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THE VINDICATION OF DEAN ACHESON

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as U. S. troops staggered back from the Manchurian border late in 1890. Ours soldiers
are diging because of Acheson," said Senstor Hickenbooper. "I don't want any agreement he will negotiate," said Senator Taft.
House Republicans, drowning out the lone
voice of Rep. James Wadsworth of New
York, cried for his simissal. Even the Alsop
brothers, usually stanch friends of Mr. Acheson, said that his "repid retirement" is "the
only cure in sight."

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The turning point in the vindication of Dean Achesion probably occurred during the MacArthur hearing. Time, whose sister Luce publication. Life, had demanded Acheson?

"There was a cause to be made against the Administrations For Eastern policy, but its Republican critics failed weedfully to make it... It was a case that needed documentation to make its charges stick. For from producing such evidence, the Republican criter size when the result of the reducing such evidence, the Republican criter of countries of the reduced to questions prefaced by such

Held."
Then came the Japanese treaty conference at San Francisco, and the public saw the Secretary in action on TV. He "gaveled down" the Russians. Autograph bunters cought him out. He almost became a public here, not for the years of patient work, planning and direction he had given his bigh, planning and direction he and given his bigh and the public had received a brief glimpse of the external manifestations of that policy. He had met

received a brief gimpse of the external manifestations of that policy. He had met the Russians head-on and won. The state of the Russians head-on and won. The state of the Russians head on the brief and belated scalaim. Perhaps therein lies the reason for much of the opposition which his policies have met. Were he, their most able spokesman, to present them repeatedly via our vast communications media, particularly TV, they would be better understood. But it is not in the nature of the man to do this. Thus the acceptance of his doctries have been made infinitely have put had been alled the state of the state

VARIATION ON AN OLD THEME

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Carolina, relatively free of such tactics, for-mer Sen. Frank Graham suffered heavily in a 1950 campaign that sank to uncommonly

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TURN INDICATORS A BIG HELP The equipment is optional in the U. S. The more thoughtful driver pays the small extra charge as insurance against having his car smashed up on a turn. But millions of American vehicles lack the indicators, and

BY ONE relatively simple legal requirement, most of the European countries have made driving much safer than it is in the United States. In Italy, in France, and in Great Britáin, to name but three, every motor vehicle must have an electric or mechanical turn indicator—and the driver must use it.

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The equipment varies. Some cars have the
U. S. system of flashing lights. Some have
little mechanical arms that pop out of the
sides of the cars and glow at night. Some
trucks and busses have bigger arms that
swing out on either side to notify drivers in
front and behind that the vehicle is preparing to turn and to indicate the direction of
the turn.

MAY IN MECKLENBURG

THE countryman, and his unfortinate fellow who inhabits the city but leaves it occasionally for the open road, find May in Mecklenburg a delightful experience. The first burst of Spring has given way to the bustle of the growing season. Trees and plants, having thirstily drunk in the rains, seementhy imman.

cholastic confinement.

But this impatience is not found among hose who have seen many Summers come and go. To the adult, walking along the paths

proper hand signal.

U. S. state laws generally require good brakes and good lights, and some states go farther and enferce mechanical inspection laws. It would be just one small stap, but a rather important one, to said turn indicators to the list of required equipment. The man who proposes such a law at the 1030 General Assembly can count on the support of many thoughtful Tar Heel motorists.

honeysuckle, the heat of July and August seem far away indeed, the affairs of home and business not at all urgent. May in Mechineur all urgent. May in Mechineur all urgent have a supported to the support of the suppo

From The Christian Science Monitor

'MR. TRUMAN'S WAR'

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has taken to uphold the hands of the United Nations and the free peoples of the world, he should have the overwhelm-ing support of all Americans, regardless of their partisan affiliations.



Another Tito?

Czechs Veer Away From Stalinism

By JOSEPH & STEWART ALSOP

FOR the first time in some years of weary waiting,
the experts are weighing the possibility that a major satellite regime in not absolutely under
the Kremlin's thumb. The regime is that of President Klement Gottwald of Crochoslowskia.

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All this is very far from conclusive, of couras

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Young Republicans Concerned Over Party's Deepening Rift

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Give A Man Smorgasbord-Don't Encase The Sardine

By ERIC SEVAREID ON CES.
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Eight Justices Okayed Seizure In Past Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round

A CARFUL check of previous decisions by individual combors of the Supreme Court shows that if they follow their own precedents they will vote with the Government in favor of seiting the steel industry.

If, however, they live up to the words of the famed "Mr. Dooley" and "follow the election returns", they will probably find against the Government.

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of the steel mills. Federal troops actually entered the
mail-order house and bodily carried out Sewell Avery, bead
of the company.

was among the top Roosevelt advisers who rec-seizing the company.

a strike, since he already had the power.

"I might point out," Justice Clark wrote, "that the inherent power of the President to deal with emergencies that affect the health, safety and welfare of the entire nation is exceedingly sears."

North American Case

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