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## Words Alone Won't Curb McCarthy

A LTHOUGH they appeared on different platforms, three top Republican Party spokesmen put on the equivalent of a well-timed puppet show Sunday. At Lewiston, Maine, Presidential Assistant Sherman Adams told a graduating class at Bates College they should beware of "limelight seekers elbowing their way" across the national scene. He added:
"In all our history, there has been me."

"In all our history, there has been no greater combination of insolence and inequity than the sanctimony of that group who assumed the role of sole judge of how to right a wrong, or who assumed the holy right to use its own means, however fair or foul, to gain its end."

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At New York, Gov. Thomas Dewey told an audience assembled for cornerstone ceremonies at Albert Einstein College of Medicine that the United States is "allowing a miserable television show in Washington to divert the attention ... of the free world from the threats to its very foundation." He continued:

as excussion.

In Washington, Attorney General Herbert Brownell told a graduating class at the American University that "our system of government" connot survive if any person is "allowed to set himself above the laws of the land", or one branch of government is able to "usurp powers of another branch." He added:

"We must ever be vigilant to preserve our liberties from those who owe allegiance to other ideologies and also from those misguided persons whose zeal may lead them into errors no less destructive."

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If any of the three mentioned the name of the man they were talking about, the wire services didn't report if. But there was no doubt that they were carrying on the Eisenhower administration's high-level attack against Sen. Joseph Raymond McCarthy.

We can understand President Eisenhower's reluctance to get into a name-calling contest with the senator, and we have approved of his policy of talking about the broad principles threatmed by McCarthyism instead of about the man. But this indirect fire by lesser officials like-Adams, Dewey and Brownell isn't very effective. If their purpose is to cut McCarthy down to size, they could put their time to better use by persuading the Senate Republican leadership to bring to a tele Sublician leadership to bring to a tele Sublician leadership to bring to a tele Sublician leadership to bring to a telescopic proposed to the state of the state of the subling to give him any committee chairmanship until he answers questions about his personal finances raised in a 1952 investigation.

Watching this puppet-like drama, one almost expects to see a fourth character pop out on the stage saucily chanting: "Slicks and stones may break my bones, but words can never hurt men." If Messrs. Adams, Dewey and Brownell haven't learned anything.

# The Churches Speak Out On Segregation

REPRESENTATIVES of the Southern REPRESENTATIVES of the Southern Baptist Church, convening in St. Louis, overwhelmingly adopted a resolution upholding the Supreme Court's ruling in the school segregation case and declaring that "the public school system shall not be impaired."

The General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church, meeting in Montreat, declared that segregation of races in the life of the church is a sin.

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The three institutions of higher education under the General Assembly's authority were opened to all races. Local
churches were asked to practice no discrimination within their fellowship.

The executive council of the diocese of
North Carolina, which governs the Episcopal Church between conventions, passed
a resolution urging Episcopal members
to accept the Supreme Court decision 'in
the Christian spirit of the brotherhood
of man."

of man."

The Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Church asked church members to cooperate in good spirit with school authorities as they arrange the end of segregation in the public schools, and recommended admission of students of all races to colleges supported by the conference.

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The Unitarian Church of Charlotte reaffirmed its policy of non-segregation.

Thus have various churches responded
to the historic Supreme Court decision.

Cout On Segregation

Some churches had taken similar stands before the decision had been handed down. The Congregational-Christians of North Carolina and Virginia, for example, declared at their biennial session in April that "in the event the Supreme Court rules that segregation in the public schools is unconstitutional, the ruling should be received in good fath and the system of public schools maintained on a non-segregated basis."

Last year Catholic Bishop Vincent S. Waters ordered the merger of white and Negro Catholic Churches in Newton Grove, N. C. He said that segregation was a product of darkness, and "the time had been become been succeeded by the segregation of the segregation was a product of darkness, and "the time had been become because the segregation issue. Church members are finally and rapidly doing what many of their leaders have urged them to do for many years.

