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THIS GENERAL WASN'T SO HAPPY



Maj. Gen. Harry Vaughan (left), President Truman's military aide, greets the Chief Executive in Washington upon his return from Missouri. In the center is Brig. Gen. Cornelius J. Mara, a White House aide. (UP Telephoto).

## One MIG Is Shot Down Korean Air Fighting Resumes

By ROBERT B. TUCKMAN  
SEATTLE (AP)—American Sabres and Communist MIGs clashed today in four air battles deep in Northwest Korea. The Fifth Air Force said its aircraft shot down one MIG and damaged four. In addition, seven more damage claims were pending checks of camera film. The jet battles were the first since August. The first sign of air fighting came as ground battles along the 38th

## Top Stevenson Backers Talking Of 1956 Draft

By DON WHITFIELD  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., (AP)—Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson's presidential backers were talking of another draft Stevenson movement for 1956. Out of the wreckage of a Democratic defeat has grown a strong feeling that Stevenson—as titular head of the Democratic Party—will be the top challenger against the Republicans in another four years. The Illinois governor remained silent on his future plans so far as the party leadership was concerned. But those around him did not consider his defeat Tuesday by Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as the finish of his political career. Stevenson was expected to make the party in the months ahead and expected an effort to be made to reorganize and re-build the organization from the bottom up. FUTURE DISCUSSED  
Wilson Wyatt, Stevenson's presidential campaign manager, told reporters yesterday that he and others in the governor's headquarters had discussed the future with Stevenson and he seemed to be "in the air."

## French Writer Awarded Prize

STOCKHOLM (AP)—The Royal Swedish Academy today awarded the 1952 Nobel Prize for literature to French novelist Francois Mauriac, a leading contemporary Catholic author. Mauriac, 67, and internationally known for such novels as "The Desert of Love" and "Vipers Tangle," also is a poet, playwright, and dramatist. He was the French winner from among more than 40 candidates, including British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, Italian philosopher Benedetto Croce and French novelist Albert Camus. The last American to win the literature award was William Faulkner, in 1950. Last year's prize went to Swedish author Per Lagerkvist.

## OUR WEATHER

Fair weather, mild this afternoon, slightly cooler tonight and tomorrow. Rather windy, dry drizzle, winds from the southwest today, from the west tomorrow, 15 to 25 miles per hour. High temperature, 55 degrees. High temperatures expected today, 55 to 60 degrees. Low temperature this morning, 45 degrees. Low temperatures expected tonight, 38 to 45 degrees. Next Weather Data on Page 18A

# Writation to Meeting

## Republican Control Of Congress Shaky

By RUSSELL BRINES and JOE HALL  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Congress has returned to Republican control by a margin so thin that President-elect Dwight D. Eisenhower probably will depend upon bipartisan support to put through many of his policies. This support, many believe, he is likely to get. While the general was winning with a landslide vote Tuesday, his

## 8 House Races, 2 Governorships Still In Doubt

By MARION BURSON  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Eight congressional contests remained undecided today of the 43 seats at stake in Tuesday's election. The outcome of two governorship races in Michigan and Montana—also was in doubt. Complete Senate returns gave the Republicans 47 seats and the Democrats 47. Sen. Wayne Morse of Oregon, who resigned from the Republican party to support Gov. Stevenson, was listed as an independent with possibly a decisive vote. The Democrats held a 48-47 edge in the 82nd Congress. In the last Republican-controlled Congress of 1947, the GOP had a 31-45 advantage in the Senate.

## Sabath Dies After 45 Years Service

By REP. SABATH  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Adolph J. Sabath, one-time poor immigrant boy who rose to serve 45 unbroken years in Congress—more than any other man in history—died early today. The 86-year-old Democratic dean of the House, known as the congressman with a golden heart, who has just been elected Tuesday in his 24th straight term from a district in the heart of Chicago. He has 45 years of service with Uncle Joe Cannon, an Illinois Republican who was House Speaker in the early years of this century, had 46 years in Congress with two breaks in service. Sabath had served under eight

## D&S Railway Changes Hands

Controlling interest in the Durham & Southern Railway was purchased by a new group of investors, including Nello L. Teer Co., both of Durham. The announcement was made this afternoon at the offices here of W. I. Rankin, president. He also is president of Piedmont & North Carolina, which is the Duke interest with headquarters here. Mr. Rankin's brief announcement said management of the D&S Railway will continue without change. He added that the purchasers acquired the railway's stock "as an investment." The number of shares of stock in the amount of money involved were not disclosed. The D&S operates 60 miles of railroad between Durham and Dunn. This line connects at Durham with the Seaboard Air Line, Southern, and Norfolk & Western systems; at Dunn with the Atlantic Coast Line, at Apex with the Seaboard; and at Varina, with the Norfolk Southern.

