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#### Nazis At The Noltimiers'

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lied an interesting little tiem from Whittier, California about the family difficulties of

Mr. and Mrs. Noltimier have relative

Lead better to adopt two German opphans

(distant relatives) after hearing from Ger
many that the youngsters had escaped

from a slave camp and were starving.

Like the average kindhearted Americans,

the Noltimiers were a soft touch for a piti
til tale. They successfully fought red tape

and brought Hans Prufer, 18, and his sister,

Karen, 13, to the United States.

Last week the Noltimiers got permission

to send Hans and Karen back to Germany

because, in the words of the obviously be
wildered foster parents, "they are Nazis".

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the deportation business would take longer

than that. "They are Nazis." Mrs. Noltimier

told a newsmen. "They have been here

there months, and it seems like 50 years."

But the story stopped there. The press

reported no further pertinent details.

In these days when words like "fascist"

and "Communist" get bandied about with

little discretion, it would be enlightening to,

examine the case histories of these young

Germans labeled incurable "Nazis" by two big-hearted — and distilusioned — U. S. citizens. What were their National Socialist tendencies? Did Hans try to organize a Whittier High School unit of the notorious Storm Troopers? Did the Prufer children try to turn the Noltimier home into a youth hostel?

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The Notimiers didn't say, Possibly they said enough — but most likely they didn't. In the same week that the Notimiers received welcome news from the State Deapartment, Premier Stalin was being quoted as having said in 1943 to the late President Benes of Czechoslovakia: "You will not change the Germans in a short time. There will be another war with them."

This ominous quotation may—or may not —mean something to the Notimiers in California. They brought their foster children of the brightness of the United States from the darkness of gutde Germany—and still found them unchanged by environment. They gave up in despair a job of re-education and rehabilitation under the most favorable circumstances.

Unless the American Genazification experiment works will in Germany, the Notimier dislilusionment may add some prestige to the work of the imponderable Russige to the Work of the Work of the Imponderable Russige to the Work of the Imponderable Ru

#### Quadriennial Merry-Go-Round

"THEY'RE OFF!" shouts the nation and four men dash pell mell over circuitous routes to the White House. They halt occasionally to release a spate of words—
"inefficient." "Communist," "fascist," "Wall street glutton" — and then dash away

Street gauson.

Over the country for the next six weeks the people will be subjected to harangues from railroad platforms, raucous rhetoric from every radio speaker, political bombast at every crossroads. And all because four men want to be President of the Unit-

four men want to be President of the United States.

A Presidential campaign is almost as wearing on voters as it is on candidates, but it is well to listen. Such events occur, only once every four years; one with potentialities like this may turn up only once or twice in a century.

The campaign is likely to do the country a great amount of good, too. It promises to put a sprightly topper on the usual dull, overwarm Summer, thus benefiting the citizentry; and without a doubt 'twill be a boon to the manufacturers of single grains of sait and to those merchants who market mole hills for conversion into mountains. Wool for pulling over eyes is also in for a boom.

This week Harry Truman is leading Tom This week Harry Truman is leading Tom Dewey a merry chase across the flat plains of the Midwest, beaming confidently at anyone with a camera. He appears much like a man trying to shrup off numerous authoritative opinions that he hasn't a chance come November. Dewey follows a bit more quietly, his

brow furrowing occasionally like someone trying to figure out a commuting schedule between Pawling, N.Y., and Washington, D.C. Tom Dewey knows that—barring war, a belated discovery that he wan't born in the United States or resurrection of FDR—people will be cailing him Mister President in '49.

His objective in campaigning this Fall is not to win something he already has but to give a boost to a number of Republican Senatorial candidates he would like to have in' Washington with him.

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## Monument And Migrants

NORTH CAROLINA'S three United States

NORTH CAROLINA'S three United States will be much in the news next month when a \$5,000 memorial in their honor joins more than haif a dozen other chunks of stone, marble and bronze ornamenting Capitol Square in Ralled.

A statue of Zebur Governor, has been moved from kip pedestal to make way for the three Chief Executives. All were born in North for South! Carolina, but each moved out before he achieved fame.

Andrew Jackson of Waxhaw gained some notoriety around Salisbury as a gay blade before he crossed the mountains into Tennessee. It was later that he caught the imagination of the nation as a hell-for-leather British and Indian fighter. Most historians say Jackson's birthjace was in Bouth Carolina, but any number of articulate Tar Heels will deny his. North Carolina's 1947 General Assembly backet heighborhood of \$25,000 — perhaps more since President Jackson will be seated on a horse and occupying a more prominent.

position than either James Knox Polk or Andrew Jackson Johnson.