A Southern Presbyterian elder summed up the views of many churchmen when he said "the great sin of our church is that we have not!"

It is never too late for leadership to assert itself, Now that the churches are moving into a leadership role, theirs is a great opportunity. For above all else, solution of the problems ahead will require application of Christian principles.

# A Generation Of Young Stoics

THE 10-year-old, having fixed his own breakfast, was half way through the morning paper, i. e., he had finished the comics and was in the process of looking over the front page. The conversation went something like this:

"Daddy, did you know about the air raid yesterday?"

"No."

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No."
Well, they had one, it says here. More
n 40 American cities were wiped out
to over seven million Americans were

killed."
"Golly."
"Baddy, if we lose that many people very often, well be weaker than the Russians."
"You didn't read that story carefully, did you! Wasn't it a 'mock' air raid—a test with everything staged and people just going through the motions to practice for a real air raid."
"Oh. That's different. I thought it was a real raid."
And then he put down the paper and went to let the dog out.
It had all been very casual and matter

put down his cup of coffee and stared off into space.

A generation of youngsters, he reflected, growing up with the atomic and hydrogen bombs, so accustomed to jets streaking overhead that they no longer look up, almost immune from repeated exposures to the flaming and dramatic war scenes in movies and on television and in the magazines, kids who play at zooming off in space where they do battle with ray guns against imaginary monsters from their high-powered rocket ships—kids, in brief, so inured to the alarms of wars and threats of wars that the news of on air raid wiping out 40 cities and killing seven million people makes wirtually no impression.

There were simpler days, when the discovery of a school of kontytheads in the pasture creek or a vein of fools gold along the bank would have brought shouts of elation. Would it ever be like that again?

From The Sherman (Tex.) Democrat

## **GETTING HELP**

"I'M GOING to see if I can get some-body to help me..."

A grown man used the term. A girl used the term. A girl used the term. A distraught widow used the term. All these expressed intentions related to money to meet immediate needs. A man needed somebody to "tal him upto" because he was behind with a payment on his automobile. Meanwhile he had only recently returned from an extended pleasure trip into New Mexico. He had bought new clothes for this venture. He spent money generously. Almost every night he drives out to the roadside drive-in restaurants and frequently treats his friends. He's a hale fellow weil met.

A successful banker and business man not long ago, when a public body was no veil before there were income taxes.—New Orleans Statts.

# Rich Get Tax Cuts While Debt Grows And War Looms Letter should be brief. The writer's name and address must be given, but may be withheld from publication in the discretion of the Editors. The News receives the right to condense.

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Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round FCC Brews Scandal In License Grants

but led to the government-owned dams and REA power system of Roosevelt's days.

Today a similar situation seems to be brewing inside another agency which also controls some of the most priced natural control some of the most priced natural communications. Commission.

Just as there are only a limited number of rivers and damsites which can be harnessed for electric power, so also there are only a limited number of wave lengths in the ether that can be harnessed for television. But the people who get most powerful wave lengths not only make a lot of money but help to control the thought, the political ideas, and the education of the United States.

Hence some of the most powerful lobbics in Washington have been built up

O'NE development that contributed to the overwhelming defeat of the Republican administration was the power of scandals. A Senate investigation of the Federal Power Commission and Diguillity lobbying showorking to gobble up those water and dam sites throughout the nation.

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For instance, only a few weeks after the Eisenhower administration took office, the seven members of the FCC quietly and magnanimously handed out an eight per cent telephone rate increase to the telephone company without even holding hearings. The public had no notice of the action. Consumers had no opportunity to testify. The FCC simply doled out the gravy, almost in secret, then amonumed it.

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Fortunately, also, some of the big TV owners realize that the public reaction to too much monopoly is bound to be government ownership, just as the reaction to the water power sended of Hoover's day was government building electricity. Some TV operators are far-sighted enough to realize that too much monopoly might lead to a system similar to that in England—complete government in that monopoly might lead to a system similar to that in England—complete government control of broadcasting.

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