## MAN'S DEATH REVEALS HE LED 'DOUBLE LIFE'

TROY, N. Y., (AP)—The death of a 31-year-old truck driver has unfolded the tale of his two wives, four children by each wife, and two homes 40 miles apart. Eugene Wood's seven years of double life were revealed when Mrs. Anna Wood of Saugerties and Mrs. Jean Wood of Schaghticoke tangled over certain rights in a plot of land in Dutchess County. Mrs. Anna's attorney, Max Goldstein of Albany, said that until then neither wife knew about the other. He drove for a suburban trucking company, which ships produce to New York City and New Jersey. On trips, he carried with the wife and four children in Saugerties, about 45 miles south of here. Otherwise he was at home with his family in Schaghticoke, about 15 miles north of Troy. Goldstein said Wood married Anna in 1941. Jean in 1945. Anna has four children, one to 10 years old, and Jean has four. The county surrogate has issued letters of administration in Wood's estate to Jean, who intended to file a negligence suit in connection with his death. Anna, seeking similar letters, asked to have Jean's revoked.

## With Dixie Democrat Help Congress Friendly To Eisenhower Seen

general who turned politician only—sometimes reluctantly—by Congress. He will find strong support from both Southern Democrats and the Republicans in the controlling coalition for additional emphasis on the growing bureaucracy, Korea, and for cutting down on the size of the domestic industry. It is on domestic issues, outside of his announced intention to act in an executive capacity to clean up communism and corruption in Washington, that Eisenhower will find his greatest test in Congress. Perhaps the general's program that scores was best spelled out when he met with Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio in New York in September. Taft said that he couldn't agree with all of Eisenhower's foreign policy views, but insisted that the differences were only on details. "That feeling was intensified by the President-elect's agreement to send a representative to sit in with President Truman's experts in the drafting of the budget to be submitted to Congress in January. This budget will have a great deal to do with any possible reduction in taxes. Taft, who will be the actual if not nominal leader of the Republicans in the Senate, has said the budget must be cut from \$100 billion to \$90 billion. Yesterday Taft said in Cincinnati. See CONGRESS on page 18A.

## Pigs Cause Firing On Turk-Bulgarian Line

ISTANBUL, Turkey (AP)—An official statement today said a 20-minute exchange of fire between Turkish and Bulgarian soldiers on the frontier Tuesday was set off by a pig. The statement said Turkish troops opened fire on the Bulgarian frontier when they heard shouting "moises" in the morning the soldiers found the dead pig. The statement also explained, some Turkish papers had called for reinforcing of border posts and retaliatory measures.

## Russian War Hero To Receive Parade

MOSCOW (AP)—Marshal Semyon M. Timoshenko, hero of World War II, will be named commander of tomorrow's parade in Red Square in observance of the anniversary of the Bolshevik revolution. Commander of the parade will be Gen. Artyom Yefremov, chief of the city garrison and commander of the armies of the Moscow Military District.

## Polish Leader Sees Hope In Ike Victory

LONDON—(AP)—Lt. Gen. Wladyslaw Hertzog, Polish ambassador here, said today the general's election would be a great victory for the Polish cause. Hertzog said today the general's election would be a great victory for the Polish cause. Hertzog said today the general's election would be a great victory for the Polish cause.

## Harriman To Leave Capital After Jan. 20

WASHINGTON—(AP)—W. Averell Harriman, assistant secretary of state, said today he plans to return to his New York home when the administration takes over on Jan. 20. Harriman talked with reporters at the White House after a 25-minute news conference with President Truman. He said his visit with Truman was a strictly business conference.