

DEWEY CRITICIZES THEORY THAT F. R. IS INDISPENSABLE

Future Peace and Prosperity Should Not Hinge on One Man Says GOP Candidate

Portland, Ore., Sept. 20—(UP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey turned south to California today for more campaign speeches following last night's appeal to voters in the November election to reject the theory of an "indispensable man" and the argument that future peace and prosperity depend upon re-election of President Roosevelt.

The republican presidential nominee made his challenge of the "indispensable man" issue before an overflow audience of more than 7,000 persons in the Portland ice coliseum and over a nation-wide radio hookup.

"None Indispensable" Dewey opened his blast against the "indispensable man" claim by declaring flatly that: "There are no indispensable men."

"If our republic, after 150 years of self-government, is dependent upon the endless continuance of one man in office, then the hopes which animated the men who fought for the declaration of independence and the constitution have indeed come to nothing," he said.

Dewey's address was made after a series of delays caused by two wrecks on the Great Northern railroad between Seattle and Portland.

Dewey's special train rammed the rear end of a stalled regular passenger train at the scene of the earlier wreck shortly before noon.

Dewey Uninjured Dewey and his wife and most members of the official party escaped personal injury. The overnight stay at Portland was lengthened to allow time for refitting the special train and replacing broken glass.

Dewey will confer with Gov. Earl Warren and other political leaders in California and also will make two major addresses before he starts the long swing back across the country to Albany, N. Y.

His first address will be given

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tomorrow at San Francisco, to be followed by another at Los Angeles the following night.

"The peace and prosperity of America and of the world can never depend on one man," the GOP candidate told the nation last night.

Essentials Listed
The essential requirements for peace and prosperity, he countered, are three-fold. He listed:

- 1—"Unity in our government and strength and unity among our people."
- 2—"Harmonious action between the President and Congress."
- 3—"A strong and vigorous America with jobs for all."

None of them, he added, have been evidenced in 12 years of the Roosevelt administration. All of them can be realized, he promised, by a change in administration next January.

"The plain fact is," Dewey said, "that for 12 straight years the New Deal has given this country a continued demonstration of quarreling, dissension and disunity. It has set group against group, race against race, and class against class."

As examples of disunity in government Dewey recalled the quarrel between Vice President Henry A. Wallace and Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones over activities of the foreign economic administration "in which they publicly called each other 'obstructionists' and 'liars' and the quarrels within the War Production Board which were climaxed recently by sending WPB Chairman Donald M. Nelson to China."

Ickes' Tirades Tire
"We have listened without surcease to the shrill, abusive tirades of Mr. Ickes (Secretary of Interior Harold L. Ickes)," he said. "We have heard Vice President Wallace recklessly denouncing unspecified Americans as fascists."

"An administration which cannot unite its own house even in war can never unite the nation for the tremendous peace tasks ahead of us . . . the one indispensable thing to achieving this teamwork and devotion, this unity in government we have so long lacked, is a change from the indispensable man."

As an example of lack of harmony the White House and Congress, Dewey recalled the President's veto of the 1944 tax bill last February which provoked Senate Democratic Leader Alben W. Barkley, of Kentucky, to voice a vigorous protest on the senate floor.

"My opponent has demonstrated that he cannot work with the present democratic congress," Dewey said. "How in the name of the future of our country can he be expected to get along with the republican congress which will certainly be elected this fall?"

Job Lack Unsolved
As for job opportunity, Dewey repeated his complaint that after seven years in office with "unprecedented power," and spending \$3 billion dollars,

"there still were 10 million unemployed."

"We need to revise and radically reduce the unnecessary burdens and handicaps placed by government upon the job-making machinery of our economic system," Dewey continued.

"We need to revise our present tax policies which now deter every kind of business enterprise which makes jobs. We need a drastic change in government policies which now invite labor disputes and place handicaps upon responsible labor leaders in their work . . . We need, above all, a government which believes in the future of the American people."

Dewey argued that President Roosevelt will not be indispensable to writing or preserving of the peace terms either.

LOCALS

Rummage Sale—Daughters of Nile Patrol will hold a rummage sale Friday and Saturday in the Masonic building, West Main and Holly. Those having rummage to donate are asked to telephone 2612.

Miksche To Speak—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miksche of 813 Minnesota street are spending a few days in San Francisco where Mr. Miksche will be guest speaker for the meeting of the California Retail Seedsmen's association at a meeting in the Palace Hotel September 22.

To Hold Sale—Women of St. Mark's Episcopal church will hold a rummage sale Friday and Saturday of this week at the old West Side pharmacy building, corner of Main and Grape streets. Contributions may be taken to the building Thursday afternoon, the committee states.

Local Visitors—Two members of the WAVES, Emma Jane Brewer, Y-2c and Emma Compton, Y-3c, both stationed at San Francisco, Calif., are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brewer, 302 Laurel street. They plan to return south tomorrow morning.

In Illinois—Two Medford youths, Hubert D. Woods and Robert C. Weisenburger, are receiving their initial naval indoctrination at the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Ill., a dispatch from the station reports. Woods resided in Medford at 6 Laurel street and Weisenburger's home is at 25 Hawthorne.

