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Keeping The Record Straight

Challenging Senator Joe McCarthy's unfounded attack on General George Marshall, Congressman Wayne L. Hays of Ohio, had the following to say in the National House of Representatives a short time ago:

Mr. Speaker, under leave to extend my remarks, I am including a part of a broadcast of June 17. I have hesitated to criticize a member of the other body, but when a Hitler-type of attack without any regard for truth is made upon such an outstanding man as General Marshall, I think it is time the American people call a halt before they lose their liberties through the big-lie technique.

The excerpt follows:

Last week a so-called gentleman from Wisconsin stood up in the Senate and from the safety of his senatorial immunity threw 60,000 words of oral mud at Secretary of Defense Marshall. And in order to keep the record straight I would like to compare the military records of that cowardly mudslinger and the man whom he tried to tarnish. George Marshall did not have enough political pull to get into West Point. He entered the Army through VMI. The man who smeared him had his political friends write letters to the Marine Corps in order to get a commission. In the first war, Capt. George Marshall, then on Pershing's staff, planned one of the greatest military maneuvers in history, the transfer of the entire American Army from St. Mihiel to the Argonne in a week's time without the enemy knowing it. For this he got no publicity and claimed none. In World War II, the other captain, Joe McCarthy, publicized himself as a tail gunner and as taking part in 17 missions in the South Pacific. Navy Department files, however, fail to show any record of combat missions. They do show, however, that in October 1944, during the heat of the war, Captain McCarthy demanded leave to return to Wisconsin. At that time two trucks and a jeep on the island of Bougainville carried signs announcing "McCarthy for Senator." He had already begun to use his military service as a springboard for politics. And in February 1945, with the war still desperately fought in the Pacific, Captain McCarthy resigned. Few other officers were permitted to resign in wartime—except for cause. In McCarthy's file as a Reserve officer today is a red card which says: "This officer cannot be assigned to active duty." In contrast, George Marshall, having spent 50 years in service of his country—half a century—was enjoying retirement at Leesburg, Va., when he was recalled to active duty. There was no red card in George Marshall's file and he came back to the tough and thankless job of being Secretary of Defense. That is the man whom the cellophane-commissioned Senator from Wisconsin charged with selling his country to the Communists.

Make It Unanimous

There is talk about a code of honor for all government workers. And it's a good idea. But let's make the code universal. Surely, an honor code in the individual's personal affairs and business dealings would help keep the record clean in organizations and politics.

We can't expect a spotless government unless there is a strong moral foundation to support it.

Not Even That Will Slow 'Em Down The terrific death toll, all the maiming and wrecking on the highways have not slowed down motorists on North Carolina highways.

Now comes along an automobile engineering concern, declaring that speed is adding more than eighty-three million dollars to the motorists' gasoline bill each year.

We dare say that even that staggering cost will not slow 'em down.

One Day At A Time!

By Ruth Taylor

Great times call for great people. But it isn't the crises that call for the greatest ex-

What we must do is to remember that ill temper in these days is the warning of the danger hour on the home front. It is the sign of the weakness in the fortifications, the break in the line - and, just as on the battle-front, so on the home front, it means we must call up the reserves.

Why is it dangerous? Because through the gaps of discontent may come the saboteurs, those self-same sneak thieves who have so devastated other countries. They slow up work by saying - "You have done your share. Wait till the other fellow catches up with you." They delay the war effort by whispering, "Just this one day off. You are only one. You won't be missed." They waste material by saying, "You can save tomorrow. Have what you want today."

Then when the will is weakened, come the tank troops - "Every one else is getting theirs. You're a sap. Get yours." They attack racial and religious groups, imputing to all, the mistakes - common to all groups - of a few individuals. They make scapegoats and use them as alibis for negligence, indifference and selfishness.

And then - in through the breaks made by the tanks, pour the shock troops of the conqueror.

How can we fight this subtle enemy? By throwing in the reserves of character before the line is weakened. By determined resistance to self-pity, discontent, discouragement, resentment, prejudice. I have a motto I always carry with me which helps me. In the hope that it may help others, I quote it here:-

"Any one can carry his burden, however heavy, till nightfall. Any one can do his work, however hard, for one day. Any one can live sweetly, patiently, lovingly, purely, till the sun goes down. And this is all that life ever really means."

Chosen People

News and Observer.

It should not have been necessary but it was a good idea. Or, at least, a preacher at the convention of the Southern Baptists in San Francisco to issue the warning that America is not "God's chosen nation."

"God has no favorite," he said. A danger does exist which deserved the warning. We have been blessed. We are strong and prosperous. We have an increasing feeling, perhaps as a part of our leadership, that we are superior as well as successful.

Quite aside from theology, no nation can feed on more dangerous stuff. We have just finished taking part in the destruction of the German nation which, under Hitler, indulged in the illusion of national and racial superiority. History is full of the same fate overtaking other peoples who got such ideas and operated on the basis of them. Indeed, most of our troubles in the Orient today are based upon the centuries of strutting display of such feelings by Europeans.