The second Carolinas Chief Executive, President Polk, also left North Carolina for Tennessee while he was still an ambitious young lawyer. There was no doubt about his bitrhplace. He came of good Mecklen-burg and Iredell County stock, and many of his family connections still live here-abouts. Nevertheless, he himself, left North Carolina.

abouts. Nevertheless, he himself, left North Carolina.

And Tennessee also claimed the strug-gling yo ung Andrew Johnson, one-time tallor's apprentice born in humble aur-roundings in Raleigh. His political career flowered just across the mountains in Ten-

flowered just across the mountains in Ten-nessee — where so many young Tax Heels migrated through the years. North Carolina will spend \$75,000 to hon-or her three Presidents, who left their home state(s) to find fame. And as long as the South is solidly Dehmocratic politically, hence in the bag, the chance of spending twice as much to honor a native son who becomes President while remaining a real-dent of North Carolina appears remote indeed.

From The Christian Science Monitor

## City Constellations

THE SEASON of early dusk is approaching, bringing with it a galaxy of city constellations which compensate in part for the startit country skies we could not bring back with us from vacation. Brilliant and warm, the city lights seth forgotten outlines against night skies, wink in office windows as-cleaning staffs start their day's work, and glow on falling leaves in the cases of city parks,

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A billiboard lovely as a tree ...

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Sumply argue that neon signs should never be mentioned in the same breath with a sounce. But perhaps he should look again.

pe mentioned in the same breath with a sunset. But perhaps he should look again. Viewed from the advantageous height of city office buildings, the multicolored lights of theater fronts and shop windows and the glint of distant traffic winding along a

parkway make a kind of modern fairyland well known and beloved by city dwellers.

A vibrant western sky with dark au-tumnal clouds coming out of the northwest enhances the scenes. And when the last glow of day has faded, searchlights reach-ing out toward airplanes in the night sky further symbolize the guildance and wel-come which always accompany light.

It wouldn't help consumers, of course, but it might make the puny dollar feel less anemic at the meat counter if somebody would introduce the eight-ounce pound.—

Louisville (Ky.) Times.

I pick up a lotta news (as well as in-spiration and renewal money) at Sunday School. — Grenada County (Miss.) Weekly.

## Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow E STATE OF THE STA



People's Platform

## 'Meddlesome Mud-Slinging'

Yet the editor of The News, with less provoca-tion does not hesitate to "rotten-egg" the State of Georgia, its Governor-elect, as well as a majority of its citzens, who are guilty of nothing more than exercising a free ballot.

Tar Heel 'hoodiums' were justified in their "forward acts", from the fact that a backsliding Republican, of the New Deal persuasion, had the sall to invade their state, not only preaching but putting into actual practice, the New Deal ideology of anti-segregation.

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And what is so hase or derrading in being apea and monkeys, not possessing enough sense to come in out of the rain, much leav sote intelligently.

And what is so hase or derrading in being genitors of the present day, snobs, as well as those modern bluebloods boasting a Mayflower ancestery, and 'genited' brith. And why take Georgians to can possibly be no worse, politically or otherwise than the Wallace you helped to elevate to the Vice-Presidency in 1964. In glass hogues sheuldn't throw collections are not to the last present the collection of the present control of the collection of the present control of the size of the collection of the collect

Yes, there is no doubt but what there will be "hillbilly" music in the Georgia Capitol. But thank God, those listening can understand what is being plaved, and cheer accordingly which is not the case with "highbrows" who would not know the difference between Garuso and Roy Acuff, if it were not for their musical programs.

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And of course the sen of "Ole "Gene" along with his rowdy cronies will enjoy their "morning's morning," In there anything wrong about that? If so, "The Oreatest President since Andy Jackson" did to the course of the

And many states, Georgia included, can well "Thank God for North Carolina" in so far as editor-ial meddling in regard to things that do not concern them is concerned.

#### Likes To Defend FDR

Editors, The News:

I ENJOYED B. H. Eldson's recent letter titled "Plutocracy vs. Democracy" a great deal. A. W.

Black's reply to that letter, "The Super Mr. Ro velt", also contained some interesting details.

