WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1950

A GRAVE DISSERVICE

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IT MAY BE as we said yesterday, that
worldwide diplomatic and military considerations will eventually force a withdrawal of United Nations forces from
Korea: Until the decisions have been made
by officials with the subject, it is nothing
information that the subject, it is nothing
grave disservice to urge an
immediate exacuation, as Beniator Clyde R.
Booy did on Monday.
We do not question Senator Hoey's motires. On the contrary, we share his concern over besoming involved in a fullscale war with Communist China, and we
are also willing to lose a bit of face in
Korea: if military considerations require a
withdrawal.

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But, we do question his judgment in peaking out at the critical stage in such feating to cast a pail of doubt over he whole Korean adventure, and to create new stage and the create sea expension in the hearts of everyone who has a relative or friend fighting on the continuous. Purthermore, we doubt seriously had Benator Hosy has enough information in all the milliary factors to support his lemand for an immediate withdrawal.

Before a final degision to abandon the Korean enterprise can be made, we must

await a revelation of Chinese intentions. It is possible that the Chinese Communists will stop at the 38th Farallel and make no attempt to invade South Korea. In that event, it is unlikely that the United Nations forces would evacuate. Even if the Chinese do cross the parallel. General Magachthur and the Joint Chiefs of Staff may decide that a foothood can be retained may decide that a foothood can be retained profit of Pusas even Inchen, and that it would best serve our international pure

in Korea, perhaps a perimeter around the port of Pusan or even inchon, and that it would best serve our international purposes to do so.

These are critical times. The American people are corely distressed over the nudden impulsion toward World War III. At such a moment, it is incumbent on members of the Congress, and other self-appointed experts including the editors of American newspapers, to show restraint until such time as all the information is in hand, We have a President, a Secretary of State, a Secretary of Defense, the Joint Chiefs of Staff; and a Far Eastern Commander to decide these weighty questions. mander to decide these weighty questions.
We should await their decision, rather than contribute to the public hysteria and anxiety by expounding premature arm-

CIVILIAN DEFENSE GAINS SPEED

Chariotte. Tet, the concrete and steel is to come. Not soon, perhaps, but within a few years. Funds for such construction are embodied in a \$1,000,000 bill for building shelters and otherwise mobilising the nation's dvil defense presented in Congress Monday. The Federal Government has been asked to match-doilar for dollar-the expenditures of state and city governments in civilian defense.

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ROBABLY not until men are at work on concrete and sited by air. On concrete and sited between the concrete and sited between the concrete and sited is to come. Yet, the concrete and sited is to come. Soon, perhaps, but within a few years. The Mayor Shaw recognizes the mecesson, perhaps, but within a few years. The Mayor Shaw recognizes the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, it was the complex problems of civil defense and state of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the magnitude of the civic fields, is aware of the

USEFUL COMMUNITY SERVICE

WHEN we stop to sum up all the contributions to the welfare of the community made by the Salvation Army we are surprised at the scope of the organization's program. It includes everything from providing a pine-pong table for underprivileged boys to the spiritual re-habilitation of unwed mothers. The Army's activities spread far beyond the playing of recorded carols on street corners at Christmas time.

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Christmas time. Served Charlotte well in Tarol as a spiritual routheshooter. Broken nens and women have been mefided by the Salvation Army, children have been helped to better lives. Now there is a new Salvation Army service in the city—the Salvation Army service in the city—the Marko's Social Service Center.

Balvation Army service in the city—the Mem's Social Service Center. The Center, which will be Sunday by Lt. Commissioner Albert E. Checham of Atlanta, is located in the old Central Baptist Church structure on Cen-tral Ave. and will house approximately 40

The Center will serve not as a home for transients, but as a center for the rehabilitation of men in need of help. Wisely, the Salvation Army will use a therapy that has proved effective over the years: work. They will help spiritually disorganized men find proved effective over the years.

will help spiritually disorganized men find
themselves again by helping them to be-

come productive.

