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Congressional Lawyers

The question has been raised, and argued recently, before the circuit court of appeals in Philadelphia, as to the propriety, if not the legality, of members of congress representing clients before such high federal courts, for pay.

It, perhaps, is little known, but such was the prevailing practice for many years after the foundation of our government and the establishment of our federal courts.

Beverage, in his "Life of John Marshall," gives a number of interesting accounts of U.S. senators and representatives in congress gaining professional renown through appearing before the U.S. supreme court—filing briefs and presenting arguments prepared by obscure lawyers or lawyers in outlying states.

Webster's fame as a lawyer rests largely upon the brief and argument presented in the Dartmouth college case. Both, however, were prepared and forwarded to himwith a \$500 fee-by a firm of obscure New Hampshire lawyers.

Upon the opinion written by Chief Justice Marshall in that case, upholding the legality of the college charter, rests our whole complicated system of vested rights.

The case attracted little or no attention at the time, for not more than half a dozen lawyers heard it argued or sensed its far-reaching effect.

When, in time, the truth became known, and the vested Interests enlightened. Webster was much applauded and not slow in accepting both applause and credit-forgetting the obscure New Hampshire lawyers.

Great distances from Washington and the U.S. supreme court, abominable roads and a lack of conveniences for travel—to say nothing of loss of time and money—forced lawyers in outlying districts, after preparing their appeals, to employ some U.S. senator or representative in congress from their home state—if a lawyer and competent—to file their briefs and present their prepared arguments to the U.S. supreme court.

It was, at that time at least, a happy arrangement. It not only gave underpaid congressional lawyers a chance to earn a few badly needed dollars, but saved attorneys practicing in outlying states the inconvenience and expense of many days, even weeks, of travel over frightful roads.

The old necessity for outside practice by legislators has passed with changing times and there is now no necessity for it and many objections can be raised. Congressmen are well paid for devoting themselves to national welfare and it would be a demoralizing betrayal of public office to engage in lucrative private practice of law for special in-

What Will the Parents Say?

Salem faces the disturbing prospect of falling way short of the goal of \$105,000 set for this year's Community Chest drive. Chest workers admittedly are having a hard time meeting the quotas. In fact, collections at this point in the drive are 20 percent below those of last year at this

The question has been asked: Is Salem going to meet its quota this year? Glum faces have a tendency to answer that question too readily with a negative reply. The question, instead, should be put this way: Are the children of Salem to be given proper recreational facilities through the Chest agencies like the YMCA, the scout groups, YWCA, and the Salvation Army?

At stake are more than the eight agencies served by the local Community Chest. At stake is the welfare of the children of the city.

Record new enrollments at Salem schools indicate how more and more children are here now in the city, needing proper attention and care. The bumper crop of offspring of the veterans is growing up. And, despite this swelling help group of children, Chest agencies interested in those children have had to cut budgets to the bone. And if even trists those bare minimum budgets are not met by Chest contrichildren, as conducted by ogram Chest agencies, will be inadequate.

Then who will suffer? The children of Salem.

Too often the reason some give for not contributing or for not giving more this year is that there have been too many drives. It is true there have been many drives in But the inescapable fact is still there, staring at the mothers and fathers: Interested agencies won't be able to help their children properly if the quota for the year is not met.

Can the adults of Salem look at the children of the city and tell them 'here isn't enough money to take care of their recreational needs?

Behind the Iron Curtain

Russia, which has been continuously and remorsely mandy or ranch? purging satellite nations in its reign of terror from the Baltic to the Balkans, thus filling up its Arctic slave labor camps, is centering its reign of terror on Czechoslovakia. An Associated Press dispatch from Prague shows the following situation:

Large sections of Czechoslovakia's 13,000,000 people live in tear today while the communist government carries out a purge
that has hit army officers, Catholic officials, businessmen and
and are they planning a glue
will a picturesque old man come
to tear up your front lawn every
the great roundup, by the denunciation of some snooper.

The police roundup is centering in Prague, but it is hitting

Who owns the lot next door
will a picturesque old man come
to tear up your front lawn every
to tear up your front lawn ever

The police roundup is centering in Prague, but it is hitting is there in Bohema and Moravia. Slovakia, however, is the scene of more routine arrests chiefly of Roman Catholic priests and others accused of being "dissident elements." Some estimates place the number of recent arrests as high as 30,000, but no offices figures are given by the communist regime.

Even wearers of communist party badges do not feel safe.

A systematic campaign is being waged to exterminate the Christian religion, especially Catholics who are most numerous, and make all religions state controlled organizations, as in Russia, where there is always a purge going The dreaded relapse to the dark ages has become an actuality wherever the bloody typranny of the iron curtain falls on helpless people in the Red Utopia where there is no god but Stalin.

