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HAPPY ENDING

Washington has witnessed, during the last few days, a little drama which epitomized some of the worst and some of the best of the American of 1947.

The worst showed up in the American Anti-Communist Association's effort to deny Henry A. Wallace, by court injunction, the right to voice his views on public questions in a public park. The best appeared in the Justice Department's championing that right.

This newspaper has differed with Mr. Wallace's current views on foreign policy, and has questioned the wisdom of a former Vice-President debating the issue beyond the water's edge. But the Association's claim that Mr. Wallace has attempted to "incite human emotion toward riot and insurrection" is ridiculous on the face of it.

Nor have we seen convincing proof that the Southern Conference for Human Welfare which sponsored Mr. Wallace's speech at the Water Gate theater is either "Communist" or "Communist-front."

What of it? Weeding out Communists and fellow travelers from Government positions of trust is one thing. Denying even the real radicals—let alone Henry Wallace—the right of peaceable free speech is a very dangerous something else.

But, we rejoice to say, the best in this drama outweighs the worst. As long as American citizens can behold their Attorney General defending before a Federal court the right of a speaker to attack in public the policies of the very Administration of which that Attorney General is a member, and can witness the court upholding that right, then democracy in these United States is still pretty healthy.

Car Manufacturers Planning Changes For 1948 Models

Most 1948 model automobiles still are six months away, but speculation regarding their features already is well under way.

The projected new Ford has aroused more interest than other makes, chiefly because Henry Ford II recently declared it will be "different from any Ford ever made."

Most frequently heard forecasts about the Ford is that it will be completely different in "styling," with roomier interior, coil springs in front and left springs in the rear. It also has been predicted in some sources that, in pressing the battle with Chevrolet for top place in output and sales, Ford will put greater emphasis on the six cylinder engine, although retaining the eight.

This speculation has brought no confirmation or denial from the Ford offices, which insist details will not be disclosed until the new model is ready for introduction.

Current belief is that Ford's new truck line and new Lincoln and Mercury passenger car will come out before the Ford car is put into production. That probably means the latter model will not be ready until after Jan. 1.

Automatic transmissions and gear shifts undoubtedly will be offered as optional equipment on more cars next year. Opinion among the guessers appears to be divided as to whether they will be available on any of the lower priced cars.

Many of the experts and near-experts of the trade, however, appear convinced next year's Buick, Packard, Pontiac and Hudson lines are sure to have the automatic equipment available. Buick and Pontiac, they say, probably will use the same hydraulic equipment that has been utilized by Oldsmobile and Cadillac.

Packard and Hudson have been carrying on experimental work with self-functioning transmissions and gearshifts for several years and are believed to have them about ready for introduction.

What Chevrolet may have in the making to meet a "completely new" challenge from Ford is one of the questions of General Motors, which recently increased its production, but whether it will be a "completely new" model is not known.

as indicated, around Jan. 1. The new heating device, designed to keep the engine warm even when idle, still is reported to be under development for several manufacturers but it may not be ready for passenger-car adaptation on the 1948 models. Heavier duty generators to meet increasing demands on the electrical system and more convenience accessories are indicated. So far as new business is concerned the car industry does not need radically different new models to stimulate order accumulation. It has been said in some quarters that even if only another "face-lifting" operation were performed on the next models, the manufacturers could sell all the cars they are likely to make in 1948.

Republicans Finally Delving Into Causes Of Current Prices

The Republican leadership in Congress is conducting hearings on an issue laden with political dynamite—that of high prices.

It is an issue which already has touched off sparks in an exchange between Senator Robert A. Taft and President Truman.

It is one with which Republican leaders have been chided as slow in coming to grips.

Some hint of the political issues involved in any discussion of prices came with the taunt of Senator Francis J. Myers (D) of Pennsylvania that Congress has done nothing about prices while "endeavoring to lower taxes for the rich and raise rents for the poor."

Earlier in the month, Senator Taft had charged the Administration with abandoning efforts to keep prices down in favor of "heavy spending abroad that will keep them up."

The President retorted in an official statement labeling Taft's "boom and bust" price doctrine as "fallacious and dangerous." He charged that the Republican leader, in effect, was arguing that "the only way to bring prices down is to reduce the demand for goods."

Any investigation into the question of high prices opens the way for loud I-told-you-so's from Administration leaders who warned that premature ending of price controls would bring high prices.

Prices have risen sharply since the ending of controls and the overall cost of living has climbed from a level of 133.3 in June, 1930, to 156.3 in March, 1947.

Prices have remained high, although supplies in nearly all lines today are plentiful. This is particularly true in food.

The wholesale food index moved up for the fourth consecutive week, according to Dun and Bradstreet records.

Meat, which is exceptionally high in price, is reported in plentiful supply today, with 153 pounds per person available this year.

