



**GETTING THE WORD**—Democratic Presidential Candidate Adlai Stevenson seems to be getting the word from Joe Smith (left) as he prepares to take off from Chicago's O'Hare Airport. Smith, a Chicagoan and long-time Democrat, was one of large crowd on hand to see Stevenson off on a campaign swing into the Northwest.

## American Women Said Lacking Sufficient Gadgets for Household

Editor's note: This is the third in a series by a UP correspondent just returned from a seven-year assignment in Europe.

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New York — (UP)—This may make a lot of men mad, but the American woman doesn't have enough gadgets.

Not enough, that is, to equal one live-in maid.

Despite her juice squeezers, dish washers, floor waxers, garbage disposers, pressure cookers, washing machines and deep freezers, the American woman with children remains a prisoner in her castle. It is one hurdle that our know-how has failed to clear.

For \$30 a month in Rome, where we have just wound up a seven-year European assignment, we had a girl who cleaned the apartment, bought the food, cooked the meals and sat with the babies.

For the privilege of coming

back to her native America, my wife has gladly traded away this luxury for what she jokingly calls a life in "Serf-Urbia."

But my wife no longer is claiming that the wondrous supermarkets and the gadgets substitute for a maid.

They don't.

The maid system won't catch on again in America. It may be in its dying hours in Europe—certainly, at those rates.

Who wants to do somebody else's housework?

If it's true that American men

are hopelessly dominated by their women, could it be guilt that drives us to debtors prison to meet each new demand for a new device? Because I haven't met a man in America since my return — and I knew none in 1949 — who would swap jobs with their wives.

We rented a house in Westport, Conn., while looking for a place to buy. I discovered that the beautiful three-bedroom house for \$13,500 advertised in the week we left America in 1949 would go for \$30,000 now. Or "only" \$30,000, as the real estate agents, and my mesmerized friends, would say.

We couldn't understand the ad for "ranch" houses. Brimming with nostalgia, said "it's two stories for us." It took one day of stair-climbing to knock off the second story.

We had agreed that my wife wouldn't wear slacks or those Bermuda shorts which have in-

festated suburbia, baring the knees that sank a thousand ships. My wife put on slacks this morning. Either because I am dominated or because I realized that she can't slave in skirts, I surrendered.

I haven't seen any of my male friends mowing the lawn in coats and ties.

Our elders say we have gone sloppy in recent years. We plead

guilty to being casual and informal. We are mortgaged over our ears, and we call luxuries necessities.

But we have stuck by the main theme — that the home is the center of American life. And despite what you read about pampered females, I haven't seen my wife anywhere except in the kitchen.

Where's yours?

## Smith Supported PSC, Record Shows

Salem — (UP)— Secretary of State Earl T. Newbry said yesterday that records of his office showed that Gov. Elmo Smith voted as a state senator in support of Portland State College.

Newbry said he looked up the record to disprove an assertion by Democratic gubernatorial candidate Robert Holmes, Gearhart, that Gov. Smith "voted against Portland State College."




"Portland State was established in 1949 as an extension center under authority of House bill 213," Newbry said, "and

Elmo Smith, then a state senator, voted for the bill with the majority."

Newbry claimed that Holmes and then State Sen. Richard L. Neuberger had sponsored their own version of a junior college bill which was defeated in the Senate with Holmes and Neuberger voting for it and Smith against it.

The secretary of state added that Smith also voted for Portland State as a four-year degree-granting institution in the 1955 session.



# HARVEST OF VALUES

**Libby's TOMATO JUICE**

4 46-oz. Cans \$1.00  
Case of 12 ... \$2.89

**Libby's PEAS**

5 303 Cans \$1.00  
10 cans ..... \$1.95

**Libby's VIENNA SAUSAGE**

6 Cans \$1.00  
12 Cans \$1.95

**Libby's PINEAPPLE**

Chunk, Tidbit, Crushed Sliced

5 211 Cans \$1.00  
10 Cans \$1.95

**Libby's PEACHES**

Sliced or Halves

3 No. 2 1/2 Cans \$1.00  
6 No. 2 1/2 Cans \$1.93  
12 No. 2 1/2 Cans \$3.69

**Libby's CORN**

Cream Style or Whole Kernel

6 303 Cans \$1.00  
CASE OF 24 CANS \$3.79

## AT LUMAN'S OCT. 18 - 19 - 20 - 21

PLUS NORTHERN STAMPS	<b>LIBBY'S GREEN BEANS</b>		<b>LIBBY'S SAUERKRAUT</b>		FRUIT COCKTAIL
	5 303 Cans	1.00	10 Cans	1.95	
	6 303 Cans	1.00	12 Cans	1.95	
	7 303 Cans	1.00	14 Cans	1.95	
	5 Bottles	1.00	10 Bottles	1.95	
	<b>LIBBY'S DILL PICKLES 1/2 gal. 55¢</b>				
	3 2 1/2 Cans	1.00	6 Cans	1.95	
	2 46-oz. Cans	75¢	4 Cans	1.45	
	5 211 Cans	1.00	10 Cans	1.95	
	<b>LIBBY'S APRICOTS WHOLE UNPEELED</b>		<b>LIBBY'S APRICOT NECTAR</b>		
<b>LIBBY'S PINEAPPLE CHUNK — TIDBITS — CRUSHED — SLICED</b>		<b>LIBBY'S MEATS</b>			

<b>LIBBY'S PORK and BEANS</b>		<b>LIBBY'S RIPE OLIVES</b>	
5 2 1/2 Cans	1.00	10 2 1/2 Cans	1.95
4 No. 1 Cans	1.00	8 Cans	1.95
<b>HAPPYVALE PEAS 303 Cans</b>		<b>ROSEDALE TOMATOES</b>	
7 cans 1.00		3 2 1/2 Cans 69¢	
<b>GREEN BEANS Rosedale Brand</b>		<b>LIBBY'S MEATS</b>	
6 No. 303 Cans 83¢		<b>CORNED BEEF HASH</b>	
		3 16-oz. Cans 89¢	
		<b>BEEF STEW</b>	
		2 24-oz. Cans 79¢	
		<b>CHILI, WITH BEANS</b>	
		2 24-oz. Cans 89¢	
		<b>CORNED BEEF</b>	
		2 12-oz. Cans 89¢	
		<b>ROAST BEEF</b>	
		2 12-oz. Cans 89¢	
		<b>PILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR</b>	
		10 -LB. BAG 89¢	

# BEEF

CUT AND DOUBLE WRAPPED 1/2 or Whole LB. 35¢

<b>FULL CREAM CHEDDAR CHEESE</b>	<b>BEEF STEAK</b>	<b>PICNIC HAMS READY TO EAT</b>	<b>BEEF ROAST</b>	<b>SLICED BACON</b>
<b>39¢ lb.</b>	<b>49¢</b>	<b>39¢ lb.</b>	<b>29¢ lb.</b>	<b>39¢ lb.</b>

# Potatoes

U.S. No. 2 50-LB. BAG 79¢

4th and FRONT

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