



RED ANNIVERSARY IN CHINA— Pictures of Mao Tse-Tung, Communist China's boss, were much in evidence in Peiping parade on first anniversary of Mao's regime. Picture was obtained by Eastfoto, New York picture agency, from China Photo Service in Red-held Peiping.

'Hopalong' is No Hero in Russia

VIENNA —(INS)— Hopalong Cassidy, Gene Autry and the Lone Ranger are just nightmares for the peace-loving Soviet Russian children.

This is, at least, according to Russian composer Anatoli Novikov, a Stalin prize winner. In a letter to Austrian friends, Novikov claimed kid dreams in the USSR are entirely different from those of children in the USA.

Novikov said a recent poll revealed that most of the dreams of Russian kids are about their future "peaceful" jobs.

"American kids, he charged, dream only of gun-blazing western heroes and super A-bombs for the destruction of foreign countries."

Electric Workers Have Busy Future

CLEVELAND—(INS)—A spokesman for the electric utility industry forecasts a busy future for thousands of electrical workers throughout the nation.

Ray T. Timmons, a manufacturing manager for the Westinghouse Electric Corp., told a group in Cleveland recently that startling increases in the use of electrical appliances coupled with a long-range expansion program indicate a period of growing prosperity for the industry.

"We feel that it can be conservatively forecast that by 1965 the utility industry will have to generate more than twice as much power as it does now to meet the needs of its customers."

St. Paul's Mothers Club Plans Food Sale Dec. 23

SILVERTON — Mrs. William Evans, president of St. Paul's Mother's club, reports that the membership will hold its annual food sale Saturday starting at 10:15 at Block's Electric store. Proceeds from the sale go for lunches and other improvements at St. Paul's Catholic school here.

Plans for the food sale were made at the December meeting of the group. The special program at this meeting was a Christmas playlet given by the 5th and 6th

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Entertained And Entertainers. Enjoy Lions Indian School Party

By Charles Ireland
Staff Writer, The Statesman

The Salem Lions club entertained Chemawa Indian school students with 90 minutes of 90-laugh-a-minute entertainment Wednesday night. And it would be hard to say whether the students or the participating Lions had the best time.

The party was a holiday highlight for 609 youngsters who won't be going home for Christmas. They watched starry-eyed while boys and girls from Salem tap-danced in bangles costumes and screamed with delight at the slapstick buffoonery of a quartet of clowns.

They also applauded generously the presentation of John Hale, Salem magician, and the singing of Mesdames Myron Eaton, John Goffrier and Kessley Talley.

Santa Well Received

And they gave a terrific reception to Santa Claus (Tom Pomeroy) who arrived with bulging bags of treats for all.

But the show-stoppers were those zany clowns, George Dilts, John Klapp, John Macy and Robert Davidson, who wouldn't let Master of Ceremonies Leo Reimann get a word in edgewise. Dressed in lion and clown costumes they cavorted all over the Chemawa school auditorium and kept the youngsters in an uproar.

Santa Claus got around for a word with all the six- and seven-year-olds. He was assisted in passing out treats by Ed Randle and Dr. F. D. Volt.

Said Best Party

As the students marched out of the auditorium, one school official said, "I believe this was the best party the Lions club has ever staged at Chemawa."

Chemawa school does not have a Christmas vacation because most of its students live so far away. Last night's program opened a round of special events, however, that includes Christmas Eve parties in each of the five dormitories.

Russell Kelley, superintendent of Chemawa school, said that most students received gifts from relatives. And the school sees to it that each youngster receives at least one gift plus a bag of sweets on Christmas.

Amity Farmer Attending School at Pullman

AMITY — Wendell Martin of McCoy and Jim Burrell of Salem left Monday on a trip to Pullman, Wash., where they will attend a stockman's short course in animal husbandry.

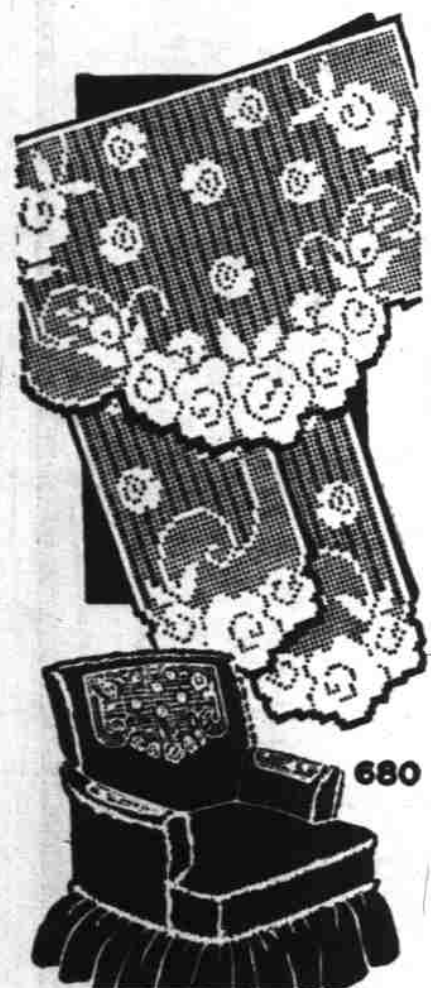
George Baybrook, Los Angeles Bible Institute, Los Angeles, Calif. has been a recent guest at the home of Bruce Wakeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKee, Amity and Mrs. McKee's brother Walter Mauser, of Portland have returned from Los Angeles, Calif., where they were called by the sudden death of Otto Mauser, December 4.

