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aticism Reaps Harvest Of Tragedy

IMPOSSIBLE to explain—or to understand—the wild, frenzied fanaticism of the Puerto Rican nationalists...

political freedom as an independent state. The great majority of Puerto Ricans prefer their current dominion status...

There is, however, a small, rabid group, with representatives on the Caribbean island and in the United States...

The shooting of five U. S. congressmen yesterday was an insane and vicious act, doubly diabolical because it was designed to spread the impression...

Back To A Two-Party System

THE CONVERSION of Jesse W. Page Jr. from an Eisenhower Democrat to a full-throated Republican...

than to muddle the two-party system upon which our government is based...

County Tax Office In Good Order

THESE were many reassuring statements in the report on the county tax department by Commissioners Sam McNeill and John P. White.

ably knows more about tax listings and appraisals than anyone in the county.

Alternative To "Senility" System

THE congressional seniority system of determining committee chairmen has been called, frequently with propriety, the "senility" system.

perhaps committee chairmen could be chosen by the majority caucus from among the two or three majority members...

Similarity, since the Republicans took over, the elevation to committee chairmanships of Sen. J. William McCarthy...

If Junior, now to be trained in school to help father with his income tax, comes up with answers similar to those the old man arrives at when helping him with his home work...

Ship Of State's Captain Was Somewhere Else

WASHINGTON THE GREATEST political decisions of the Eisenhower administration are quite literally being made behind President Eisenhower's back.

The final proof of this curious state of affairs was given by the events of the last week. From start to finish of the McCarthy-Stevens imbroglio...

helped to arrange this meeting, with the conscious purpose of procuring Stevens' surrender to McCarthy. But again, the President's first knowledge of Stevens' surrender at the luncheon table came from the press tickers.



Federal Ownership Increases

WASHINGTON IN MOST states, 1953 marked a decline in construction of new homes and apartments...

Public housing federally owned is divided into low-rent housing for low-income families, war housing, public housing for defense purposes, and veterans "re-use" housing.

N. C. Home Construction Drops

WASHINGTON IN North Carolina federal ownership of public housing totaled 12,529 units in 1953.

Its provisions relating to federal housing programs active in 1954.

Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round

WASHINGTON MRS. Robert Stevens, charming wife of the much-beloved secretary of the Senate, was talking to a group of ladies at a social function just a few days before Sen. McCarthy put him on the spot.

Problem No. 1 is that of getting good men to serve in government. Because of low salaries this has always been difficult.

U. S. Isolation

Meanwhile, his tangle with McCarthy spotlighted important problems of government which have become increasingly difficult during the Eisenhower administration.

People's Platform

Community Needs Technical School

YOU are to be commended for your leading editorial on your issue of Friday, Feb. 26, with the outline showing the location of the state supported colleges...

He has taken over the reactionary wing of the Republican Party. Since then, later President must take a stand between the McCarthy and the decent elements of his party.

The News Helped Freedom Crusade

THE success of any campaign, either to raise money or for another purpose, depends on community papers for getting the information before the public.

After President Truman had split the Democratic Party "wide open" on his civil rights demands...

McCarthy Enters Brownell Undoing

ADVERSE ruling by the Supreme Court on the United States on the race segregation laws in the public schools...

Mr. Brownell, by this act, has put the Republicans far on record as opposing social segregation—thus Mr. Brownell, a Republican, argued before the Supreme Court to overrule segregation in his schools.

Intolerance, Isolations Increase

Problem No. 2 is toward intolerance and dissension.

Today, the Winros have come out of their holes again and are spreading the same kind of poison...

Religious Bitterness

Fifteen years ago, the American people were plagued with such breeders of dissension as General Winrod, Fritz Kaber, William Dudley Peley, and others who spread hate and poison among their fellow citizens.

Anti-Semitism In Boston, the Senate juvenile delinquency committee has just written a report showing how religious prejudice has flared so bitterly that a rabbi, Jacob I. Zuber, was murdered by boys of another religious faith...

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