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Top Brass Admits Ugly Truth About U. S. Air Power

By THE ALSOPS

WASHINGTON
Recent testimony before executive sessions of both the Congressional Armed Services Committee...



Artist's Conception Of Soviet Atomic Plane Of The Future

Wrong Door Opened In Welfare Probe

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS have hoped to see an unwise decision on the Welfare Department investigation. At first the probe was to be limited to the Hottle case...

to register his complaint at the same time. By its very nature a welfare department is bound to nurture people who are dissatisfied with the aid they receive...

Laurinburg's Victory—And A Challenge

THERE were cheers in Laurinburg yesterday. They weren't noisy shouts, for this is not a noisy kind of town. It is a city of rich heritage and of prosperity and of Presbyterianism.

Here Flora Macdonald and Presbyterian Junior College are traditions. Here and here in Raleigh—and have indicated much interest in educational affairs. So, Laurinburg has the college. Eastern North Carolina will be richer for it, economically and educationally and spiritually.

People's Platform General Investigation Of Welfare Dept. Needed

Charlotte Editors: The News.
CERTELY the Welfare Department's handling of the Hottle case should be thoroughly investigated...

once a year the street has to be completely torn up, regraded and new law and gravel laid down again. This is not only needless expense to the city, but damages the adjoining property owners...

Editor, The News:
DIXIE IS THE VICTIM—Not Once But Twice.
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EXTREMISTS MUST Be Answered Clearly!...

His treatment of the doctrine of "interposition" was limited to the earliest period of our history, the Virginia and Kentucky resolutions, and related to the Alien and Sedition laws...

of the last century and now at the middle of the present century. The Negro fled the hands of the North where he was worthless as a laborer until he came to the South...

Mr. Nixon: Decision With High Stakes

THE WAY we read it Mr. Eisenhower was saying Mr. Nixon himself may decide if he is to be the GOP vice presidential nominee. He has told the vice president, the President said at his news conference...

approach to the mechanics of a democratic republic. The record shows, we believe, that no such guarantee will fit Mr. Nixon's opportunism and divisiveness. While we would not presume to tell the President that this is a fact, we would earnestly urge him to consider carefully his choice of a running mate...

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Reducing The Ranks Of Make-Believers

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Drew Pearson's Merry-Co-Round Armed Parachutists Protect A-Planes

WASHINGTON
If you should see 10 civilian parachutists jumping with drawn bayonets, standing around a grounded airplane, don't be alarmed. They are not there to start a riot or to prevent the public from radio-actively ray in conjunction with the new atomic engine which will power airplanes of the future.

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Elaborate Precautions

First the ground reactor will be surrounded by earth, second 100 chlorine gas cylinders will be placed around the atomic engine. Parachutes are strapped to their backs. And if the B-36 should crash, the atomic engine is hauled out, the 10 parachutists but out alongside with orders to rescue the reactor and keep it public away.

The Guarantee

"Eastland's friends will retaliate against you by cutting appropriations for public works," Morse was advised, referring to the fact that public works are important to the Far West. "All you're doing is guaranteeing that you'll have the money," Morse replied. "I don't want to argue that Eastland had virtually secured the U. S. Supreme Court of session, therefore should not be in charge of judicial matters, that he had intimidated the New York Times when other members of his committee knew almost nothing about the investigation, and that in general Eastland had ousted McCarthy."

Morse's Bed

Last night in B-36 that evening Morse met with Acting Democratic Leader Earl Clements of Kentucky and Sen. Robert Hammers of Minnesota who also invited him not to make the fight against Eastland. "I don't blame you, but I don't think you're safe," sensed Hammers. "I will hurt your reputation in Oregon." "Are you really in so deep with him that you've decided to follow your advice?" Morse asked.

'Magnificent Job'

"I thought I tried to close you," said Eastland. "I was a magnificent job. No one can say you did not keep it on a high personal plane." The Republicans did not come out of the election in Oregon who had challenged him in the Judiciary Committee. "Wayne" he said, "I feel badly that you were against me but you and I are laying out a new battle you for the high plane of your legal argument."