The form of production is particularly appropriate. The Army will attempt to reclaim the men for society by using them to reclaim the men for society by using them to reclaim the waste material of the city. The men will collect scrap paper, magnatines and other material that might be sold. They will also repair broken household items, donated to the Army, for sale in the Center's. Thrift Stores. The Social Service program has proved successful all over the country; we are confident it will meet with equal success here.

From The Washington Star

MR. TRUMAN'S HELPERS

THERE are those who think that the analysis, he will have to make them to advice from the Benate in a time of great national crisis like the present. 80, for whatever they may be worth, The Starhas culled from the news columns the tollowing offerings of Benatorial opinion:

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has culled from the news columns the following offerings of Senatorial opinion:
Senator Connally, who is too old a hand to venture out on limbs that may be awad off, thinks that the Security Council should be called upon to take appropriate action to bring about a quick showdown in Korca. Senator O'Mahoney would serve the Russians with an ultimatum to get the Chinese troops out of Korca.
Senators Brewster and Bridges believe that General MacArthur hould be given full authority to use the atom, bomb if he thinks it is necessary. Senator Cain says the Senate should demand that General MacArthur be given authority to send troops (he didn't say what troops) and planes across the Manchurian border. Senator Freguson urges that the United Nations give General MacArthur authority to wage all-out war, and Senator Smith believes Chinag Kai-shek's troops should be thrown into the fight.

The chances are that the President will

rown into the fight.

The chances are that the Fresident will it find these suggestions very helpful. It ight be simpler for him, though the relit would be somewhat chaotic, if he could opt all of them and then wash his hands the whole business. But as President, he note escape responsibility for the consecuce of his judgments. The fate of the rilled world may well hang on the undress of the decisions which Harry uman will have to make, and, in the last

It is gratifying to learn from an authority on physics at Birmingham University that "it would take about 20,000 years" of intensive atom-bombing to destroy the whole surface of the globe. It hardly seems worth the effort, does it?—Munchester Guardien.

Pipe-smokers of our acquaintance for the most part stay out of prison because they can't hold a pipe in one hand, strike a match with the other and wield a knife or fire a pistol.—Greensboro Daily News.

The estate of a tobacco farmer of Pitt County has been estimated at \$1,750,000. That represents a lot of allotments.—Greensboro Daily News.

Turning an objective over to a committee sometimes works and sometimes doesn't. J. B. Hughes, resident of Dublin, expressed the danger secently when he declared if Moses had been a committee the Israelities would still be in Egypt.—Joplin (Mo.) Globe.

A man has a perfect right to sleep in a hammock, under a tree, and any person who rouses him from sleep is a sinner of the dirtiest type.—Banks County (Ga.) Journal.

Peace Hopes Slim Indeed In Far East

By MARQUIS CHILDS

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be expected so one a common must China was outside the U.N. This is indeed a faint ray of the common common

British had confided in Nehru as moses previously referred to London.

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asking where General MacArts and editing when and how
the Wastern World should declare war on China.

Reason for the alarm was not only the tragically precarious position of UN troops
are public didn's—camely,
that on three specific occasions, the Sritish made proposis
for avoiding a clash with China.

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forces on the SSR Parallel.

2. When this was overruled, the British proposed that MacArthur halt his army about 40 miles away from the Manchurian border. This proposal was laid before MacArthur at Wate Island and supposedly accepted.

3. The British proposed that no move be made to bomb Chinese-bases inside Manchuria.

MacArthur's opposition to these proposals is why Prime Minister Atther faced the revolt of about 100 Labor members of Parliament.

OFFICIALS admit that General MacArthur at times over-posed that the control of the control of the control of the General Control of the Cont

'This Would Be A Perfect Time For You Guys To Shut Up'



People's Platform

Memories Of Early Autos

Editors, The News:

I HAVE written the following letter to Mr. Camond
Barringer of Charlotte:

The excellent picture of one of your early autos, published on the front page of The Charlotte News on Nov. 30, brought back special vivid memories to

I was working during that period in the manu-ture of your car, and very likely did my bit on

Most with the country as compared with the modern methods employed now.

