

Hate Mongers—

## SENATOR HELPS SMEAR LABOR

## O'Daniel Plays 'Power-Crazed Union Racketeers.'

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"the Communists and labor racketeers got us into it."

Down in Georgia rabble-rousing Eugene Talmadge, former governor, publishes the Statesman, pops his red suspenders and tests the winds—looking for an opportunity to regain his lost political power.

"Old Gene" for many years campaigned on a "white supremacy" platform that eventually led him into political trouble. A report that two educators had drawn up a plan that would place whites and Negroes on an equal footing in Georgia colleges sent him spinning into action.

## Joined Hands With Huey

Using his power as governor, he brought about the discharge of 10 University System officials and instructors. This resulted in University of Georgia losing its accredited standing and contributed much to the defeat of Talmadge by Ellis Arnall.

Mr. Talmadge joined hands with the late Huey Long in a plan to buck President Roosevelt, later called the "Grass Roots Convention of Southern Democrats" at Macon, Ga., in 1936, used the phrase "a citizen without a soul" to describe a corporation, associated himself with a group called the Vigilantes and worked closely with Georgia Klansmen.

Ms. Ben C. Richards of the Texas State Guard, an ex-convict convicted of forgery, apparently is a leader without any organization.

## Disband the 'Patriots'

Active in "political promotion" schemes for years, he "recruited" former servicemen into the military-like Order of American Patriots. Initiation fee and a year's dues totaled \$16. Backed financially by a group of Klansmen and others, he opened "Service Men's Centers" in four Texas cities. These were equipped with bars, game tables and slot machines.

Members, charging Richards with mishandling funds, recently voted to disband the Patriots. A group of them formed the Independent Order of Minute Men.

Ray H. Duncan, editor of the newspaper of the Texas branch of the AMVETS, is busy fighting "penetration" of union members into the veterans' organization. He calls unionists "enemies of veterans."

## Runs Anti-Labor Paper

The anti-labor program of Mr. Duncan and his Texas supporters was repudiated by a vote of 149 to 1 at the national AMVETS convention in Chicago.

Sherman Patterson of Chattanooga, Tenn., runs an anti-labor, anti-Semitic paper, "Militant Truth" which appears in areas in which the C. I. O. has begun union organization drives.

One of the paper's regular advertisers is Joe Damp of the Constitutional Educational League, one of the nation's top-ranking hate peddlers.

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## FINDS SUNKEN BUS

FIRST CREEK, Wash., Dec. 1 (U. P.)—A navy diver today found the submerged school bus which carried 15 students and their bus driver to death in Lake Chelan during a snowstorm last Monday. Diver C. E. Meyer telephoned from 210 feet below the lake's surface that he had found the bus and could fasten a cable to it later.

## WASHINGTON

## Calling

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is written, signed. Many influential senators belong to this school, believe it a mistake to ratify UNO before the peace conference.

Fear is growing that situations around the world—such as in Iran, Netherlands East Indies and elsewhere—will be so frozen with in next few months that only a general peace conference can thwart them—if anything can.

## Dewey and G. O. P.

NEW YORKERS are watching Governor Dewey's current efforts to smooth over long-standing differences with up-state G. O. P. leaders. State conventions to nominate candidates for governorship are only nine months off.

Last week Dewey went out of his way to be nice to former State Chairman Ed Jaekel of Buffalo. Jaekel quit the chairmanship last year after a fall out with Dewey. Last week also Dewey toured several rock-ribbed Republican counties in western part of the state, paid glowing tributes to G. O. P. legislative leaders who've bucked him consistently in past year.

Washington is watching developments because of possible bearing on 1948 presidential election.

## DEMOCRAT members of Pearl Harbor investigating committee are trying to wind up hearings so report can be made on schedule, after Christmas holiday. Republicans are in no hurry, see no point.

G. O. P. members are united on

## 35 DEAD TOLL OF EASTERN BLIZZARD

NEW YORK, Dec. 1 (U. P.)—Tall end snow flurries flicked New England, New York, New Jersey and parts of Pennsylvania today in the wake of a storm which killed at least 35 persons.

The two-day northeaster, which started with heavy winds and rain and then changed to snow, began to die last night after causing millions of dollars worth of damage.

Also revoked was the arrangement whereby a big chunk of reserved space on every train was reserved for army and navy needs. Then how did the officers manage to grab off the Pullman space? Well, said the ODT, "it is still possible that persons who used to handle these reservations (for officers) have an inside track with ticket agents."

The railroads called them "relatives" evidently to get around adverse public reaction to "specials" and sought to play down any information about them.

## REPORT EARTHQUAKE KILLED THOUSANDS

KARACHI, Dec. 1 (U. P.)—Reports reached here today that the Baluchistan port of Ormara, a town of 10,000 on the Arabian sea, was destroyed completely by an earthquake this week.

Radio reports from launches which left here yesterday said the bodies of thousands of persons killed in the earthquake and tidal wave this week had washed ashore in the Ormara area.

## ESCAPE RING HUNTED

DETROIT, Dec. 1 (U. P.)—With eight persons under arrest, federal bureau of investigation agents today continued a search for additional members of a Michigan ring which aided Italian prisoners before him.

## INDIANAPOLIS CLEARING HOUSE

Today Closings ..... \$ 7,316,400 Debits ..... 10,361,000

The Week Closings ..... \$ 25,225,000 Debits ..... 300,450,000

Total to date ..... \$219,400

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