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NEW USE OF THE SMEAR

THE OTHER DAY Stewart Auld told the story of a businessman who had been given a lecture by the Defense Reliance Committee...

For saying so, he will probably be numbered by Mr. Eric Johnston, the Economic Stabilization Administrator, among those who are dumb, greedy and ungrateful...

This is a new use of the smear technique. Its purpose being to mock the business executive who takes an emergency job and to destroy public confidence in him...

A HISTORICAL PARALLEL

AN interesting sidelight on the pending Korean cease-fire negotiations, Editorial Research Reports points out that we have to go back 46 years, to the end of the Russo-Japanese War...

In that war, Japan racked up a long series of military victories, but found its economic and financial resources being drained away...

Neither Russia nor Japan wanted to resume hostilities—a situation that apparently exists in Korea today...

DR. GRAHAM VS. MR. NEHRU

STATE DEPARTMENT officials have privately described as "hopeless" Dr. Frank Graham's mission to mediate the Kashmir dispute...

"Where will Dr. Graham begin? His task is as hard as it can be..." It is a dispute for which Graham to try his hand...

The doughy little Tar-Heel, however, is not worrying too much about the size of the job handed him by the United Nations...

FREEDOM OF (JUNGLE) PHOTOGRAPHY

OUR weekly expression of sympathy goes out to Mr. Denver M. Wright of Ladue, Mo. Mr. Wright is a big-game hunter and leather goods manufacturer...

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Mr. Wright turned his precious film over to a Missouri firm for processing. That firm, in turn, sent it to Eastman Kodak Co. of Chicago...

ALL SEVENTH SONS ARE HEREBY URGED

THOSE of you gentle readers who are past masters of the art of writing sharp communications to the editor may be pleased to know that you relate the story of no less an artist than P. G. Wodehouse...

In advising others how to overcome the difficulty which besets him, however, Mr. Wodehouse reveals himself to be a product of the British or bird-watching school of letters...

Military Men Remain Alert To New Korean Pearl Harbor

By MARQUIS CHILDS

IN THE FACE of the wave of "hope that has gone round the world as a result of the Korean truce proposals, military men are inclined to interpose a note of caution...

The existence of a big buildup in the Far East is a fact. It is the new airfields in Manchuria which are announced by Secretary for Air Thomas K. Finletter...

Both at the same time a buildup is to be expected to have taken place in heavy armament supplies by Russia to Communist ground forces under training at Manchuria and North Korea...

Why the buildup? The question being asked both in Tokyo and Washington is why the Soviet Union should be supplying the newest type of weapons...

There is one answer that may reflect more than the deep suspicion from the West of Communists who ignore all rules of conduct. Cease-fire negotiations began July 12 or 13...

At a prearranged signal a great new Communist offensive could be launched, powered with the weapons supplied secretly by Moscow...

Urbanites Take A Beating In The Wide Open Spaces

By ROBERT C. RUARK

A KIND of madness once again is afflicting city-dwellers as a result of a couple of days' freedom from the office. It is a madness that scourges them into the country...

I guess they become addicted by the air, so free from soil and gas fumes that it inflames the brain and knocks the inhibitions away...

General man with fat stomachs and vestigial hair, guys who are too lazy to pinch the secretary, suddenly blossom in shorts, their stomachs protruding over their belts...

INJURY INVENTORY I have just taken inventory on the man I know best, of whom my mother once remarked that he was born lazy and then had a relapse...

Yet I find the following remarks on my carcass: One bright blue-and-yellow brace the size of a small plate, on right thigh—result of being kicked by horse over the head...

Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round PRESIDENT TRUMAN was skeptical when he first heard of a truce in Korea. He was walking across a mine field...

NO announcement was made to the press, but Iowa's Democratic Sen. Guy Gillette angrily resigned as chairman of the Senate Elections Committee last week in a flare-up over the Maryland election...

Monrocy of Oklahoma and Tom Hennings of Missouri, Democrats; with Margaret Chase Smith of Maine and Robert Hendrickson of New Jersey, Republicans...

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'He Put Up A Tough Fight But I Got Him Under Control'

By BILL SHARPE



Collected by Bill Sharpe

TURPENTINE DRIPPINGS

Quiet Cussing, Please (Mrs. Thea Davis, Zebulon Herald) The handbook of a denominational college states a rule of conduct required of students: "There shall be no loud or boisterous swearing at or around the college, or at any of the games, or at any public occasion..."

Double Ed (Roy Thompson, Winston-Salem Journal) A girl named Jan who lives in Kenan Dormitory has two boyfriends named Ed. Her best friend calls her "Jan, the Two-Eds girl. Jan sticks to one Ed, and she says that two Eds are better than one."

Time's A-Wasting (James P. Bailey, Spring Hope Enterprise) We have gone from Spring Hope toward conquering childhood ailments, thus permitting people to get into old age sooner...

Death In The Dark (Raleigh Spotlight) The worst time for injuries was two hours earlier—from 4 to 5 P. M. Fifty-seven per cent of last year's fatal accidents occurred during hours of darkness...

Supreme Sacrifice (Black Mountain News) The greatest manifestation of mother's love that we think we have ever seen is that of mothers of nearly all large families of limited means always eat at the back of the chicken, or "the last piece that crosses the fence..."

Manly Probe Hushed SIGNIFICANTLY, however, Senators Smith of Maine and Hennings kept quiet. They offered no objections to Gillette's resigning.

With a final roar, he announced that he was submitting his resignation as chairman of the elections committee. Nebraska's GOP Sen. Ken Wherry urged him to reconsider...

He pointed out that the House had blocked an attempt to fire Robert T. Murphy, a Washington attorney, and Robert Hendrickson of New Jersey, Republican. The latter's friend and the former counsel, Ed McDermott, who was no longer on the payroll but spent his time flying around his law practice in Iowa and the committee in Washington.

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