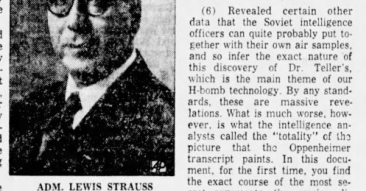




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THE END is not yet. It is the tragic case of Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer. Now that Washington officials have digested the massive transcript released by the Atomic Energy Commission, there is grave and widespread worry about the many breaches of security that the transcript contains.



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(6) Revealed certain other data that the Soviet intelligence officers can probably put together with their own samples, and so infer the exact nature of this discovery. Dr. Teller's argument, the precise character of the H-bomb project really got going, and so gives Soviet analysts the perfect base on which to calculate our H-bomb stockpile.

STRAUSS RESPONSIBLE
 And who, one asks, was responsible for this Operation-Spill-the-Beans? The answer is simple: The man principally responsible was the chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, Adm. Lewis Strauss, the passionate guardian of security who fought and bled to prevent the country being told the truth about its situation by Operation Cards.

In the opinion of these reporters, security should never conceal from the nation the basic facts of the national situation, yet there have been security investigations when facts were published that were well known to the enemy but not to Americans. And now the Oppenheimer transcript has told other otherwise well learned with certainty.

Ike Helps Joe
 President Eisenhower has received an interesting letter from a Democratic congressman. He is Emanuel Celler of Brooklyn, who wrote Ike accusing him of playing right into McCarthy's hands by giving McCarthy confidential information returns. It's a penitentiary offense to get them.

A Ray Of Sunlight In The Gloom

FOR the first time in a fortnight, a ray of sunshine pierced the gloom that had pervaded U.S.-British relations. Sir Winston Churchill said firmly that his government does "not consider this the moment" to raise the matter of Red China's admission to the United Nations. He intimated that, when the time comes, Great Britain will cooperate with the United States in seeking a postponement of the issue that threatened to produce a serious breach between two old allies. He clearly does not want to take the great step of breaking with the U.S. over Peiping at this critical time.

But, at the same time, the British leader understands the difficulties the Eisenhower administration faces in this congressional election year and is aware of the grave dangers that would threaten the U.N. and the western alliance if he presses the question now.

Still Preoccupied With Patronage
HF SEAWELL, who has sent many an audience into guffaws with his sharp jabs at the Democrats, is beginning to talk like a Democrat.

Interviewed in Carthage the other day, the 1952 GOP candidate for the governorship of North Carolina denounced the "Fascist" and "carpetbag" rule of the national Republican Party, and charged that the GOP, in dispensing patronage, has honored the people who stayed loyal through the long years of political adversity. That makes it hard to build a strong Republican Party in the South, he added.

Dale Francis Earned His New Job
A GOOD rule for those who would go a bigger size is: Concentrate on doing your present job well. The persons who follow that precept usually are more successful than those who seek promotion. The local example of Dale Francis, who has just been named national director for Catholic information activities, fits into this pattern.

How To Get Junior To The Dentist
FACING a forthcoming trip to the dentist, it made us feel a little better to read a Pennsylvania practitioner's statement that he and others in the profession suffer along with their patients. The man wielding the drill has a "feeling of self-reproach" because of the necessity of hurting the person in the chair, the dentist explained.

ferent ideas on how to reach them. He noted significantly that the points of unity in the declarations issued following his Washington conference with President Eisenhower "transcend all passing differences" and give a framework within which our differences can be amicably resolved.

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 The transcript contains a list of 13 names of persons who were in contact with the H-bomb project, including VISTA's controversial Chapter Five. And this is especially interesting. For Chapter Five of the transcript led the Gen. Eisenhower to make important modifications in his strategy of West European defense, and these modifications still guide the thinking at SHAPE.

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 He has made innumerable talks to clubs and religious groups in the area, conducted regular broadcasts over two local radio stations, directed the local Catholic information center, served on the faculty of Belmont Abbey and O'Donoghue school.

People's Platform
Can Anyone Whistle Without His Teeth?
 Charlotte Editors, The News: THE OTHER day you reprinted a paragraph from The Buffalo (Ga.) Advertiser: "One of the nice features of old age is that you can whistle while you brush your teeth."

Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round
THE question of whether the Justice Department should bring a monopoly suit against the United Fruit Co. during the Guatemala election campaign was taken to the cabinet before a decision was reached.

Ike Decided To Sue United Fruit Co.
 It may be because of this friendship that every anti-trust newspaper in the USA has someone on the editorial staff placed there by Communists. When Winston Churchill was entertained by the National Press Club, the only distinguished speaker to get no applause when introduced was Adm. Lewis Strauss, chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission.