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Immediate Death of Wage Controls Due

Witness Tells of More Big Profits for Manard

Probers Told Reformatory Inmates Did Private Work for School Heads

No Subversion at U-T, Hardin Says

Other Book Probers Reserve Judgment

4 New Breaks in Dikes Add to Dutch Peril

Toll Rises to 1880 as Storm Threatens

June Haver To Quit Films, Enter Convent

Let Navy Run AEDC, Since AF Can't—Gore

Tells Wilson Contract Admits Incompetency

Meat Ceilings, Many Others Near End

More Expected Soon; DPA Discontinued

Unlisted Income of Ex-ATUer Bared

Former Chief Hid $40,897, Agents Say

Mother of 5 Pours Shots Into Intruder

3 Youths Given 4 Years in Break-in

Weight Law and Fees

New Basketball Series Starts

Girl in Ohio Family Dies Here After Nights in Unheated Car

50 Coeds Burned in Flash Fire at College

Aide to Planner of Oak Ridge Found Slain in New York City

Whisky-Carrying Cadillac Stopped

Jo Jo Says:

A Milder Night Is Coming

Hardin Convinced 'Subversive' Influences Have Not Invaded U-T Faculty or Books

Hardin ... Convinced ... Subversive ... Influences ... Not ... Invaded ... Faculty ... Books

... to be found in any ... libraries ...

Dr. Holly said the investigators, however, that the ... [illegible] ... was replaced by ... [illegible] ... summary, primarily because ... [illegible] ... felt it didn't give ... [illegible] ... standing to an extent ...

Used to Exist, ... Centers

He said the text ... [illegible] ... used at U-T existed ... centers at Memphis and Nashville. Dr. Paul ... of Extension P. C. ... every unit a reporter later ... would be discontinued automatically next quarter because existed ... normally are "one quarter ... the campus" in the use of ...

Dean Lawrence said the Memphis ... [illegible] ... book had been "cleared for this quarter."

Statements Played Down

Dr. Holly said some students themselves complained about the ... [illegible] ... text because it was "too heavy and too deep."

As for the controversial passages, Dr. Holly said, he and his instructors "play down" such statements and caution the students that they reflect "biased opinion."

"That's why the burden is on the professor," he asserted.

Sen. Roberts then asked whether Dr. Holly thought such passages are likely to "warp" a student's mind toward un-American philosophy.

"No, I don't," the educator replied. "We never let a student think that the author's word is law. We let the student use good logical reasoning and come to his own conclusions."

As did four other department heads and an instructor who followed him as witnesses, along with University President C. E. Hutton who preceded them, Dr. Holly acknowledged the existence of a few "subversive" elements ... [illegible] ... textbook.

The instructor, Dr. Samuel ... Barnes, who teaches Russian history, said he personally felt that no "threat" of Communism or Socialism exists in this country.

Says Fear Overruled

Obviously nervous, Dr. Barnes said he gathered from the newspapers that "such a fear" existed, but added, "I think it is overruled." He gauntleted it to "the tenacious ... [illegible] ... education."

"I believe there have been these influences in labor and possibly in education," he told the committee. "The extent, I don't say."

In reply to a question from Sen. Hawkins, Dr. Barnes acted to "any avowal" of any attempts to force ... [illegible] ... indoctrination or philosophy in schools, and ... [illegible] ...

He he added, had he noted any such philosophy in Hershey's history or Russia, which Dr. Barnes ...

"It tends to be objective," he told Sen. Hardin, "not biased."

Called 'Dogfights'

The senator then asked Dr. Hersh's views on "jeers" which ... [illegible] ... about Communism. In his reply, the instructor referred to a "jeer" rather than "fears."

"Personally," he said, "as far as Communism goes, I believe there is no threat of Communism in this country."

"Why do you say that?" Sen. Hardin asked.

"The number of sympathizers and Communists in this country is so small and their activities are so negligible in comparison with the near-all population, you could hold a meeting of all of them in a room of this size," Dr. Barnes explained.

Library Has Documents

He said Communism has been so discredited in the United States that it does not make any appeal. The threat is external, he said.

Under questioning by Sen. Roberts, Dr. Barnes said there was nothing in the Hersey text indicating favor ... [illegible] ...

... Closes N. Y. Port

Compiled From Dispatches

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—AFL longshoremen refused to cross striking ingmen's picket lines today and tightly sealed the city's waterfront.

A threatened revolt within the International Longshoremen's Association (AFL) membership did not materialize ... [illegible] ... Longshoremen on Pier 42, where insurgent union leadership threatened to defy ILA President Joseph P. Ryan, remained outside the four-man ... [illegible] ... picket line.

Girt Maples, Knox Plumber and Perennial Candidate, Dies

Girtus L. Maples, a deceptively sad-faced, slow-moving man who could devise pointed pag-stunts that would rock the town with mirth, died in an ambulance en route to Fort ... [illegible] ... about 8:45 a. m. today.

Mr. Maples and both his plumber truck and ... [illegible] ... had been ... following ... from the downtown ... three for more than a year. Because of his heart condition, he had ... shoveling snow ... last year at his home at 3811 Highland Avenue and had remained largely indoors. He was 68, and a Fountain City native.

Mr. Maples

Stricken at Home

The veteran plumber and perennial "Working Man's Platform" candidate for public office, suffered the fatal seizure while sitting on his bed just after finishing breakfast, Mrs. Maples was with him.

Services will be held at the Mann chapel. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. The hour had not been set.—The Knoxville ... [illegible] ... whose family moved here ... when he was 7, was a member of First Baptist Church.

Known as 'Green Horse'

Mr. Maples leaves his wife of 50 years, Mrs. Josephine Green; a daughter, Mrs. ... [illegible] ... of an earlier marriage, George T. Maples, Fort Walton, Fla., and Mrs. Velva Mynatt, Burlington; two brothers, E. L. Maples, Knoxville, and Raymond Maples, Flint, Mich., and two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Girt Maples, as thousands called him, the self-styled "Green Horse" of reformation to those he deemed deceitful, seemed almost always to be campaigning. He participated frequently and usually in races for sheriff and City Council and other offices. And he waged many a feud with various officials and administrations, largely via his budgetarier car.

Ordinance Failed

The Maples automobile would travel blaringly up and down the street with Girtus at the wheel. Downtown he might show up in his work overalls, or carefully attired, with a carnation in his lapel.

When the city took aim at him with an ordinance banning amplified speech-making from automobiles, it failed to still the Green Horse. He merely switched to amplified music recordings, and continued his street tours.

Ridge Death Ruled Traffic Fatality

OAK RIDGE, Feb. 5.—A T-12 instrument man employed by Charles E. Walker, died of injuries suffered in an automobile accident. He was shown by an autopsy yesterday afternoon. The autopsy revealed internal injuries.

Walker, 28, was found dead in his car in a ditch Tuesday night. The car went 275 feet through a field not stopped in a ditch near South Illinois Avenue and Lafayette Drive. At first it was thought he might have died of natural causes before the car left the road and went through the field.

His death was the first traffic fatality in 282 days.

He lived at 144 Cotton Hall, a dormitory. His home originally was Horse Branch, Ky., and the body is being taken there.

Swan, in Hospital Here, Won't Talk

... Charles Swan, foreman ... missionary of colleges ... refused to make a direct ... in connection with ... a legislative committee ... irregular purchases ... and other items for the ... were made during the ... Browning's admin ...

... In St. Mary's Hospital ... rest said yesterday, ... I've heard or seen in ... yet has been accused ... Browning ... and I'm not ... even they get ready to ... other side. I'll have plenty to ...

... Brown told the committee ... today that irregular ... furniture had been ... Standard Furniture Co. ... and identified Tony ... owner, as a lifelong friend of ... Swan's.

... [illegible] ... irregular and the ... according to The Associated Press.

Obscene Letter Charged to Ridger

A hitherto ... technician at Oak Ridge ... Lafayette was charged ... with mailing an obscene ... to a married Knoxville ...

He is ... Lloyd Clack, St. ... of St. Louis. Postal Inspector ... D. Pemberton said the letter was mailed in January and the ... women's command turned the ... over to postal authorities.

Clack's admitted sending the letter, Mr. Pemberton said. He was charged before U. S. Commissioner M. M. Bennett today.

Lane To Be Open Tomorrow Night

Drivers can get their cars through the Safety Lane after work hours tomorrow.

Capt. Joe Edington said the lane will be open from 5 p. m. to 9 p. m. following a successful night opening last Monday. Cars were checked through last Monday night from 5 p. m. to midnight.

Other night openings will be announced from time to time when ever lane personnel can work those hours, Capt. Edington said.

Forget income tax forms the night of March 15. It is ... to be ... hours Civil Defense.

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