Playing It Safe



SIPS FOR SUPPER

To Remain Hidden

By DON UPJOHN

ETAOIN ETA ET A recent county court order to destroy the ballots from the last general election in the county is revealing County Clerk Harian Judd as the No. 1 self-control guy of the week with a backbone as stiff as a ramrod. For included among the ballots to be de-

the contest be tween John Steelh a m m e r a n d Farmer Jones for a post in the state leg-islature, and de-cided it by one vote. The ballot box was never opened, nor the

votes ever re- Des Upjohn counted. The

matter went into an election conmatter went into an election conjean Walker neard a rusue in 6 to give the admirals an open
test and went out on a legal her fireplace. Suspecting a litpoint. Judge George Duncan had the mouse, she went over to have
ordered the ballot box officially a look. Flopping on the cold gia, who sided with the admisealed with the court seal and it grate was a big, plump goldfish,
is still so sealed. Now your colwas a big, plump goldfish, rals: "The responsibility is now
the still so sealed. Now your colwas a big, plump goldfish, rals: "The responsibility is now
the still so sealed. Now your colbathiub, washed off the soot.

"We Secretary" interpreted the ballots in that box are de- ly. Her guess: "A bird must have stroyed, to have an unofficial raided someone's fish pond and count of same made as it applied dropped it down the chimney." to the vote between Mssrs. Steel-hammer and Jones and offered Even Exchange the suggestion to the county ed a few remarks about "letting through the grip at the top of a sleeping dogs lie." "let the dead manhole at Salem Heights school past bury list dead," and "why in an attempt to figure out a bring that up?" And so the ballots from that precinct will in looking a cigarette lighter dropdue course go up the courthouse ped from Woelke's shirt pocket chimney in smoke and be waft- down through the grid into ed to the Valhalla of all defunct about seven feet of drain. The

stroyed are those from Salem No. 1 precinct which after last fall election decided thought is was merely a little thought is was merely a little er.

additional flourish and not an "It's obvious to me that you extra vote at all. But maybe want to promote all this discord, Harlan's right. Supposing they which must be of no little comperer counted and it was found for to a potential enemy. I'm to be but a little flourish? Why for ending it right here and now, it might upset everything the without letting this committee legislature did in the whole session, and would that he good—ever at an open hearing." sion-and would that be good- ering at an open hearing." wouldn't it?

Page Mrs. Ben Pade

umnist and some others thought bathtub, washed off the soot, "Mr. it would be interesting before and soon had it swimming brisk-Kilday,

ggestion to the county County Engineer Hedda Swart
The county clerk's back- and Roadmaster Frank Woelke sone stiffened and he murmer- yesterday were trying to look election ballots.

The question of the election us, formed a sort of fish hook oming Democrat insists.

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The only solution, Hunt behaving on the basis of a slight fished out the cigarette lighter, lieves, is to place an American mark on the tally sheet which. But while he was leaning over superintendent or principal over the board decided represented an in the process two pencils drop-extra vote. Some others, in-eluding Farmer Jones, of course, drain. They're still there.

POOR MAN'S PHILOSOPHER

What Makes You Think You Want to Buy a House?

By SAUL PETT

New York, Oct. 12 P-If you're having difficulty buying a house, pull up a chair and listen. I'm an authority on the sub-

I have been buying a house every Sunday for three years. I have driven 16,682 miles (in just the suburgs, of course) and I

have spent \$32243 on gas and oil, but I have been able the same and the of only

with the same And so I say

don't be afraid play canasta:
You can have your home and Are the rooms big enough for sanity, too, House hunting is the furniture and the children? not as confusing as you might Which will have to go first? don't be afraid

think. vital questions before buying:

Be careful. Practically every—carry a orecze?
thing these days is called a How good is the insulation?
ranch house. All some builders Is it rock wool, glass wool, cotneed is a small, high window in ton blankets, wood fiber blan-the bedroom and they think kets, metal foil, mica bubbles,

who owns the lot next door is the sewage already in or and are they planning a glue will a picturesque old man come factory?

What exactly does he mean be distinctive?

v saying, "you can own this And what makes you think

can heat the place for \$8 a still got a free ride—in a plush, "Our plans have contemplated winter or summer?"

Are metal area.

Are metal cross pieces between floor joists better than wooden bridging?
How good is the commuting

Don't take anybody's word for it. Take a week off, ride the railroad yourself with an accurate watch. Do you sit or stand? play canasta?

Is there a full basement and, Just don't buy on impulse if there isn't will radiant heat-Don't buy on faith. Be practical ing prevent dampness and where Make sure you answer all the will you store all the things

Is it colonial, Cape Cod, California bungalow, modern, English tudor, early American, a picture of and what do you get lish tudor, early American, a picture of and what will the French provinctal. Dutch coneighbors get a picture of, and lonial, Georgia, Spanish, Northese small little sections which open, will they be enough to planned with attention to "fit-

by saying, "you can own this home if you can saying think home if you carn \$4,000 a year." you want a house?

