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THESE PRINCIPLES HOLD GOD IN 1952

WHEN, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bonds which have connected them with another...

LOUISIANA 'PURCHASE'—1952 STYLE

WHEN Thomas Jefferson purchased the Louisiana Territory in 1803, he paid France \$11,250,000 for it. Bob Taft Louisiana yesterday in such a way that one can only guess what honoraria he has promised...

A QUESTION

THIS week, North Carolina's senior Senator, Clyde R. Hoey, tossed into the legislative hopper a bill that he said would curtail the activities of influence peddlers...

MCCARRAN'S WONDROUS MAGIC

NOW that Senator Pat McCarran's internal security subcommittee has recommended perjury charges against Prof. Owen Eastmore, shall we leave it to a Federal grand jury to indict him and a trial jury to convict him...

Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round

ONE year ago today, Americans in two widely separated parts of the U. S. showed a shocking lack of knowledge—even fear—of the Declaration of Independence...



Report On Europe

By HATTIE MAY PAVLO
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Quote, Unquote Some Deserve It

That San Antonio pedestrian who faces charges of hit-and-run damage a motorist claims was inflicted on his automobile may have done more than he'll get a lot of sympathy from some quarters...

Declaration Needs Wider Understanding

WASHINGTON
The American people are not only ignorant of the Declaration of Independence, they are also ignorant of its meaning...

1776 Army Vs. 1952 Army

THE Continental Army which opposed the well-equipped British and Hessians 178 years ago was a bobbled army, one million copies of Jefferson's stirring words, signed in Philadelphia July 4, 1776, is a mere drop in the bucket among a population of 150,000,000...

CHICAGO
ing reputation should help to incline doubtful delegates for Taft. The whole machinery of the party, from the national committee down to the local clubs, is in control of the Old Guard, and the Old Guard is so indelibly and inevitably identified with Taft's name in small ways and large; in the rulings of National Chairman Guy E. Bryson's Executive Council and the tickets allotted to Taft and like delegates.

NEW STRATEGY
If a first-ballot nomination is impossible, then a new strategy must be devised. It reports that reliable sources say that is being evolved on lines equally bold. Before the beginning of the second ballot, Coleman will announce that MacArthur has agreed to run as Vice-President with Taft.

Bill Limiting Reserve Duty Too Long Getting On Books
By ROBERT C. RUAKE
NEW YORK
IT WOULD seem that a grateful Senate has just passed a bill that would have cut the number of books before a bill to limit the recall of veterans of the Korean war...

Case of Coleman
You will notice that Mr. Gerry Coleman, the ex-Yankee second baseman, is not playing baseball this season. He is in a plane. Mr. Coleman is in his peak years of his profession, and he has a wife and children to provide for. He is a Coleman a policeman?

FIGHT UNDER WRAPS
There might have been some excuse for the imprisonment of married veterans if the Korean idiosyncrasy had not been a part of the war. They were all-wire President if it had been a massive war instead of a minor one. But Korea has been such a war that it had to be fought under wraps for purely political reasons, with all the usual limitations and restrictions on its prosecution.

Navy And Air Force
THE committee which is addressing its stinging rebuke solely to the Navy, but also took a few swipes at the Air Force and Army.

Self, both few American troops with guns. Furthermore, the Russians with less equipment, less money and less fat, have ten times the fire-power per man as the American Army.

in other words, most of the Red Army is trained for combat. Most of the American Army, on the other hand, is trained to be cooks, carriers, personnel experts, chauffeurs, mechanics, tailors, etc. They are being trained to do what they are not doing. They are being trained to do what they are not doing.

Victory, says the Johnson Committee, "has usually gone to the victor. It is a fact that the American army, military superiority has been measured not by the number of guns but by the destructive power of the guns that can be brought to bear. It is an error to judge our man-made armaments as the basis of our strength. The numerous vast resources have yet to be encompassed in a human form. Against that manpower and those resources we have our superior equipment, our superior organization and our superior productive capacity."