

House Battles Communism in Foreign Measure

Passage Of Unchanged Bill Seen GOP Lawmakers Propose Slashes WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Lawrence H. Smith (R. Va.) formally proposed a \$380,000,000 cut today and the fight was on in the House over the price tag for the European Recovery Program.

Hoover's Criticism Answered By Royall 'I believe if I had this power we could have saved one billion dollars this year.' Royall said while he defended the budget estimates. Hoover attacked, Royall told the committee: 'It's hopeless today. We're spending too much money for the national defense we're getting today — there is no doubt about it in my opinion at all.'

New Price Cuts Passed Cookies, Radios, Coal Trimmed BY RADER WINGET NEW YORK (AP) — A new batch of price cuts passed on more savings to consumers today.

Believes World Moving Toward Peace Truman Begins Fifth Year On Job BY ERNEST B. VACCARO WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman was his 15th year in office today, convinced that the world is moving slowly but surely along the road to enduring peace.

Truman Begins Fifth Year On Job (Continued) The turning point in his opinion, was when the United States made its crucial decision two years ago to aid Greece and Turkey against the threat of Communist envelopment.

Treaty Sent To Senate By President Message Cites Hope For Peace WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman called on the Senate today to approve the North Atlantic Treaty as a means of preventing Russian Communism from smashing the free nations of Western Europe as it has those in the East.

More Germans Held Guilty of Crimes BY DONALD DOANE SEVEN HIGH GERMAN OFFICIALS and Government officials were convicted today as war criminals in the Nazi extermination of 6,000,000 Jews.

Scandinavians Back Red View BY MAX HARBELSON NEW YORK (AP) — The Scandinavian fear of a major rift in the U.N. should not review the Communist prosecutions of Josef Cardinal Mindszenty and other churchmen behind the iron curtain.

GI Benefit Boost Asked WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman asked Congress today to vote an extra \$60,000,000 for GI benefits.

U. S. Canada Form Defense Group WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States and Canada today established a joint committee for industrial mobilization in the event of an emergency.

California Kidnap Story Branded Hoax By Police BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — A kidnaping of a 22-year-old young man for \$25,000 was reported today by police. But Chief C. H. Robinson branded it an attempt by the father to 'get publicity.'

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Once Over Lightly BY WALTER BROWNE The House bill would authorize the Economic Cooperation Administration to spend \$1,100,000,000 between now and June 30 and \$4,300,000,000 in the following year.

Plane Skids Off Runway Here An Eastern Air Lines two-engine cargo airplane skidded off a runway at Municipal Airport shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Abolition Of Wildlife Commission Urged Bi Would End Game Group RALEIGH (AP) — A bill to abolish the State Wildlife Resources Commission and to return its powers to the Department of Conservation and Development was introduced into the House today.

GI Benefit Boost Asked (Continued) The request was made by a group of 100 GI members in a letter to the president of the Senate which included a Budget Bureau study of the extra funds needed.

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