According to Mr. Black, for Instance, Frankim Roosevelt was a Communist. Now, who would have thought that? I have been going along thinking that Communists were a bunch of dirty foreigness that spent their waking moments trying to desar yet and their saleping ones trying to dream up new wave to heckle firth American resultemen like Senator Vandenberg and John Foster Dulkes.

Quoting Judge George W. Armstrong, Mr. Bilek ates tnat: "Every act of his administration (the conceveil one) from its beginning to its end was for ommuniting America." Do you see what I mean? If continuing America. Do you see what I mean? If continuing America. The young the content of the light has the property of the content for all that we been holding fast to the wrong dear. Certain that the property of the content of the content of the content for all the property of the content of the conte

stylish to be surversive.

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with his discretation on the immortal Prankin
tives. Rocsevelt does not need me to defend him.
He will remain forever a worbid of triath and justice
to his fellow peoples of the world; the Judge's atas would a little mongred dog which, passing in the
night, wets the great man's gravestone and is gone
sgalm into nowhere. He does not, I say, need me to
defend him. I just sort of like to. E. BASSETT.

## A Nigerian Pen Pal

OOKING through our library at the college one I ooking through our library at the college one of these days, it happened that I saw some of your newspapers of recent date to say, and being I am venturing to address you, I trust under the circumstances you will be inclined to execute it.

Please sir, I have to confess to you, that your newspapers had inspired me with sincere affections; that is why I write this unexpected letter to you, seeking for your aid.

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As this being my first time in writing you, I hope
you will greatly compelled with my request. I will
be very pleased if only you will do the talk for me
and I shall be impressed. I will be very pleased if
you can assist me in publishing my name and
address into your newspaper securing for pen friends;
as described below:—

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-PRINCE EBENEZER ONIMOLE (Alias Masculine Boddus).

Marquis Childs

## Pocketbook Affected

That was the cry of the old time sambler as the yokels at the country fair gathered before his gaming table to be fleeced.

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In April the Supreme Court handed down an opinion that shook by business. In a searching, carefully prepared decision, Justice Hugher and the Pederal Trade Commons of the Pederal Trade Commons to the Pederal Trade Common that the Pederal Trade

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If seems impossible to conceive
at anyone reading these findings
their entirety could doubt that
commission found that respontus (the industry collectively
intained a multiple basing point,
wered, price system for the purise of suppressing competition in
nent sales."

scaled envelope.

The reason this opinion had such a shattering impact is obvious. In certain key industries the basing-point system has long been the

havanasses the court's de-cision. President Irving S. Olds, of the United States Steel Corp., in-dicated Congress would be asked to legalize the basing-point sys-tem. That is now the objective of a major segment of industry. Short's after the new Congress

valled. Ever since the court decision a propaganda barrage has been di propaganda barrage has been di rected against it, particularly in the trade journals. It has been represented as outlawing all price systems and creating anarchy ever though the Federal Trade Commission has said repeatedly that only observed the statement of the contrainer and seriously descrimina-orders are the contrainer and seriously descrimina-

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## By Joseph Alsop

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Historian Truman TRUMAN's secret ambition is to write the history of his own administration, but it will have to wait until his term is finished.

"There are times when I make up my mind I am going to do it and I start assembling my thoughts," he confided to a friend. "Then the pressure of work forces me to stop it. There just aren't enough hours in the day."

He complained that the public never knows the true history of a period until long after it is past and sometimes

"The trouble," he grumbled, "is that people have to depend on Diew Pearson and Alsop brothers for their information."

matton."

As a boy the President used to crawl out of bed at 5 A-M. to practice on the plano for two hours, and he still gets up early. He has more important things to do now, but once he confessed wearily to a triend:

"Sometimes this job gets so strenuous that I think I should have stayed a plano-player."

The President has an orderly mind and an amazing memple kept a careful record and still recalls the exact plane in the present the president of the president property of the president property of the present president property of the president pr

#### Pet Peeve

TRUMAN'S pet peeve is the way Senator Ferguson of Michigan has handled the former War Investigating Committee.

#### Reds In Religion?

HOUSE spy probers plan to follow up their Communist expose with a report on Reds in religion. They claim to have unearthed Soviet agents trying to infiltrate into American church groups.

The report will charge that if such infiltration was so-complished—which seems highly doubtful—the next step would be an anti-religion propagands drive in the USA similar to that in Russia, with Red agents working from within to undermine the churches.

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## Under The Dome

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