

# Churchill's Son Predicts World War III In 15 To 20 Years

## Says Fear of Atomic Bomb Only Thing Preventing Russ From Annexing Europe Now

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Randolph Churchill, son of Winston Churchill and widely known columnist now visiting Indianapolis, is convinced there will be another world war. Mr. Churchill spoke at English's this morning on the present European situation—tangles, intrigues and politics included.

Earlier in the day in a suite in the Claypool hotel, the sandy-haired, blue-eyed Englishman said war is inevitable and gave the time at 15 to 20 years hence.

"Fear of the atom bomb," declared Mr. Churchill, "is the only thing that is preventing Russia from taking over Europe right now."

### 10 Years of Peace

He said United States monopoly on the atom bomb is a "guarantee of 10 years of peace—no more."

A fast speaking, robust man with a quick wit, Mr. Churchill is out to stop the war he predicts. He is making a six-months' tour of America to stump for peace. Then he plans to return to Europe for a tour of the continent.

His solution for lasting peace is a single world government. "And the United Nations is a failure," said the well-dressed Britisher, grinding out his seventh cigarette of the morning while reaching for another. "The idea is good, but Russia is the stumbling block."

### Need Strong Government

Mr. Churchill advocates that the western powers—all of whom have the same ideology—unite and form a strong government which will be

feared and respected by the rest of the world.

On the lighter side, the 35-year-old British thinks road signs in the United States are "abominable." He is making his tour by private car. He said he has been lost more than a dozen times in the month he's been here because of puny, poorly placed direction markers.

"In England we have whacking big signs—like your bill boards—placed some two or three hundred yards before intersections," he said.

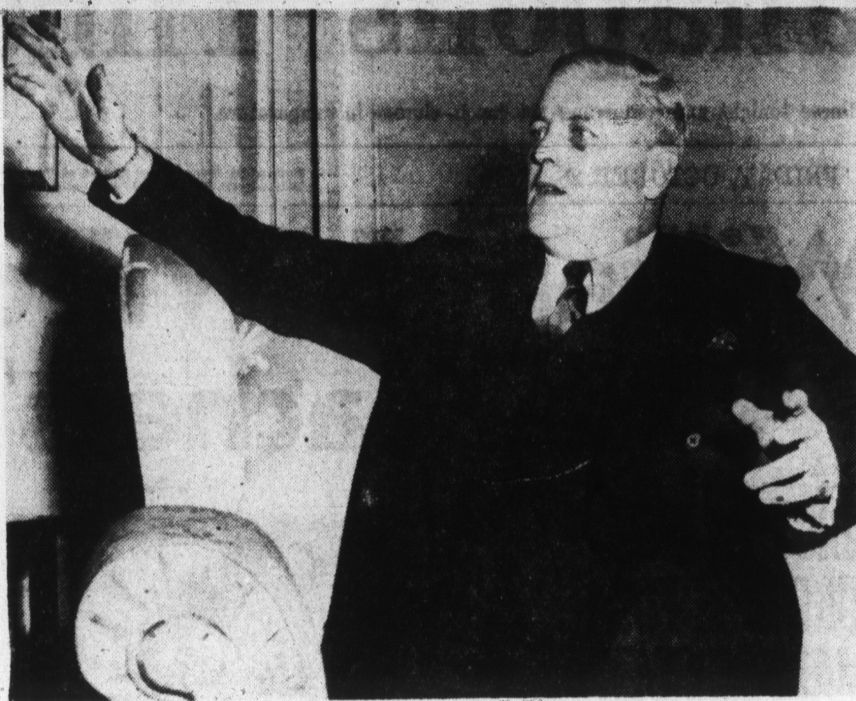
### Criticizes U. S. Road Signs

"Here your markers are placed right at the intersection and the direction arrows are no bigger than half-dollars. You whiz by and are several miles down the wrong road before you realize it."

Another thing Mr. Churchill observed is that there are no pedestrians on country roads. He said the absence of cyclists is amazing, too.

Mr. Churchill opened the Town Hall series of 12 speeches here. He was to speak on the radio this afternoon and leave for Toledo, O., this evening.

During the war, the well known columnist, who writes for The Times, was a major in the British army. He was in the commandos and participated in the African battles of Tobruk and Benghazi.



Randolph Churchill. . . He is out to stop the next world war he predicts will occur in 15 to 20 years.