Does he think you'll be able to I don't. I just like to have cat too? When he says you some place to go Sundays.

What a Hunter, This Guy!
Tacoma, Wash, WE-A. J. McCarthy, fire marshal at nearby McChord Air Base here, denies he's going cougar hunting th a sling shot. McCarthy went squirrel hunting one Sunday with a .22

rifle. A bear ran in front of him and up a tree.

McCarthy fired one shot and the SCC-pound bear fell to the ground dead, with a bullet in its heart.

WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Kilday Calls on the Navy to Offer Constructive Criticism

By DREW PEARSON

Washington—The public now knows what happened when Admiral Arthur Radford testified at an open session of the house armed services committee.

But they don't know what happened at the closed door session which preceded his testimony.

private plane owned by Phil-

lips Petroleum company. This

plane was put at the disposal

of the Democratic National com-

mittee by Phillips' chief lobby-

ist, R. C. Joplin, and its free passengers included Secretary of Labor Maurice Tobin, U. S. Treasurer Georgia Neese Clark

and Assistant Secretary of Com-

The plane also stopped in St.

After the party, Phillips Pe-

NOTE - The oil companies

with Vice president Barkley.

The sudden death of Senator

The bill removing religious

debate this week, but now the

War Is Not Inevitable,

General Bradley Declares

General Omar Bradley declared Wednesday that war is not

"War is not impossible, but I believe it is unlikely," the chairman of the joint chiefs of staff declared in an article in the current Saturday Evening Post.

judiciary committee will be ex-

funeral in Boise.

Bert Miller of Idaho may hold

troleum flew Barkley and Tobin

merce Tom Davis.

After Admiral Radford read his confidential statement later repeated in the open sesrepeated sion—of gripes against the air force and De-fense Secretary Louis Johnson. Congress m a n Paul Kilday of Texas remarked Drew Pessess

"Admiral, I am disappointed Louis to pick up Vice presithat you did not come here with an affirmative statement of what dent Barkley who had been the navy can do, instead of a courtin' criticism of what the air force After

"I'm just the leadoff man," "I'm just the leadoff man," back to Washington, then the replied Radford, "Later on plane returned to its home base we'll have some witnesses on in Oklahoma, the affirmative side."

"That's my point," shot back Kilday. "The navy has chosen to lead off by criticizing the other fellow, instead of telling us what the navy can do and how much you need in surface if Mr. Joplin was in a mood to whom the companies of tide-lands oil and against Leland Olds' confirmation to the federal power commission. But how much you need in surface if Mr. Joplin was in a mood to ships, submarines and air pow- lobby, he didn't get a chance

"It's obvious to me that you Will vice por only on the vice por only on I'm SENATOR MILLER'S VOTE up displaced persons legislation

Secretary of the Navy Mat. until next year, thems didn't open his mouth un. The bill rem Bristol, England (47) — Mrs. Kilday's protests and voted 9 to
Jean Walker heard a rustle in 6 to give the admirals an open

"Mr. Secretary." interposed cel out your court-martial of Captain Crommelin. He is not promoting discord any longer. This committee has taken over for him after the vote today."

GERMANY IS STILL NAZI

Just back from Germany, Senator Lester Hunt of Wyoming warns that it will take an army of educators following up the army of occupation to defeat Nazism in Germany.

"There is no such thing as de-Nazifying a Nazi," the Wy-NO HYSTERIA OVER RUSS A-BOMB

every German school and an American president over every German university. "It would cost us less," he promises, "than the first month of World War III."

FREE AIR RIDE

The Democrats were tipped "I believe it can be made in- this for the past five years," he off that this columnist was creasingly unlikely by our own points out. checking on what air force behavior—if only the American "It need not seriously affect checking on what air force plane might fly to Kansas City people can adhere to a wise and force steadfast course of conduct or no gamboree. Possibly this had something to do with the fact that not a single air force plane made the trip.

However, a few high officials to the company of the stable equilibrium of force or our strategy for peace. For through the years."

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Views on County Court House

To the Editor: For some time I have been reading with disgust "Letters to the Editor" concerning the exterior of the proposed

Marion county court house.

Mt. Putnam's Monday editorial seems to sum up pretty well the wiews of a relatively small portion of an unenlightened public which won't tolerate anything new.

Aside from the . . . name calling . . the "public" seems to be ing to look at?

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Aside from the . . name calling . . the "public" seems to "e bothered by the windows and the fact that, in looks, it is not a copy of the government Post Office or the various state buildings.

