

Panama Puzzle

WASHINGTON
The Panamanian Assembly unanimously voted to reject the agreement recently concluded with the United States...
The Panamanian cheered and marched through the streets in an orgy of rejoicing that lasted for hours...
The Panamanian Assembly will be the smallest in the Americas, only 100 members...

Farmers And The Marshall Plan

A CROSS-SECTION poll of 6,000,000 American farmers, made by Successful Farming magazine, reveals that 83 per cent had never even heard of the Marshall Plan...
This report has agitated some of our editorial brethren, who see it as evidence that an alarming number of Americans aren't reading their newspapers or listening to their radios...
We don't join the alarmists who jump to the conclusion that the masses' poll indicates the American people are suffering from a bad case of mental inertia...

drives a tractor or runs a deak has little time or inclination left for anything except his personal affairs around the house...
Certainly his is in no condition to engage in extensive research or to do much vigorous thinking on complex issues...
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Red Desperation In Greece

RENEWAL of the Communist guerrilla attack in Northern Greece may be viewed as a sign of Red desperation and decline rather than as a step to further Communist expansion in the Mediterranean...
It is difficult to believe that the Communists seriously expect the revolt to succeed...
America, through the Truman Doctrine, already has made it clear that she cannot tolerate a Greece ruled by the Communists...

territory they control. If they are able to consolidate their positions, it is expected that Russia's satellite nations bordering Greece - Albania, Yugoslavia, Bulgaria - will recognize the Greek Communist state and extend the rebels more military and economic assistance...
The explosive possibilities in this situation are both obvious and large...
The Greek Communist state is being expected to take appropriate measures if there are any signs that the Athens Government cannot sustain itself against the Communists...

Marshall Makes News

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WASHINGTON
GEORGE C. MARSHALL, U. S. Secretary of State, was voted top newsmaker of 1947 and outstanding in foreign affairs by editors of Associated Press newspapers...
The wartime Army chief of staff flew home in January from China, where he had been ambassador, to find the Senate unanimously had approved his appointment as head of the State Department...
Marshall was sworn in Jan. 21 and moved quickly to reorganize the department and transfer its principal offices into another building...
In a talk at Harvard University June 5, Mr. Marshall gave the first aid-to-Europe program which came to be known as the Marshall Plan...
Nov. 11, he started for London and the second round of the Foreign Ministers' Conference.

ing man in labor. More than twice as many editors who him as voted for John L. Lewis...
The program was designed to eliminate Communist elements from the union...
The treaty could have been ignored...
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Republican Lesson On Tariffs

FURTHER evidence that the Republican leadership is out of step with the great body of Americans, including a majority of its own party, is provided in a current discussion of the tariff issue...
The tariff will hold major attention next year when Congress is asked to renew the Reciprocal Trade Agreement Act...
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SEN. ROBERT A. TAFT was the overwhelming favorite as editor of the outstanding political figure of 1947...
His influence was vital in the handling of all important legislation...
This law had personal repercussions for Taft when labor passed outside almost all the meetings at which he spoke...
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literature. Andre Gide French Nobel prize winner, principally as a writer...
Gide, known as a stylist, has had a profound influence on current literature...
Men are more often victims of accidents than madmen...
If things get much tougher most housewives will soon be using the leftovers from leftovers...
Roanoke Times.

James Marlow Congressional Mail

WASHINGTON
Writing to a congressman is a waste of time...
If you address him at the House office building, he'll get the letter...
If you write to your congressman asking something that concerns only your district, you don't have to enclose postage...
He can answer you without any cost to himself...
This means that, when sending out a letter across the street from the Capitol, he can send it free of charge.

From The Asheville Citizen

First Dog
THE White House has a dog, a cocker spaniel, name of Feller. This is not so remarkable in itself...
As for Feller, now Constitutionally the nation's First Dog, it is to be hoped that he fares well...
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Many a man starts out to show his wife who is boss—and soon finds out—Columbia Record.

Also, and alas, Feller is a mild-term dog. That is to say, he will not grow to middle age on Pennsylvania Avenue...
White Doghouse is subject to cancellation, with notice to vacate by January 20...
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Tension Grows In Ruins

German People Growing More To Americans
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By BARRY BINGHAM
RAIN on the ruins is still the outstanding symbol of Germany...
The military Government side, 70 per cent of the population are new civilians and the per cent still represent a declining ratio...
New Job To America
THIS is a job America has never attempted before...
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The purely military picture has sharpened and improved

quite enough to buy a single cigarette on the Black Market...
No One Actually Starves
YET continued food is in everybody's reach...
The German mind refuses to view these matters in any proper perspective...
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