GETS VOTERS

SWIFT CURRENT, Sask.—(AP)—The Civic Voters association donated \$35 in prizes to school pupils making the closest estimate of the number of civic votes cast. A contestant had to prove his parents voted, and the result was nearly 1,000 more votes than usual.

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WHEN we compare the conditions of nations and people in anti-capitalistic countries with the security, prosperity, happiness and well-being of our people under United States capitalism, we appreciate our privilege of living in a capitalistic, democratic country.

The basic principle of the free, capitalistic system which we have developed in our country affords opportunity to the individual who is willing to use his talents to the extent of his ability and desire to produce—to accumulate something for investment in a home, a farm, in savings accounts, bonds and other securities, life insurance, the education of his children, and comforts of life—and become a capitalist.

The following facts give us a deep appreciation of what capitalism has done and is doing for our country and its people.

Private capital in the form of taxes and purchases of United States Government Bonds made it possible for us to spend three hundred thirty billion dollars in carrying out our part of the program in winning World War II. This, of course, is unimportant when we consider the loss of life and permanent and partial disability which our youth sustained and which cannot be measured in dollars.

Our participation in World War II has left us today with a national debt of two hundred fifty-seven billion dollars, but on the credit side we find that our annual national income, at the current rate, is equal to 90% of our total national debt. Of this total national debt, thirty-nine billion dollars are in treasury obligations owned by Government agencies, so our net debt is slightly over two hundred eighteen billion dollars.

The United States free enterprise business system is operating at its highest level, furnishing employment to sixty-two million people at the highest hourly and weekly earnings ever recorded. Stockholders and corporations, after paying the highest peacetime taxes in the post-war years, have had the highest net average earnings in history from their investment.

Our farmers had cash income from marketing last year amounting to twenty-seven billion five hundred million dollars, the highest on record.

Total farm assets of our country amount to slightly more than one hundred twenty-seven billion dollars, against which there is an indebtedness of only twelve billion four hundred million dollars. Thus our farmers have ownership equity of over 90 per cent in their farms.

In non-farm homes, counting apartment buildings with four or less families, and all valued at a total of two hundred billion dollars, our home owners have an equity of one hundred fifty-eight billion dollars—a substantial ownership of 79 per cent.

Therefore, as a result of the opportunity provided by our free-enterprise capitalistic system, the people of our nation have a free and clear ownership in their homes and farms of 83.4 per cent.

Our people have savings of more than one hundred thirty-six billion dollars in government bonds and savings accounts.

An additional ninety-seven billion dollars are on deposit in commercial bank accounts.

Our men and women have a cash investment of sixty billion dollars in

A high percentage of our working people are provided with unemployment insurance, sickness, accident and retirement benefits, financed by employers, employees and government. Others who are not covered by these plans and who find themselves in need are provided for by governmental and social institutions.

We are increasing our efforts to improve the standard of living of the people in the lower income brackets.

The United States, with only six per cent of the world population and seven per cent of its land area, under its democratic, capitalistic system, before World War II, produced forty-seven per cent of the world's manufactured goods, but what is more important, ninety per cent of that production was consumed within our own borders. Today we are producing over fifty per cent of the world's manufactured goods, of which a substantial percentage is for other countries.

Capitalism is backing freedom of worship and providing increasing educational opportunities by constantly giving more and more support to the two things upon which our democratic, cultural civilization depends—spiritual and educational values.

We have a permanent investment in churches and schools of eighteen billion five hundred million dollars and are spending annually eight billion dollars for religious and educational purposes.

Membership in the churches is increasing at a much faster rate than the increase in the population, and in our Sunday Schools at an even greater rate.

In the past thirty years, elementary school enrollment has increased 13.5 per cent, high school enrollment 146.1 per cent and college and university enrollment 351.6 per cent.

Our public school expenditures per pupil enrolled have gone up from \$48.02 in 1920 to \$132.06 in 1947, or 175.0 per cent.

Since 1920 the population of our country has increased 43 per cent and the investment in school and college equipment has increased 571 per cent.

Since the beginning of our industrial and scientific development in the early 1800's, the capitalistic system, due to individual freedom, initiative and ingenuity, has given the world more of the comforts and conveniences of life than mankind had received in the previous 5000 years of civilization.

Under this system our people as a whole are happy and united, are increasing their capital and enjoying a fuller spiritual, cultural and material life.

Today our scientific and industrial knowledge and experience in the various fields of peaceful activity are open to the rest of the world, and in this respect we have joined with other like-minded nations in contributing to the technical assistance program of the United Nations.

No nation, no individual, no venture, no private or public institution, no program for the welfare of people can progress without capital.

It is each individual's duty to contribute to the preservation, protection and improvement of our democratic civilization on a basis which is sound and fair to all our people.



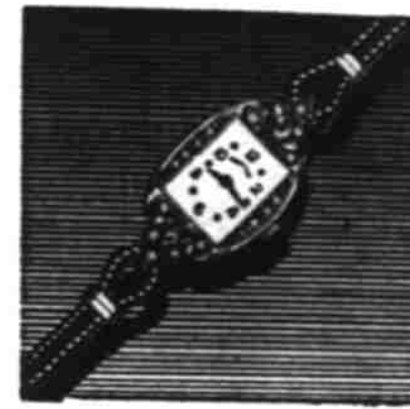
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