which none of Mr. Vinnens diplomatic and the court of But, even if ragged nerves and disap-

departure of one or the other of these two furists, or both, from the Supreme Court. The personal breach 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.

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The Congress, as we see it, has a clear obligation to push an investigation of Mr. Jackson's charges without delay. The investigation liself might lead to the resignation of one, or both, of the Justices involved.

It would be a distasteful business, particularly if it developed, as seems most likely, that there is no venality involved on either side. It will be argued that Judges, yer Surgere Court Justices are only business.

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 conduct of his official duties.

It may very well be that neither has been guilty of anything worse than bad judgemen—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 judgeties of the suprementation of the s tion of the Supreme Court. But bad judg-ment, while it. may be forgiven in lesser beings, is in itself an absolute disqualifi-cation for an official whose very function is to pass judgment on others.

Watch Those Booby-Traps, Boys

THE 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 be-ing poured into (the district) by the miling poured into (the district) by the millonaire Hanes family and the Chatham blanket family to defeat Congressman John Folger." Now this charge, even when 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 Mesars. 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 statement of the property of the

excited Mr. Chatham, who has replied with one of the truly remarkable political state-ments of the season. From a categorical denial of the excessive expenditures charge, he goes on to allege in his turn that the CO-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 Pear-

son has evidently accepted Mr. Folger's aband contention regarding my campsign expenditures. I have said, and I repeat, that my expenditures will be a matter of record and were within the Jeal limit, as it is command for political purposes is being used against all candidates who do not agree with CIO principles. The latest object of their attack is the President of the United States. I am happy to be fighting on the open CIO support of Mr. Folger is well-known throughout the Fifth District.

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Mr. Chatham's statement, of course, was
staued 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 "tighting on the
same side as our Democratic President"
reached print, the scene had changed.
Somehow, in the cold gray light of
morning after the vete, Mr. Chatham uppears to be on the side of the union interests he is proud to be fighting.
We remark upon this with a deep feeling of sympathy for Mr. Chatham, and early
other candidate engaged in an election battie in this strange season. And we close
with this gratuitions advice: Lay off that
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Politics South Of The Border

THE greatest traveling political sideshow on earth, the county by county joint gubernatorial campaign in South Carolina, is underway again, Playing two stands a day the eleven candidates in the Demo-Gay the eleven candidates in the Demo-ertic primary are carrying their pleas out-where the tobacco juice runs thick and the political feeling high, It's democracy in the Taw, the last holdover from that simpler day when the joint debate was the approved American method of campaigning. And It's a faschaling speciacle. Starting out on the circuit this week, the

stating out on the circuit inis week, the would-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 Barnwell 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. Yankee politics and Washington dictation came in for wholesale

damnation. One candidate even managed to drag in White Supremey by its heels. It's a little early yet for the candidates to be trading personal insuling the form to be trading personal to the activation of the trading personal to the stump. Nothing exciting yet, however, and only a couple of hundred shelf hours of oratory at the opening meeting the whole three and a helf hours of oratory at the opening meeting. We certainly wouldn't attempt to pass judgment on the candidates from this distance, it being mone of our business and the stance, it being mone of our business, and the companies of the control of the cont

Another Voice

A Matter Of Co-Operation

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cation of seating space for each city count be satisfactorily ironed out.

The News thinks good healthy competition in air service is needed in this area—competition which will be provided it the forward of the competition of the 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 facile evidence that 'public convenience and necessity' require greatly extended air transportation service. If the one or two intersections are services greatly extended air transportation service. If the one of wonld in the provide the necessary expansion will not provide the necessary expansion of the provided of the provid

the field.

We do not feel that the allocation of

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

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

An Eastern manufacturer of tasty mo-lasses 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 light was that it didn't bark. This would be odd, too, in a neighbor we know.



People's Platform

The Minnow And The Whale

WILMINGTON

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 park" for an honest day's work. But a labor union operating on the principle of "Demand everything or one of the principle of "Demand everything or any operating on the principle of "Demand everything or any operating on the principle of "Demand everything or any operating of the principle of "Demand everything or any operating of the principle of "Demand everything or any operating of the principle of the principle of "Demand everything or executive agency in any in history. Her people are in sore need of many kinds of merchandise which they are unable to get. On top of this, the country is strugged to the principle of the principle of

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?

