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The China Lobby

Senator Wayne Morse's demand for an investigation of the China Lobby has put Congress in an awkward position.

Yet it is difficult to see how the legislators can continue to investigate possible pro-Soviet influences on the development of America's China policy.

There is nothing inherently wrong in the Nationalists' maintaining a lobby in Washington, even as the United States lobbies for its own interests in foreign capitals.

It has been stated by some close American observers that the Nationalists' great hope of staging a comeback on the Chinese mainland with all-out American aid rests on the

starting of a third world war. If this is so, then those Americans who wittingly or unwittingly make loyalty to Chiang the test of loyalty to the United States should do some hard thinking.

Empty Pulpits

The Duke Divinity School reports that there are 15,000 vacant pulpits in the United States, presumably in the protestant field.

Most of the decline came during comparatively recent years, and the implications are recognized as being serious.

It would seem that religious zeal is lessening, that too many individuals are not willing to properly finance their church operations.

While plowing in the fields on a hot sultry day, the perspiration flowing freely down their faces, many have heard the "call" to preach.

The almighty dollar has served the devil long enough. If dollars will do it, the people should employ them in rounding up a sufficient number of ministers to serve the need, and it is admitted that the need is great.

Just For Promises?

A political writer, a bit woeful about it all, deplors the one-party system in the South, and goes on to point out that the region could get good promises from both the Democrats and the Republicans if a strong two-party system existed.

If a two-party system is to be just to get promises, it would not be worthy of its name. However, a strong two-party system would keep each one alert, but it would clear up the confused air now existing in the Democratic party.

Not for promises, but for simplifying politics and determinings just where candidates stand before election, the people of the South should favor the two party system. And let the man with the best program win.

No matter what a man's aims, or resolutions, or professions may be, it is by one's deeds that he is to be judged, both by God and man.—H. W. Beecher.

Let no man presume to give advice to others who has not first given good advice to himself.—Seneca.

Miss Stewart In Recital Friday

Meredith senior Louise Stewart of Hickory, Va., formerly of Hamilton, is one of the three public school music majors at the college who will present a mini-graduation recital next Friday night, May 2.

The daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Elliot R. Stewart, former Baptist pastor of Hamilton, the pianist will present Schumann's "Grillen," a Brahms "Intermezzo" and "Rhapsody," and works by Bartok, Debussy, and De Falla on the Friday night recital program.

A former student of Miss Martha Biggers at Mars Hill College, Miss Stewart is the pupil of Janet Anderson at Meredith, where she has earned membership in Sigma Alpha Iota, honorary music fraternity, and is social vice-president of the Baptist Student Union.

Miss Eubanks In WC, UNC Recital

The Woman's College, University of North Carolina School of Music presented Mary Ellen Eubanks, mezzo-soprano and Nancy Page Smith, pianist in graduating recital Friday, April eighteenth at eight o'clock in Recital Hall, Music Building.

Miss Eubanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Eubanks, Hartsells, N. C., is the pupil of William C. Deveny, head of the voice department.

Her program was as follows: Star Vicino by Rosa; Love Has Eyes, Bishop; Morgen, Strauss; Auf dem Wasser zu singen, Schubert; Les Berceaux, Faure; Chanson a Manger, Lemarie; Habanera from Carmen, Bizet; Bondage, Test; Canterbury Fair, Leslie-Smith; Let All My Life Be Music, Spross.

Home From Raleigh Mrs. Oscar Peele has returned his home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bill Smith and family in Raleigh for a week.

Announce Birth Mr. and Mrs. Simon Coltrain announce the birth of a son, Roger Simon, on April 18, in Martin General Hospital.

Stallings-McAllister Wedding Invitations

Mr. and Mrs. James Leon McAllister request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Betty, to Mr. Giles Edwin Stallings on Friday, May 2, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in the Roper Methodist Church, Roper North Carolina.

Reception immediately following the ceremony at the home of the bride.

EDWARD-CULLIPHER

An impressive wedding was celebrated in the parsonage of the Williamston Christian Church on Saturday, March 8th when Miss Mary Bell Cullipher became the bride of Mr. Joseph L. Edwards.

The bride was becomingly attired in a traveling suit of blue with pink accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink roses.

Mrs. Edwards is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cullipher of Bethel, North Carolina.

Mr. Edwards is the son of Mr. W. L. Edwards and the late Mrs. Gladys Edwards.

The young couple will make their home in Baltimore, Maryland until the husband completes his term of service in the United States Navy.

COLTRAIN-GARDNER

A quiet wedding was celebrated in the parsonage of the Williamston Christian Church on Saturday, April 19th when Miss Celia Gardner became the bride of Mr. James Albert Coltrain.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gardner of Jamesville, North Carolina and is a graduate of the Jamesville High School.

Mr. Coltrain is the son of Mr. Albert Coltrain and the late Mrs. Rogers Coltrain of Jamesville.

Home From Hospital

After a stay of three and one half weeks in an incubator at Martin General Hospital, Frances Gwen, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Henry Leggett left the hospital last Thursday to make her home near Bear Grass.

Highest radio transmitter in the Eastern U. S. is WMIT in North Carolina—rising 6,773 feet on Clingman's Peak near the Blue Ridge Parkway.

Candidate Ike Is Getting On Spot

Supporters of Senator Robert A. Taft have announced that national petitions are being circulated, which call upon General of the Army Douglas MacArthur.

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Immigrant Shows Good Will To Government

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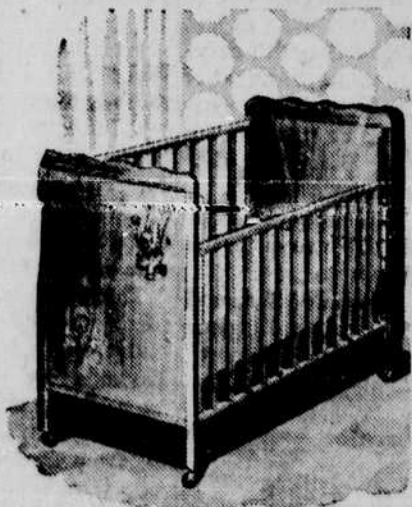
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