## POETRY SOCIETY PLANS LUNCHEON

M music and dramatic program will highlight a luncheon meeting of the Indiana Poetry society at 1 p. m. tomorrow at the Marott hotel. Honoring newly installed officers of the society, the affair also will feature talks by past presidents of organization. Dramatic readings will be given by Rita Smith Small, Patricia Mackenhorst and Bertha Bidway, and solo vocalist will be Miss Mary Jean Ebington.

## Press Club Plans Halloween Party

Newspapermen will "steal a march" on spooks and goblins tomorrow night when they hold their Halloween party at the Indianapolis Press club. The event is one of the regular Saturday night parties on the Press club's winter program. Music will be furnished by the Haymakers. The party will start at 9 p. m.

## RECORDED-MUSIC CONCERT PLANNED

The Young Adult council of Kirshbaum center will present the first in a series of recorded-music concerts at the center at 8 p. m. Sunday. Incidental discussion, as well as recordings, will be a feature of the two-hour programs in the series. Sunday's program will include Brahms' Academic Festival overture, Berlioz' Fantastic symphony and Mozart's clarinet quintet.

## DENY POLITICS IN DECONTROL

OPA Officials Say Order Won't Affect Vote.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (U. P.).—A top OPA official denied today there was any political motive in the agency's decision to issue the forthcoming "master" decontrol order just before the Nov. 5 elections.

"Politics have nothing to do with it," Deputy Price Administrator C. Dean McNeal told reporters. "The new decontrol order, scheduled for about Nov. 1, will cover literally hundreds of items, most of which are not important in the cost of living."

Only rent, scarce materials and a few other basic items will remain under ceilings.

### Criticism From Both Sides

Mr. McNeal was asked about reports that top OPA officials were concerned over the political implications of issuing the order near election time. According to these reports, the officials fear OPA will be condemned by the Republicans if the order comes out before the elections, and by the Democrats if it is issued afterward.

Mr. McNeal not only disclaimed political implications but asserted that issuing the order on Nov. 1 would not alter Democratic chances one way or the other.

OPA Rent Chief Ivan D. Carson reported meanwhile that OPA plans next month to extend rent controls to additional areas, particularly some college towns. He repeated that rent controls will not be lifted and that no increase in rent ceilings is contemplated.

OPA continued to remove price ceilings from other items, however.

## Miss McComb Is Teachers' Choice



Miss Gertrude McComb, teacher in Wiley high school, Terre Haute, was re-elected yesterday to head the Indiana state federation of public school teachers. The 600 representatives of the federation held their annual business meeting in connection with the state teachers conference now in progress.

Included in today's decontrol list were eye glasses, glass frames and mountings, sun glasses, hand-operated washing machines, carving and kitchen knives and forks, step-ladders, outboard motors.

Acoustically amplified phonographs, lenses for optical, ophthalmic and scientific use, non-electrical food choppers and extractors such as meat grinders and juicers, lanterns using oil, oil hurricane lamps, portable electric lamps and shades, boudoir lamps, desk lamps, table lamps, and torches.

## PROVES SLAYING DADDY HER IDEA

12-Year-Old Girl Clears Mother and Lover.

SUPERIOR, Wis., Oct. 25 (U. P.).—Twelve-year-old Janet Lind, who killed her father "to make mother happy," convinced authorities today that she "thought up" the murder herself.

Authorities said that lie detector tests and questioning had cleared Janet's mother, Mrs. Irene Lind, 32. Also cleared was Anthony Galaski, 29, husky woodcutter—with whom Mrs. Lind admitted having a romance.

Janet and her sister, Delores, 14, together with her mother and Galaski were taken to St. Paul, Minn., yesterday for lie detector tests. Police sought to determine whether Mrs. Lind or Galaski had influenced the child to kill her father.

### Shot With Rifle

After a 10-hour session in which each was questioned separately and then all together, District Attorney Andrew Borg said that Janet had exonerated her mother and Galaski.

Janet shot and killed her father with his .22 caliber hunting rifle while he slept.

She denied that Galaski had taught her how to shoot. She demonstrated to authorities her deftness with the bolt-action weapon. The blond, blue-eyed little girl said in her confession that she got the idea of killing her father, Clifford, 39, a railroad machinist, after listening to a radio mystery.

Because of her age Janet will be under the jurisdiction of juvenile court, which could impose a sentence of imprisonment to last only until she becomes of age.

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