In England—Flight Officer Douglas S. Eden has arrived at an air service command station in England, a news release from the station reports. The officer is now undergoing the orientation course designed to bridge the gap between training in the states and combat soldering against the enemy in France. Before entering the air forces, Eden was a junior at the University of Oregon. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Eden, 211 Genesee street.

ICKES TELEGRAM BRINGS HOT REPLY FROM JOHN LEWIS

Cincinnati, Sept. 20—(UP)—United Mine Workers' President John L. Lewis charged today that Interior Secretary Harold L. Ickes is a "political office holder, grown fat in public office," and denied charges by Ickes that coal production has been lagging.

In a reply to a telegram from Ickes charging that the nation's mines are not producing as much coal as they should despite manpower shortages Lewis said that Ickes' statement was based "on absolute ignorance of mining practice and is a display of personal malice unbecoming a cabinet officer."

"What I would like to know," Ickes wired, "is whether you, as president of the United Mine Workers of America propose to live up to your long vaunted role of abiding by your contracts or whether it is your purpose to evade the compliance of your contract?"

Lewis answered that Ickes had failed to consider the UMW's request that safety measures recommended by the U. S. bureau of mines be adopted in all mines taken over by the government and then added: "May we inquire whether that statement was cleared through Sidney (Sidney Hillman)?"

"No Harold," Mr. Lewis wrote. "Our message was not political. Bread and butter are not political. Dead men in coal mines are not political. They are elemental human considerations that the shallow vapors of a professional politician cannot hold in check," Lewis said.

"The mine workers of this country through this convention are asking for fair treatment from you who are a political office holder, grown fat in public office. Do they get it, Harold; do they get it?"

Livestock

Portland, Ore., Sept. 20—(UP)—**Cattle, 200:** calves, 50. Active, strong. Canner-cutter cows now 25¢ higher than last week. Few common-medium steers, \$9.50-11.50; common-medium heifers, \$8.00-10.50; canner-cutter cows, \$4.00-6.00; dairy type cows to \$7.00 and above; good beef cows to \$10.50; medium-good bulls, \$7.75-9.00; good valuers, \$12.00-13.50; grass 13.50-15.00.

Hogs, 700: Active, steady. Good choice 180-240 lbs. \$12.75-14.00; 240-300 lbs. \$12.75-14.00; few feeder pigs, \$12.25-13.50. Steady. Few loads on sale. Few cull-common lambs, \$5.00-8.00; medium-good grades, \$10.50-12.00; good ewes salable \$3.00-3.25.

South San Francisco, Sept. 20—(UP)—(USDA)—Livestock: Cattle, 300. Steers absent, mostly eastern Oregon range stock. Active, generally steady. Two loads medium good, eastern Oregon grass 915¢; heifers, 912¢; two loads Oregon 915¢; grass cows, \$11.00; load 600-lb. hogs, \$12.75; few feeder pigs, \$12.00-13.50. Steady. Few loads on sale. Few cull-common lambs, \$5.00-8.00; medium-good grades, \$10.50-12.00; good ewes salable \$3.00-3.25.

Calves, 50: Generally steady. One load 400-450-lb. calves offered. **Hogs, 700:** Steady. Few loads good to choice 180-240-lb. hogs and pigs, \$12.75-14.00; packers 255-270-lb., \$12.00-13.50; heavy hogs and good choice cows, \$15.00.

Cattle, 12,000: calves, 800. Fed steers, top \$12.35; next long yearlings, \$12.25; light yearlings, \$12.10; large, 1½ fed steer run, bulk, \$16.00-18.00; heifers, best, \$12.75-14.00; sausage butts, \$8.25-10.50; mostly cutter cows, \$7.50-9.00; most beef cows, \$8.00-11.50; valuers, \$16.00 down.

Sheep, 2000: Active. Good and choice native spring lambs, \$14.25-14.50; odd lots mixed medium and good, \$12.50.

Portland Produce
Portland, Sept. 20—(UP)—Whole sale market list:
Watermelons—2½¢-3¢ lb.
Beans—Oregon green, 10¢ lb.; Kentucky Wonder, 12¢; Yount, 10¢-12¢ lb.
Cauliflower—No. 1 local, \$2.00-2.25; California, \$1.75-2.00 crate.
Lettuce—Local, No. 1, \$3.25-3.50; Potatoes—California sweet and yams, \$3.74 crate.

Chicago Wheat
Chicago Sept. 20—(UP)—Wheat:
Sept. - \$1.30 1/2; \$1.30 1/2; \$1.30 1/2
Dec. - 1.35; 1.35 1/2; 1.35 1/2
May - 1.51 1/2; 1.51 1/2; 1.51 1/2
July - 1.42 1/2; 1.42 1/2; 1.42 1/2

Wall Street
New York, Sept. 20—(UP)—Stocks extended yesterday's advance in light volume today. Leading issues rose small amounts while the special stocks had advances of as much as 3½ points in Chas. Pfizer, Pepsi-Cola, the most active issue traded, rose 2½ points to a new high. Railroad equipments continued active, featured in volume by American Locomotive. Coppers moved into the front.