No nation in the world today has greater responsibility for good leadership. Our success in that leadership depends not upon our arms but upon our understanding and our humility.

It may be hard to believe sometimes that the meek will inherit the earth. It is increasingly certain that the world today is in no mood to leave the arrogant in charge.

Happiness

(Scottish Rite News)

Happiness does not depend on solving every problem, or winning every battle, or overcoming every disillusionment, or eliminating every injustice, or surmounting every barrier, or curing every disease or forever postponing death; nor does it depend on our working with perfect people. These, all, are our working materials, these our fellow human beings; and our happiness does not depend on our achieving perfection at any single point or at any single time.

Happiness comes in two ways. It comes by means of surprises, little insights, unexpected evidences of friendship and love, the occasional joy of new achievements, the acquisition of such earthly and material things with which our lives are so intimately involved; it comes without our expecting it, often, and without our earnings or deserving it as one of the gracious gifts of life; and happiness comes through our achievement of a philosophy of life, a way of life, an attitude and through a distinctive character and personality which we build up through the years, on the hidden foundations of sound and sensible thought and of a moral, Masonic, and spiritual culture at once reasonable, sympathetic and righteous.

CHURCH NEWS

OAK CITY CHRISTIAN

Olin Fox, Pastor. Sunday school at 10:00. Frank Bunting Supt. Preaching every 2nd Sunday at 11:00 and 8:00. Christian Women's Fellowship Wednesday night after 2nd Sunday. CYF Monday night after 2nd Sunday at 8:00.

HASSELL CHRISTIAN

Olin Fox, Minister. Sunday school at 10:00. George Leggett, Supt. Christian Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m. Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11:00 and 7:30. Christian Women's Fellowship Wednesday after 1st Sunday, at 7:30.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

Catholic services at the American Legion hut. Mass every Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Olin Fox, Pastor. Sunday school 10:00. Mrs. Beatrice James, Supt. Christian Youth Fellowship on Monday nights. Preaching every 4th Sunday at 11:00 and 7:30. Christian Women's Fellowship Saturday afternoon before first Sunday.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS

N. J. Ward, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. Henry Hoel, Supt. Morning worship at 11:00. Youth service at 6:30. Evangelistic service at 7:30. Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday night at 7:30.

BAPTIST

S. B. Simms, Pastor. 9:45, Sunday School. 11:00, Worship. 7:00, Training Union. 8:00, Worship. The nursery will be open during the morning services.

Monday: 4:00, Fannie Biggs Circle meeting with Mrs. L. T. Carrow; 4:00, Pattie Crawford Circle meeting with Mrs. P. O. Holloman; 4:00, Lina Martin Circle meets with Mrs. J. H. Edwards; 8:00, Kader Ellen Graver Circle meets in the Annex and Grace Mercer Circle meets in the Junior Department. 8:20, These two circles and anyone else who would like to will come to the Annex to study the book, "O Jerusalem! Our Cities for Christ." 7:30, Intermediate R. A. meeting in Annex. Tuesday: 5:30, Intermediate G. A. Study course in annex. Wednesday: 8:00, midweek prayer service. Thursday: 8:00, Adult Choir practice.

METHODIST

E. R. Shuller, Minister. 9:45, Sunday school. Fletcher Thomas, Supt. 11:00, Morning worship. 7:00, Youth Fellowship. 8:00, Evening worship. Sermon by Mr. Goff. 8:00, Monday, Woman's Society of Christian Service. 8:00, Tuesday, Methodist Men's Club. 8:00, Wednesday, Choir rehearsal.

HOLLY SPRINGS

10:30, Sunday school. C. L. Daniel, Supt. 3:00, Church service. Sermon by Rev. C. F. Hirschi of Windsor.

HAMILTON BAPTIST

E. R. Stewart, Pastor. 10 a. m., Bible school. H. S. Johnson, Supt. 11 a. m., Worship service. 7 p. m., Baptist Training Union. Willie Knox, Director. 8 p. m., Evening worship. 7:30 p. m., Monday, Boy Scout meeting. 8 p. m., Wednesday, Prayer services followed by choir practice.

EVERETTS BAPTIST

E. R. Stewart, Pastor. 10 a. m., Bible school. G. H. Forbes, Supt. 7 p. m., Baptist Training Union. Paul Bailey, Director. 8 p. m., Thursday, prayer service.

MACEDONIA CHRISTIAN

Bible school at 10. J. S. Holliday, Supt. Church service at 11. P. E. Cayton, Pastor. Evening service at 8.

JAMESVILLE BAPTIST

W. B. Harrington, Pastor. Regular services will be held at Jamesville Baptist Church Sunday at 11:00 a. m. All members are urged to be present and the public is invited.

Cedar Branch Baptist

W. B. Harrington, Pastor. Regular services will be held at Cedar Branch Baptist Church Sunday night at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and the public is invited.

