

EDITORIALS

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The editor of a small town newspaper in Tennessee recently criticized a candidate for office for going to New York and joining with civilization.

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Furse's Fresh Flashes

Scandal is a breeze that was stirred up into a cyclone by a couple of windbags.

It is alright to be a promising young man if you can back up the promise.

Traveling through the country in an air-conditioned car is nice, but you never know how it smells.

You have to admire a parrot — he's the only creature in the world that will repeat what it hears without trying to make a better story out of it.

There is little chance of a man living within his income these days.

The average girl's ambition is to make some man a good husband.

Flipper Fanny, our dainty little contour twister, says she used to long for an all-day sucker — now she would be satisfied with one only for an evening.

Down Memory Lane

20 YEARS AGO

Clark Boggess, Plattsmouth High School coach, was getting his squad ready for early football practice.

30 YEARS AGO

The First Christian Church voted to hire Rev. George Clark as their new minister to succeed Rev. Walter F. Robb who resigned.

The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND by DREW PEARSON

DREW PEARSON SAYS: IKE'S FEELINGS ON NIXON MAJOR QUESTION MARK; HISTORY REPEATS ON VICE PRESIDENT ISSUE; STASSEN OUT ON LIMB DESPITE SILENT SUPPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO — Biggest question mark in the mind of every delegate attending this otherwise calculated gathering of the GOP clan is whether the older man who is to be nominated by acclamation does or does not want the young man from California as his running mate again.

They are puzzled by the fact that President Eisenhower has praised Nixon yet at the same time never definitely endorsed him, that he seems to like him yet has given the green light to a member of his official family, Harold Stassen, to work against him.

When the Republicans were meeting in 1940, FDR threw them into a tizzy by appointing two top Republicans, Henry L. Stimson as secretary of war and Frank Knox as secretary of the navy.

And like FDR, Ike doesn't like to fire a man who has been loyal. Take the case

Ticklers By George



"He's expecting a letter from one of those matrimonial agencies."

of Henry Wallace and the way he was eased out as vice-president. His situation was almost identical with that of Richard Nixon, with one important exception, namely the party bosses were against Wallace.

History Repeats In both cases, however, it was known that with an again unrobust president re-elected, the chances were strong that the vice-president would end up as president.

Roosevelt, however, didn't want to tell him this, just as Ike hasn't wanted to tell Nixon. He delegated the job to two members of his official family—Secretary of the Interior Ickes and Judge Sam Rosenman, the same Rosenman who was brainstraining for Averell Harriman in Chicago last week.

They figured that Wallace, who once remarked, "I'd like to sit under a tree and study philosophy," would be east to pry out of the vice-presidency, but when they went to see him, Wallace was irked, and like Nixon, said he would not retire unless FDR himself wanted him to.

He went to see Roosevelt himself; Wallace had been completely loyal to Roosevelt. Unlike Jack Garner, he had never undercut the president's program on Capitol Hill.

"If this were a peacetime election, I'd insist on your being with me," he said. "But I'm a war president and I can't do that now. However, I'll do anything you think will help."

And he suggested that he call up some of the party leaders to rally support for Wallace's renomination. Wallace, however, asked Roosevelt to issue a statement of support, but just as Eisenhower has ducked giving Nixon a personal statement, so FDR ducked on Wallace.

The most he gave him was a statement that "If I were a delegate from New York I would vote for Henry Wallace." But at the same time he said this, he also gave a letter to Democratic Chairman Bob Hannegan stating his preference for Harry Truman and Justice William O. Douglas.

The nearest Eisenhower has come to supporting Nixon was a statement by Jim Hagerly, that the president was "delighted" Nixon has charted his own course and decided to run again. But he did not pose for a photo with Nixon, as is customary on an occasion of this importance, and he did not make the statement himself.

The occasion of the Hagerly statement was after Nixon hurriedly went to see Eisenhower after he learned that his campaign manager and close friend, Murray Chotiner, could not escape appearing before a Senate facts would come out sure to hurt Nixon's political standing.

When he went to the White House, Nixon took with him, as did Henry Wallace, a list of state chairmen who supported him. It impressed Eisenhower who, though he's become astute at National politics, does not understand state and local politics. Wallace's list did not impress Roosevelt. He knew politics from the grass roots up,

Murray Briefs:

Bob Spangler Is Gassed At Allied Plant

MURRAY (Special) — Bob Spangler had the misfortune to be overcome by gas at work last Friday at the Allied Chemical Company.

He was taken to Clarkson Hospital where he was treated.

He returned home Sunday and is doing fine at this time.