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line with particular strength in Kennecott, which rose more than a point.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:
American Tel & Tel 161 1/4
Anaconda 27 1/2
Chrysler 92
Curtiss Wright 5 1/2
General Electric 37 1/2
General Motors 61 1/2
Montgomery Ward 51 1/2
Penn R R 29
Phillips Petroleum 43 1/2
J C Penney 103 1/2
Radio 11 1/2
Southern Pacific 27 1/2
Standard Oil Cal 35 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur 33 1/2
Transamerica 9 1/2
United Aircrafts 30 1/2
U S Rubber 49 1/2
U S Steel 57 1/2

KING TO PRISON AT END OF WEEK

Allen King, 22, Ashland, sentenced to serve a two-year term in state prison as a parole violator, will be taken to the state prison at Salem the last of the week, Sheriff Syd J. Brown reported today. Allen is held in the county jail. He was granted a suspended sentence on a check charge a month ago.

No action has yet been taken in the case of Robert N. High, charged with bad check operations. He was sentenced from Reno last week-end and lodged in the county jail. He was at liberty on \$1000 bonds. A local woman who signed as surety withdrew last week.

The case of High, as well as Fred Barker, San Quentin prison camp escapee, charged with first degree murder for the slaying of Ira Clyde Carman, will be brought before the next grand jury. Its calling has been delayed.

S. F. DAIRY PRICES
San Francisco, Sept. 20—(UP)—Dairy market:
Butter—93 score, 43¢; 92 score, 42 1/2¢; 90 score, 40 1/2¢; 89 score, 41 1/2¢.
Cheese—Wholesale prices, loaf 27 1/2¢, triplets 27 1/2¢.
Eggs—Large grade A, 51 1/2¢; 52 1/2¢; medium grade A, 46 1/2¢; 47 1/2¢; small grade A, 20¢-22¢; large grade B, 32¢-33 1/2¢.

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JUDGES SELECTED FOR 4-H CLUB FAIR

Judges for the Jackson county 4-H club fair to be held at the fairgrounds September 26, 27, 28, will be: Beef, hogs, sheep, Harry Lindgren, extension specialist in animal husbandry, Ore-dairy, H. P. Ewelt assistant extension dairymen, Ore State college; showmanship, poultry, garden, Jens Svith, Josephine county agent; home economics, Miss Helen Cowgill, assistant state club leader.

Two hundred seventy-five head of livestock are expected for the fair and over 200 exhibits in home economics and woodworking. This is an increase over previous fairs.

The highlight of the fair will be the annual auction Thursday afternoon; sixty head of fat steers will be sold as well as 25 head of hogs and 20 head of fat lambs. It is expected that twice as many animals will be sold at the local auction than at any other 4-H sale held in the state this year.

Private Ashland Ashland Visitor

Ashland, Sept. 20—Pvt. Alf Ashland of Medford army air field visited Ashland U. S. O. Sunday afternoon. Pvt. Ashland was born in Gottenburg, Sweden, and has been in the United States for 8 years. He has been in the armed forces for 17 months. He is now a naturalized citizen. Pvt. Ashland was a maseur in civilian life and came to the United States to work at his profession.

Camp White Dance Schedule

Thursday
Regular informal dance at Service Club No. 2.

HOW THEY STAND

American	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	79	62	560
St. Louis	78	64	549
New York	76	65	539
Boston	74	67	525
Cleveland	67	75	472
Philadelphia	67	76	469
Chicago	65	77	458
Washington	61	81	430
National	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	96	45	681
Pittsburgh	82	58	586
Cincinnati	78	60	565
Chicago	66	72	478
New York	63	77	450
Boston	57	82	414
Philadelphia	57	81	413
Brooklyn	58	83	411

ASHLAND SOLDIER MISSING IN ACTION

Ashland, Sept. 20—Relatives received a message yesterday that George High, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed High, is missing in action in New Guinea. No particulars were given in the telegram. His wife and baby are living in Ashland. Many other relatives are here and in the vicinity. Mrs. Joe King is his aunt.

About the same time Mr. and Mrs. Joe King received word that Lt. Joseph King had been badly injured in a crash. He is in the hospital with neck, back, leg and arm injuries.

The doctor's report gives fractured ribs, arms, neck and badly bruised back, along with other injuries. He managed to send a message to his people in which he speaks of the various casts and said he landed at the wrong time, wrong place and too fast. The Kings have no particulars.

BIRTHS

CHESNEY—To Pfc. Edward B. and Mrs. 20 Laurel, Sept. 19, 1944, a girl, 7 lbs., at Community hospital.

MOTTNER—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. Rt 2 Box 398-A, Sept. 20, 1944, a girl, 8 lbs., at Community hospital.

\$500 FOR FOXHOLE
Metropolis, Ill.—(UP)—According to J. Paul Neal's account, the United States isn't the only place where real estate is high. He wrote home that he had been offered \$500 for his foxhole in Normandy which is well padded and lined with blankets, but that he had refused the price because the hole is waterproof.

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