CHRISTIAN

John L. Goff, Pastor. Bible School, 9:45. Classes for all ages. Exum L. Ward, Jr., Supt. Morning worship and celebration of the Lord's Supper 11:00. Sermon subject: "Trembling Into Rest." CYF and Chi Rho group meet at 8:00 for supper and program. Cooperative service at the First Methodist Church at 3:00 with Mr. Goff speaking on the theme, "The Thoughtfulness of Jesus." The following circles meet Monday at 4:00: The Sarah Manning Circle meets with Mrs. Joe Gray Corey on Ray Street; the Sadie Peel Circle meets with Mrs. D. M. Roberson; the Eva Harrison Circle meets with Mrs. R. T. Griffin. The following circles meet Monday at 8:00: The Alice Dunning Circle meets with Mrs. Alex Jones with Mrs. Bruce Roebuck as joint hostess. The Hattie Edmondson Circle meets with Mrs. Hubert Biggs. The Inez Woolard Circle meets with Mrs. Reginald Griffin. Choir rehearsal at 8:00 Tuesday. A meeting of the Worker's Conference of the Williamston Christian Church will be held on Friday at 8:00 in the church sanctuary. All general officers of the Bible School are expected.

Here From Greenville

Miss Betty Jean Hoell and Master Henry Hoell, Jr. of Greenville are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hoell.

Visited Here Yesterday

Mrs. C. B. Sitterson and Mr. Roy Sitterson of Kenansville, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jenkins, Miss Dorothy Jenkins, Mr. E. E. Ward, Mrs. J. R. Cooke, Sr., Mrs. Stanwood Jernigan and Mrs. W. B. Hoggard of Aulander visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Peele here yesterday afternoon.

Visited Here From Snow Hill

Mr. and Mrs. Norfleet Whitfield and children of Snow Hill spent Sunday here with Mr. Whitfield's sister, Mrs. George Hatton Able to Be Out. Mrs. Pat Crawford is able to be out after having been confined to her home for several weeks. Spent Wednesday at Pamlico. Miss Norma Rae Wood and George Lee Roberson spent Wednesday at Pamlico Beach.

Return From Alabama

Mrs. R. E. Sisson and children have returned to their home here after spending a week in Birmingham, Alabama, with Mrs. Sisson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Le Gore.

Returned To Charlotte

Mrs. James Mizelle and sons have returned to their home in Charlotte to be with her husband who is in the hospital after spending two weeks here with her mother, Mrs. Charles M. Peele.

Social News

BASS-WATERS

The marriage of Miss Helen Virginia Waters, daughter of Mrs. Gay R. Waters and the late Mr. Waters of Jamesville, N. C., to Kader William Bass, son of Mrs. Kader William Bass and the late Mr. K. W. Bass of Powellsville, took place on Sunday, July 1, at four o'clock in the Christian Church in Robersonville. The Rev. J. M. Perry, pastor, conducted the single ring ceremony in a setting of mixed summer flowers.

The bride wore a navy dress with white accessories and a purple throated white orchid. Following a wedding trip to White Lake Mr. and Mrs. Bass are at home near Powellsville.

Spent Tuesday in Norfolk

Mrs. D. M. Roberson and son, David, Mrs. George M. Peele and Mrs. James Mizelle and sons, Jimmy and Charles spent Tuesday in Norfolk and Ocean View.

PREACH PLAGUE

(Southern Pines Pilot) And we were astonished to read in the News and Observer that damage estimated at 20 percent has been done by fungus disease to "South Carolina's peach crop." Does this mean a lot of ministers have got athlete's foot?

Boy Scouts Report Their Activities

The Girl Scouts of the Cardinal Patrol went to Albemarle Beach last week. They met at Betsy Davis' house at eight thirty Tuesday morning. Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Glover drove the girls to the beach. When they first got there they put their bathing suits on, and went for a swim. After their swim, they were so hungry they decided to fix some lunch. They roasted hot dogs and made sandwiches. After lunch they went for another swim. When they were tired of swimming, they went to the casino to dance. They arrived at home at four o'clock. The Girl Scouts are going to take a vacation. There will be no more meetings until the last Tuesday in August.

Scribe

Gail Margolis

Attending Supply Pastors' School

Durham.—W. R. Johnson of Robersonville is attending the third annual-session of the School for Accepted Supply Pastors at Duke University.

Sponsored by the Duke Divinity School, the School was established to enable the Accepted Supply Pastor to complete required work. The present session meets from July 3 through 19.

In addition to the regular courses there are discussion groups and workshops in recreation, visual education, and church literature. Over forty students from nine Methodist Conferences in the South are enrolled. Dr. A. J. Walton, of the Duke University Divinity faculty, is Dean of the School, which has eleven visiting or resident professors.

MOUNTAIN MYSTERY

(Frances Frazier, Waynesville Mountaineer) Little Mary was born and reared in Florida and in all her six years of life had never before seen mountains. She couldn't quite get it firmly fixed in her mind how this stupendous thing could have happened, and she tried to figure it out. But at last she went to her mother for an explanation. "Mommie, if all that ground came from underneath, why doesn't it fall back in the hole where it came

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