Office or the various state buildings.

ake sure you answer all the will you grant Also is It is unfortunate that the tal questions before buying: you'll never use again? Also is It is unfortunate that the will the style of architecture it true people get flat feet from floor plans were not also published the style of architecture. Do you really like a picture ability, bear out the fact that window and what do you get a building, to be well designed,

builds some buildings of ques- vision of plan.
tionable beauty a few blocks DICK S'
away, should the county feel 883 N C

It is unfortunate that the floor plans were not also published, which would, in all probability bear out the fact that pure simplicity, an interesting conquest." is planned from the inside out, is monumental in feeling, and the exterior being only the outcome of an interior which is planned with attention to "fitiness for purpose" and "function."

The Capital Journal readers in invitation to aggression. A The capital state when the purpose attempts of western Europe to be structure Marion Gen. Bradley declares.

"I consider the health and highly suitable for the purpose strength of western Europe to be for which it was designed. It vital in the strategy for peace," is the type of structure Marion Gen. Bradley declares.

The Capital Journal readers in invitation to aggression. A variety in it's break up of space.

need is a small, high window in ton blankets, wood fiber blanthe bedroom and they think kets, metal foil, mica bubbles, the bedroom and they think kets, metal foil, mica bubbles, to control sunlight and large tecture is, what it should do, ica, has a defensive power which they've got a home on the and, by the way, what are mica expanse of window are undoubted and in what direction it is going no aggressor in his right senses today led by such men as Mr. would dare attack. The men who owns the lot next door. Is the sewage already in or why should walls be broken.

I should like to ask, too, why known before a small group of I should like to ask, too, why known before a small group of fense plans, the general says, but ould the outward appearance moss-backed conservatives bring of these MAP is the most imconform with the adjoining cap pressure to bear on the court portant, itol group? Because the state house advisory board for a re- "MAP is designed to help Euhouse advisory board for a re-

other state buildings, of Grecian design. It would be most out of place, within the radius of our state the and government buildings (to put) a structure of such modern tion. design (as the proposed county court house). Let's keep the Grecian dignity.

LYDIA CASE

BY GUILD

Wizard of Odds



MacKENZIE'S COLUMN

Nehru's Visit to America Rated as a Historic Event

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

A dozen years from now we are likely to be reminding ourselves that Tuesday's arrival of Pandit Jawatarlal Nehru on his first

trip to this country was a far-reaching event.

The prime minister of India is one of the outstanding leaders of our time He was educated in England.

As head of this great new nation, with its more than 300,-000,000, Nehru already is dem-The bill removing religious onstrating a discrimination from the Dis-leadership placed Persons Act was sup- which is mak posed to come up for senate ing itself felt

throughout sia: His influ pected to attend Senator Miller's ence ence on world unity will be vast.

handling the displaced persons bill, it may prevent the bill entertained by our President, ly in the drive for Indian independence until the latter's assentiation on January 30, 1948. So it was natural that Gandhi the guest forms may well depend future relations between the told Senator Magnuson of Washington that he wanted to vote for the displaced persons bill. Undoubtedly Senator Miller would have preferred to have

Washington, where he is being saintly little Mahatma faithful-lectomes a matter of moment. For upon the impression which this brilliant and highly sensitive guest forms may well depend future relations between the United States and an India the disciple should become the which is going to play a dominant part in the development of the Orient.

Nehru, who will be 60 on

Nehru, who will be 60 on the 14th of next month, not only his colleagues stay in Washington and vote to aid thousands of refugees who are still alive, than mourn over him in Idaho. cy of all India.

out in quantity and delivering

"As long as America retains (as it can) a tremendous advan-tage in A-bomb quantity, qual-ity and deliverability, the deter-rent effect of the bomb against

an aggressor will continue. Sus-

tained research and development

can keep us far in the lead with

methods for intercepting enemy

He attended Harrow, one of the country's famous "public" country's famous "public" schools (really private) and at the University of Cambridge.

Later he studied law in Lon-don and returned to his native land as a polished intellectual, who had the marks of genius. At the outset he showed little interest in the independence movement, but soon he joined

and thereafter devoted his whole

life to the ideal.

He became one of the most devoted disciples of Mohandas Since this is the committee Therefore, Nehru's visit to K. Gandhi and followed the handling the displaced persons Washington, where he is being saintly little Mahatma faithful-

granted independence.

Nehru is an internationalist and a socialist and is a bitter

opponent of dictatorship.

He is, however, what might be described as a middle-of-theroad socialist. He believes in what he calls a "mixed econo-my" in which the state assumes management of key industries but still allows plenty of chance for private enterprise to oper-

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rope speed up the building of her armed forces to the point DICK STEWART her armed forces to the 883 N Cottage St. Salem where they can stop any rush from the east, and hold it long enough for the enormous mili-To the Editor: We have a beautiful capitol, government and tary and industrial potential of the western world to get into ac-

> "Faced with such a defensive barrier, any possible aggressor must realize that if he starts a war, he cannot win."



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