

## General Nixes Political Draft

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—General George C. Marshall, who has been mentioned as a possible presidential nominee, declared Tuesday that he "never could be drafted" for political office.

Then, with democrats and republicans applauding the seldom-equalled forthrightness of his statement, he took the oath as secretary of state and promised to "do my best" with the vast problems crowding in upon him.

Marshall's statement, dictated to newsmen who greeted his train in the bleak morning, was obviously designed to disentangle his new job as secretary of state from any political complications.

Evidently he felt that such problems as relations with Russia, the future of Germany, atomic energy, and world peace would best be tackled if he did not have to face congress as a possible contender for the presidency in 1948. He had been mentioned in speculation about the democratic nomination.

## Radar Fails Airplane

OAKLAND, Calif., Jan. 21—(AP)—A wave flight orderly was killed and 20 other persons, including three women, were injured in the crash of a four-engined navy plane at Oakland airport Monday when, for the first time in more than 76,000 landings, radar-ground-control failed to guide a ship to safety.

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## Herman Talmadge Strung Up in Effigy

ATLANTA, Jan. 21 (AP)—A crowd of more than 1200 shouting college students hanged Herman Talmadge in effigy on Georgia's capitol grounds Tuesday a few hours after he offered to let the controversy over the governorship be decided in a "democratic white primary" election.

A dummy denoting Herman, claimant to the governorship through legislative election, was hanged from the statue of Tom Watson, famous Georgia agricultural leader, while the crowd whooped.

Talmadge, who took possession of the executive offices last week by outmaneuvering retiring Governor Ellis Arnall, declined to address the crowd but did receive a delegation and later a group of pro-Talmadge students.

## Audit Uncovers Links

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Several names, including those of a former house member and Kenneth Romney, former house sergeant-at-arms, were linked by an official audit Tuesday to a \$125,563.73 shortage in the accounts of the sergeant-at-arms office.

## Britain Asks for Work

LONDON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Britain's labor government highlighted the reopening of a momentous session of parliament Tuesday with an appeal to the nation's workers and employers to work harder and more efficiently for postwar recovery.

## Russia Demands Arrest

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—A Russian demand that the United States arrest and turn over to Soviet authorities Kyrill Alekseev, who recently blasted at his homeland as a "hell of dictatorship," has been rejected, the state department announced Tuesday.

## Green Opposes Curbs

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21—(AP)—AFL President William Green hit at congressional moves to curb labor unions with a prediction Tuesday that they "will only drive labor to the left."

"Toryism breeds communism," he said. Green asserted, too, that workers will keep demanding higher wages as long as prices continue to rise.

## Pay Claims Castigated

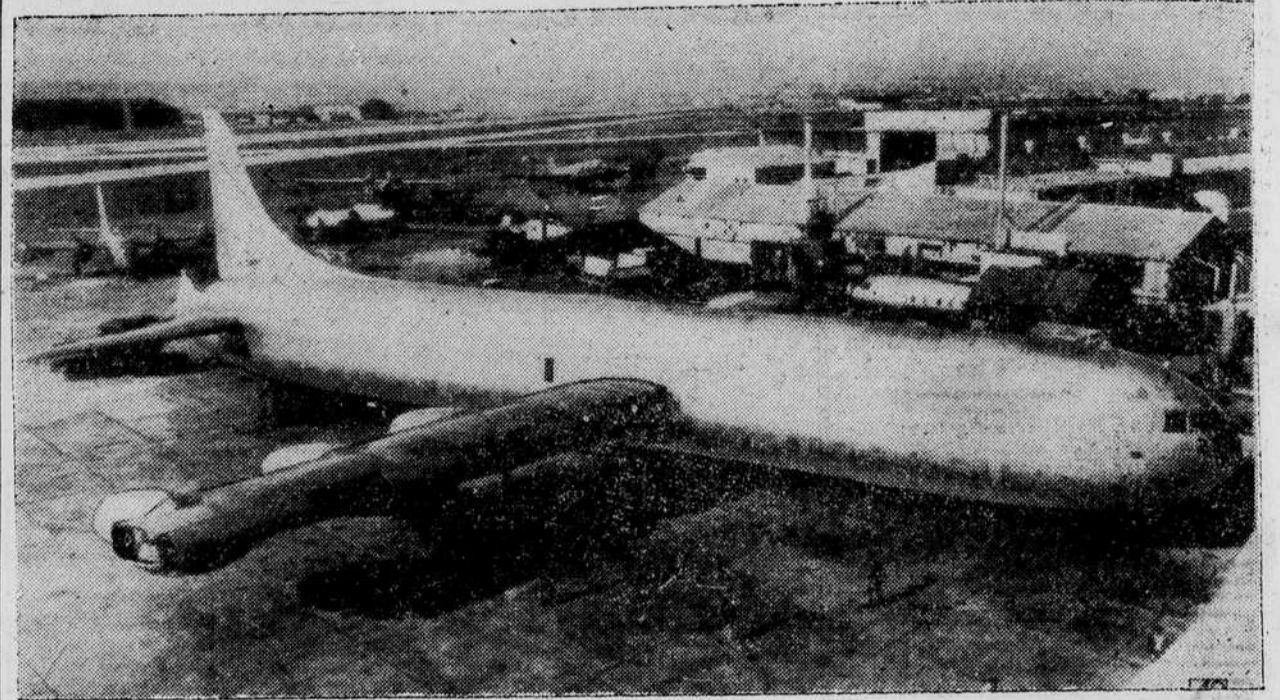
WASHINGTON, Jan. 21—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Maurice Hirsch testified Tuesday "it is possible" for portal-to-portal pay claims to wipe out the \$3,025,817,000 which the government saved through re-negotiation of lump-sum war contracts.

## Weather Forecast

Oregon — Intermittent rain in northwestern parts Wednesday and over entire area west of Cascades Thursday.

## GIANT PLANE UNDER CONSTRUCTION . . .

The army air forces XC-99, the world's largest land-based cargo plane is shown in the experimental yard of the Consolidated-Vultee plant at San Diego, California, where it is under construction. The giant ship, dwarfing nearby buildings, is designed to carry 400 troops or 100,000 pounds of cargo.



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## Al Capone Beats Rap After Apoplexy Stroke

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 21 (AP)—Dr. Kenneth Phillips said Tuesday night that Al Capone had rallied and regained consciousness after lying virtually at death's door for more than 12 hours from a stroke of apoplexy.

This startling change in the former Chicago gang leader's condition came after hope had been virtually abandoned and the last sacraments of the Catholic church administered.

## Dewey Support Rises

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21—(AP)—Senator Irving M. Ives, R., N. Y., said Tuesday a month's first-hand observation of Washington politics has strengthened his support of Gov. Thomas E. Dewey for the 1948 Republican presidential nomination.

## Lost Plane Said Safe

SHANGHAI, Wednesday, Jan. 21 (AP)—U. S. authorities received indications Tuesday that an army transport plane missing since Saturday with 13 persons aboard may be safe.

## Russia Asks Nations To Outlaw Atomic Bomb

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—Soviet Russia wants the atomic bomb and other weapons of mass destruction banned immediately by an iron-clad pact among the nations of the world.

Russia also wants the United Nations to draw up as quickly as possible the necessary controls to make certain that these prohibited weapons never again would be used to wage war.

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