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To group that has any right to recognition and fair treatment? Is unionism a juggernaut to be mounted on wheels and used to crush ail other classes with? Have labor unions. Is organized labor the only class or group that has any right to recognition and fair treatment? Is unionism a juggernaut to be mounted on wheels and used to crush ail other classes with? Have labor union the right to "Life. Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness?" If they deep 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 to ref. in the privilege of earning their daily to ref. more than they are the more pay.

A continual round of strikes is like a locomotive pulling a train on a spiral track around a mountain; every time a round is made, both the beomotive of living a are another notch higher. The procedure is reminiscent of the gambler's chant:

"Round and round the little ball goes; Where it stops at, nobody knows."

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What is now being heaped on the American people is something that past generations would have risen up in arms to remedy, had there been no other of the daily of the private them to the control of the armber's generations would have risen up in arms to remedy, had there been no other of the armber's remedy and the first the remaining the private and the remaining that past is mentally have an outlet for his oratory.

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is a growing conviction in the minds of thoughtful persons that we are rapidly speeding onward to a great and significant change in human destury. How or when it will come only God knows. Is Armageddon waiting around the corner, as the beginning stage of the final sifting? Or will God establish His Kingdom of Righteousness and Peace without it? In either event none of us know, either as individuals or nations, how short may be our time for settling our bouses in order. "Traveler, it is later than you chink!"

Forgotten Men

Editors, Tex 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.

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There are a great number of men overseas that have anywhere from 17 months to 23 months tand a few days) service as of the 30th of June, 1946, and who are not leightle for discharge. Likewise there are those of us who have from nine months to seven-secretic norm of the secretic control of the secretic control of the being away from our homes and loved ones while men in the States have been within at least calling distance 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 the winding of the Peace, since so many of our Buddless and relatives lost 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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Marquis Childs Big 4 Meet Again

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WITHIN a few days the foreign
ministers of the Big Four will
again be sitting around a conference table in Faris. The world will
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real reason for hope. The it is just
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Foreign Minister Ernest. Bevin
will take to Paris a plan for the
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the beginning of a solution of the
major problem which is Germany.
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the outline of the British Ruirplan. It was symptomatic of the
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TWO VIEWPOINTS

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which Germany should produce.
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Samuel Grafton

A Veterans' Village

LOS ANGELES.

I HAVE visited the Redger Young Vulge, a community of Quonset huts which is being put up on park land for veterans and their families. It is an odd place and their families are seen to the another of the control of the c

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Drew Pearson's Peace Delegates Don't Love Each Other Merry-Go-Round

WASHINGTON
THE Senate Foreign R-lations Committee discovered in a secret session last week that Chairman Tom Connaily of Texas and Michigan's GOP Senator Vandenberg didn't seem to have got along too well during their recent place to the committee was debating the important St. Lawrence waterway project which for 12 years has gathered dust in a committee pigeonhole.

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Senator George Gets Mad

A T this, Connally hit the cellig. Months of resentment over being forced to sit in Vandenberg's shadow at Paris and London welled to the surface. Tom accused Vandenberg of insulting him and demanded a retraction. Other members of the committee finally broke in to keep the peace, but the

the committee finally broke in to keep the peace, but the retraction never came.

Peace did not long prevail, however. Another opponent of the Waterway lost his temper—Senator George of Georgia,

George demanded more time to study the bill—despite the fact that he has already had weeks to study the present bill and twelve years to make up his minst on the general bill and twelve years to make up his minst on the general bill and twelve years to make up his minst on the general bill and twelve years to make up his minst on the general bill and twelve years to make up his minst on the general bill with the way to the week of the twelve the week of the twelve twelve the twelve twelve the twelve twelve the twelve twel

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Merry-Go-Round

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England Saxey of the Federal Fower Commission leaves for
Tumperian Prince Minister, a leading Solviet somplishier, will
visit Washington before the end of the month. . French communists, working in a united from with French again.