Doubtless those who wish to embarrass the Republican leadership will miss no opportunity to recall the assurances of a year ago from Republican congressmen and industry that once meat and other products were in normal sufficiency, supply and demand quickly would adjust prices downward.

Republican Senator Raymond A. Baldwin of Connecticut chided his party for not taking more vigorous action to dig into the causes of the continued high cost of living, said there was "little point in political recriminations at this time," and reminded Congress that Republicans after witnessing the failure of price control and the necessity for a free economy had assured the people that decontrol would bring relief and normal conditions. "Now it is up to us," he said, "to

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to the provisions of General Statutes 160-87, the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Farmville, North Carolina, do hereby notify all interested parties that the assessment roll for the paving improvements made within the City Limits of Farmville, North Carolina, during the years 1946 and 1947, has been completed and has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Town of Farmville, North Carolina, and is now open for inspection to all interested parties.

Notice is also given that the Board of Commissioners and Mayor of the Town of Farmville, N. C., will hold a meeting on Tuesday, July 8, 1947, at eight (8:00) P. M., for the hearing of allegations and objections to the special assessment.

Meeting will be held at Town Hall. The above mentioned assessment roll and the above referred to meeting is intended to cover the entire paving project as started in 1946 and now nearing completion.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF FARMVILLE, N. C. By: J. W. JOYNER, Mayor By: C. M. PAYLOR, Clerk

demonstrate that we can and will do something to produce lower prices, particularly on the necessities our people now find it so difficult to buy."

Fuel Shortage Forecast

The mention on a day in June of such heat-producing items as coal and oil may have a cool reception. But it's well to remember that June doesn't last all year and that winter is coming, however slowly. Spokesmen for the coal and oil industries say shortages of all kinds of fuel can be expected come cold weather.

They urge householders to assure their own comfort next winter and at the same time aid the over-all supply by laying in stocks now. Besides these good reasons for buying fuel early, another is the saving involved. Prices are expected to increase month by month as winter approaches.

Even Miss Atlantic City in her wildest dreams never imagined she could attract attention two miles away. But with the aid of gantron, a new, brighter-than-bright fabric, she and many others are sure to do just this. Straight from service in the Signal Corps during the war when it was used for signaling and direction markings, the fabric comes in red, orange, yellow, blue and green. It is two to ten times as brilliant as ordinary textiles and has been made up in three weaves—taffeta, satin, and sharkskin.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of W. G. Gay, Jr., late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Farmville, North Carolina, on or before the 26th day of June, 1948, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said Estate will please make immediate settlement.

This the 26 day of June, 1947. MRS. RUBY S. GAY, Administratrix of the Estate of W. G. Gay, Jr., deceased John B. Lewis, Atty. 27-6

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September 1 Is Deadline For Vets To File Terminal Leave Claim

The Pitt Veterans Service Officer, Arthur B. Corey, gives the information that the Armed Forces Leave Act of 1946 gives the honorably discharged veterans of the armed forces the right to apply for terminal leave pay for unused enlisted service providing he applies before September 1, 1947, the deadline for filing applications.

14,287,000 men and women are eligible to apply but approximately five million have not yet done so. The right to file claim will be forfeited unless these delinquents take

action prior to the Sept. 1 deadline. Applications may be secured from the Veterans Administration office in Greenville, from the Veterans Service Officer at 200 Blount building in Greenville or from the post office.

"I wish I had enough money to buy three elephants."

"What do you want with three elephants?"

"I don't; I just want the money."

The boy looked down the Grand Canyon to where the mighty Colorado River flowed. The guide told him it was a mile straight down. That night he penned a card back home to his dad: "I spit a mile today."

Farmville, N. C.,—June 25, 1947

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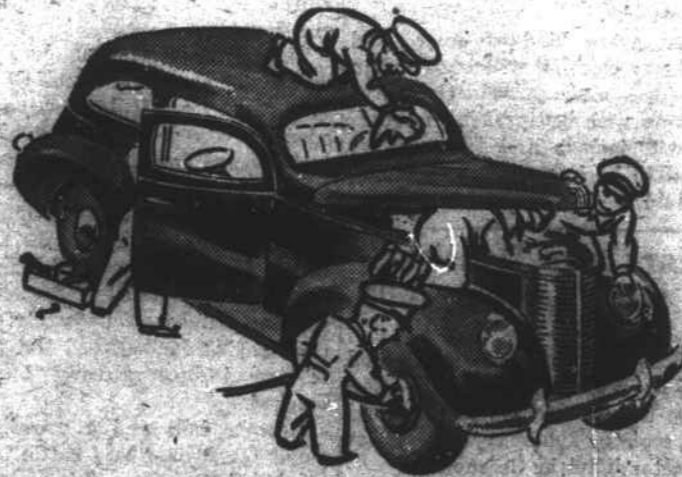
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