Most of my work was on the small, single-seat runsbout with the steering lever, and I remember during a noon period (I suppose) suching a driving seat with many alongside the factory building down to the river wharf. All of this was quite some time before General Motors book it would be supposed to the property of the polymer of the property of the polymer of the po

How well I remember one of the chief engineers, whose name I forget, coming daily down the one-story factory from with his round, flat toped-leatner cap which was a base much to our respect.

At bed time at my rooming flower I would it aware and imagine, not that I owned one of these wonderful miracles, but that I awarding in one in those days anticipation was as great a piesaure as realisation turned out of the sealisation turned turned

realization turned out to be.

Those careless ragtime days, when the world seemed a hundred times larger and not far from home, are gone. There was mystery and adventure, and one of your chief worries was that you might have to hire a horse to tow you home.

—E. F. LUMBER.

The Democracy Of Truth CHARLOTTE

Editors. The News:

In this year of 1900 and 1951 the American people are in dire need of learning the Democracy of Truth. We are at live need of learning the Democracy of Truth. We are at live down the control of the Strong forces are ultimity at work undermining the faith and morale of a nation, morking the retuct of our Christianity. False their and false propagations of the state of the propagation of the state of

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We, as Americans are freedom-loving people, living, not just existing in a free land douby blessed
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NEWTON the truth and what God expects of a man, as an individual, that any leating peace will ever be established.

The Democracy of Truth is our heritage, fought for on land, sea and air; won and paid for by the valor of America's young manhood. They fought for freedom, for truth and it is our duty to work constantly to bring about lasting peace, in payment for their sacrifices.

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The dictionary gives the definition for truth as "Agreement with resulty, the esternal principle of right of the natural law of certer, individually, converted to the state of the control of the control of the control of the containty seeing guidance in passes, a lasting peace is found there Americans have only to followful esternal principles of the containty seeing guidance in passes, and the containty seeing guidance in passes, and the containty seeing guidance in passes, and the containty seeing guidance in the containty seeing the containty seeing guidance in the containty seeing the containty seeing to all the Development of the containty seeing to all the Development of lasting PACLE—mon. Section 18 of the containty of the containt

-NELLIE B. MULLIS.

Prayers Needed

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Editors, THE NEWS: Editors. The News:

WAS much impressed with a sermon on the radio

Sunday by Billy Graham, who is a wongerful
man called by God to try to get souls aware and
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on their kness and bee God to end this war, and
if they would him for Him. we would have peare
Until they do, our bors will go over there and be
killed 1 gray that America will come to God and
long for peace.

—MRS. MAYME BARGER.

Note Of Appreciation

Editors, The News:

WISH to thank you for the editorial and for the space you gave to the charter of the Inter-American designed by the property of the Control of the Cont

Stuff And Nonsense

Editors. The News:

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DISASTER'S AFTERMATH

loss of all Asia.

To prevent these future horrors, stern action against China is observed to the construction of the control of perit, which is Europe.

Third, the revealed discrepancies in Soviet and Western timetables are now down

Bradley Gave MacArthur Full Authority

Bradley usually concluded that the commander in the field should be permitted to make the final decision "General MacArthur Knoss the Bushes better than do over here." Trusten, not the forceful military strate-gist Rooserelt was, invariably gave his Oct.

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HOWEVER, Bradley, an honest man as well as a great
soldier, ddin't attempt to cover up musiakes in Korea
when he conferred at the Wille House with the Fresident,
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friends of MacArthur at the meeting didn't open their mouths to defend him.

As the meeting prose up, OOP Rep. Dewey Short of Masson for the first of the control of the first of the first of the first of the control of the Senate Armod Services Committee, also objected to dropping the bomb in Rores or China, sastring it would not only the control of the control of

Attlee Washes Dishes

THE Right Honorable Clement Attlee, now Prime Minister of Britain, once served a brief term as dishwasher in the U.S.A.

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lier.

At this the Deputy Prime Minister of England went into the kitchen, put on an apron, and, while the Colliers wiped, Attlee washed the dishes.