Linda Stones and Rheda Boardman were overnight guests at the home of Marjorie Hoschar Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gansemeyer and family entertained Sunday at a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Grover King.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Johnson and sons were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Small and Retha of Auburn were visitors at the Earl Lancaster home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Kiser and son, Roger, of Fort Worth, Tex., are spending their vacation with relatives in this vicinity, as well as in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Iverson and daughters, Paula and Portia of Keyser, W. Va., are guests of Mrs. Iverson's mother, Mrs. Addie Perry, during the summer vacation.

Jay Dee Druecker and friends are vacationing at Lake Okobogi, Iowa.

Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Hauptman and daughters of Muncie, Ind., visited for five days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brubacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Grabawski, Stephanie and Tony of Pennsylvania are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Frans. Mrs. Grabawski was formerly Donna Frans.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard and Linda and Roger are spending a few days with Mrs. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee and other friends and relatives at Dwight, Kans. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howard are tending the farm while they are away.

Reverend H. B. Hutchman is in Pennsylvania, his former home, to spend a month with relatives and friends. This is an annual event for Mr. Hutchman.

Mrs. Ralph Meyers is in St. Mary's Hospital in Nebraska City, where she underwent surgery last week.

Mrs. C. D. Spangler and the Charles Spangler family entertained relatives from Wymonising, Pa., last week. They were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Jones and daughters, Margaret and Mary Ellen. They, with their son, Bill Jones, who has assisted Charles Spangler on the farm during the school vacation, departed Saturday for Denver, Estes Park, Yellowstone Park and other places of interest in the West.

Colonel K. Vallery, son of Ed Vallery of 709 South 34th Street, Council Bluffs, Iowa, has received a letter of appreciation while serving with the Korean Military Advisory Group, the Army reported Saturday from Seoul.

He was commended for outstanding service as an advisor with Detachment D of the groups 8202d Army Unit. He entered the Army in 1940, holds the Silver Star and Bronze Star medals.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Hedgerman and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hedgerman of Edina, Mo., were overnight guests at the Earl Lancaster home Sunday. Mrs. Hershel Hedgerman is a cousin of the Lancasters.

Mr. and Mrs. Parr Young have gone to Indiana on a business trip and will visit their daughters in Illinois and Michigan.

Miss Morris is a 1956 graduate of Plattsmouth High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ople O. Morris of Murray.

Mutual of Omaha is the largest specializing in health and accident insurance.

WHAT HAPPENED? Call 242 or 241 and tell your local newspaper — Plattsmouth Journal.

Murdock Items:

Rex Peters Soon To Leave For Tripoli

MURDOCK (Special)—A farewell picnic supper held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Peters on Sunday evening was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Peters, who will soon be leaving for Tripoli, Libya, in Africa for a two year period.

Those present were: Mrs. Carrie Walters and family of Fremont, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swartz and Stanley of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rice of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Gakemeier of David City, Mrs. Ella Gakemeier and Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gakemeier and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gakemeier and Mary Ann.

After supper, Rex showed his pictures taken in Amman, Jordan, where he and wife spent two years.

Mary Ann Gakemeier returned home on last Thursday from Fort Collins, Colorado, where she has been visiting at the George Kruse home.

Mrs. L. W. Rase had her mother as a guest last week. She came on Monday and returned to her home in Auburn on Friday afternoon, taking her granddaughter, Pamela Rose, home with her.

Mr. W. O. Gillespie is visiting relatives in Casper, Wyo., and Billings, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Harms and two children of Aurora, Ill., arrived early Saturday morning and then early Sunday morning they, with Mr. and Mrs. Lacey McDonald, left for a three week trip to Seattle and Kent to visit relatives.

Mrs. Herman Kupke was taken to the Bryan Memorial Hospital on Monday, where she underwent major surgery on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rase and son, who have been staying at his parents, L. W. Rase home for several weeks, left early Monday morning for California where they hope to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Boyd and children of Lincoln visited at the home of Mr. J. A. Boyd on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wilkens and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wilkens returned home on Friday evening from a week's trip to Minnesota.

Mrs. A. J. Tool, who entered Bryan Memorial Hospital a week ago Monday, underwent major surgery on Friday from which she is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cooper were able to bring their small daughter home from the hospital on Saturday morning.

Mrs. Mark Stock and son are visiting relatives in Pennsylvania for several weeks.

Miss Shirley Kupke spent the weekend visiting her parents and other relatives. She is in Denver taking nurses' training.

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Greenwood Soldier Is Recent Graduate Of Non-Com Academy

WURZBURG, Germany—Army Sergeant First Class Vernon L. Grady, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd A. Grady of Greenwood, recently was graduated from the 10th Infantry Division's Non-Commissioned Officer Academy in Germany.

Correction

Two errors appeared on the Smith's Men's Wear Ad in the August 16 issue of the Plattsmouth Journal.

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