

The 'Drones' A new chapter in military aviation was written yesterday when two bombers were flown from Hawaii to California by remote control. The flight of the 'drones' is reported by the Associated Press in a story on page 12-A.

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Too Few People Are Interested Enough To Cast Their Vote

By HAROLD I. ICKES (Former Secretary of the Interior) One of the reasons why so many people of this country believe in politics is a dirty business. This is not so in other countries. Politics is no better and no worse than the people themselves. Politics is an indispensable ingredient in our government. The quality of our government necessarily depends upon the quality of our politics.

The fact is that the only trouble with politics is that there isn't enough politics, or, more precisely, that not enough people take an interest in politics. I have always maintained that the people of this country have not only a right to take part in politics, they have a duty. As a matter of fact it is the obligation of the people to exercise their political rights in order to preserve their liberties for themselves and for posterity.

By this I do not mean that every man and every woman ought to run for Congress or for senator. I do mean, however, that every man and every woman old enough to vote ought to make himself aware of the issues of the day and ought to vote in the elections. In those years when Franklin D. Roosevelt was running for election, this country saw an awakening of millions of voters who ordinarily never took the trouble to go to the polls. The election of 1932 was a turning point in our history. Many thousands of voters stayed away from the polls, a result of which the reactionary elements were no stronger, they elected more progressivism.

In short, there was and never has been a swing to the right in recent years in this country, there has only been a hammock in which the progressive voter curled up and dreamed of a better future. The reactionaries bawled themselves about electing reactionary Congressmen.

How remote the citizens of this country are and have been in living up to their duty to vote can be seen from the records of the United States. In the last election, only 55 per cent of the eligible voters went to the polls, while in the last national election in the United States there were 65 per cent of the eligible voters who went to the polls. In the last national election, only a little more than 50 per cent of the eligible voters went to the polls, while in the last national election, only a little more than 50 per cent of the eligible voters went to the polls. The situation as to voting in the poll tax states could hardly be worse. However, the low percentage of voters who go to the polls can be ascribed to this alone. The North show a voter turnout of hardly more than 50 per cent.

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Dick Reynolds To Wed Today

NEW YORK—P—R. J. Reynolds, III, 38, and actress Marie O'Brien plan to be married at 6 P. M. EDT. Reynolds is the president of the State apartment of the bride's mother. Friends said the couple would get married in a yacht for a honeymoon cruise to the island home off the coast of Georgia.

Weather

Partly cloudy and slightly cooler this afternoon and tonight. Thursday partly cloudy. Temperature at 2:30 today—83. High and low last 24 hours—83-71. Sunday today—73-59. Sunrise tomorrow—5:17.

NIGHT NEWS Axtell Sweeps To Presidency

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Democrats Squabbling Inquiry Into PAC Stirs Party Fight

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Discord flared anew in Democratic ranks today over how much influence the CIO wields in party affairs. A specifically named issue is the makeup of a special House committee named yesterday by Speaker Rayburn, Democrat, Texas, to investigate campaign expenditures in this year's elections.

Two Negroes Attack Girl

SAVANNAH, Ga.—P—A Solicitor General Protem Andrew J. Ryan Jr. today attacked a 22-year-old city woman and her 17-year-old girl companion and after shooting the woman to death criminally assaulted the girl. The Solicitor identified the woman as Anthony Elison, veteran of naval service in the recent war. Ryan, after questioning the girl who was treated at a hospital here, said this report.

The couple was in a parked automobile on a road in a sparsely settled section of Chatham County when the two Negroes approached. At gun point they forced Elison from the car and beat her several yards away and shot him. Then they returned to the car and each one of them was assaulted by a man who was dressed in a uniform and carried a gun. The car was found at the scene of the crime. Ryan identified the girl as Betty DeLoach of Savannah.

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Peace Talks Resumed

By LYNN HEINZLING PARIS—P—The peace conference resumes today after coming out of a marathon struggle over voting procedure and voted unanimously for a Yugoslav proposal to permit Yugoslavia to join the United Nations. The committee had agreed at 2:30 A. M. after 20 hours of debate in which it was finally decided over the embittered opposition of the Foreign Ministers Council.

Some of the delegates were still showing the strain from the voting dispute, which at one time produced what a British spokesman interpreted as a threat of the Soviet bloc to walk out of the conference. The dispute ended with a vote of 15 to 6 in favor of the British plan which requires a two-thirds majority in the full conference for decisions to be passed by the four big powers, but also permits simple majority "recommendations" to go to the Big Four. The four foreign ministers of Britain, Russia, France and the United States had the final say.

Herbert V. Pratt, Australian withdrawal an amendment which would have established the same majority for recommendations as the committee was provided by the British plan for the full sessions of the conference. Under the present rules, however, proponents of a proposal turned down by failing to pass by the four big powers committee can still take their proposal before the full conference.

The Yugoslav proposal adopted today will permit that country, Poland, Czechoslovakia, and other members of the Rome-Berlin Axis to submit their proposals directly to the four principal powers without going through the present 21-nation peace conference. Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov of the Soviet Union called upon the Big Four to do so, and they voted unanimously to do so, it is safeguarding the interests of the U. S. Secretary of State James P. Byrnes followed the Russian lead.

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The Jewish underground radio in Palestine said the British were concentrating troops around Haifa, main immigrant entry port. A special meeting of the Cabinet was held at No. 10 Downing Street, Prime Minister Attlee's official residence, to discuss the problem of Palestine, where some 1,500 illegal immigrants—men and women—were held aboard ships in Haifa Harbor.

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Conspiracy Suspected Federal Agents Probe Shortage Of Cattle Hides

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Government today ordered a squad of special investigators into hide and leather producers' plants in a virtually unprecedented move to avert a shutdown of some production. The agents, dispatched by the Civilian Production Administration, are on the hunt for any excessive supplies being sold back in the hope of higher prices.

Reconversion Director John R. Steiman ordered CPA to make the search. He also called on the Justice Department to start a "vigorous" investigation of what he described as a reported industry "conspiracy" to withhold all hides from the market until CPA is compelled to lower price ceilings on hides and leather.

The Justice Department promptly referred the matter to its anti-trust division and told reporters an investigation already was under way. Declaring that the sale of hides had "virtually ceased" since revival of price controls, Steiman said in a statement late yesterday.

3 Murders Solved

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