

## Succession Bill Sent to Truman

**Martin Not Marshall Put First in Line**  
WASHINGTON, July 10 (U. P.).—The House passed and sent to the White House today legislation which would make Speaker Joseph W. Martin Jr. next in line for the presidency if Mr. Truman is unable to complete his term of office.

The vote was 365 to 11. The bill was recommended by Mr. Truman shortly after he stepped up from the vice-presidency on the death of President Roosevelt in 1945. The senate passed it recently.

Under the measure, the speaker of the house would follow the vice-president in line of succession. Under present law the secretary of state is next in line.

The legislation provides that if the speaker is unable to assume the presidency, the office would go to the president pro tempore of the senate, to the secretary of state, general, postmaster general, and the secretaries of navy, interior, agriculture, commerce and labor, in that order.

The bill also provides that any individual succeeding to the presidency must meet the constitutional requirements—must be 35 years of age and a native-born citizen.

## British Black Out

### Guadalcanal Riot News

SYDNEY, July 10 (U. P.).—The royal air force today failed to make radio contact with Guadalcanal, where American airmen reported natives rioting against rice and flour. British authorities blacked out all news on the riot and ordered the Americans not to discuss the situation.

## 'She's Like Queen Victoria, Had to Do the Courting'

ELKHART, Ind., July 10 (U. P.).—B. J. Arisman, who has been confined to a wheel chair for 12 years by a paralytic stroke, said today of his new wife, the former Emma Peterson of Wyoming: "She's like Queen Victoria. She had to do all the courting."

The wedding Sunday climaxed a courtship which began last February when the widowed Mrs. Peterson wrote a letter to the Elkhart Truth concerning some early Elkhart history. She signed the letter E. Peterson.

Mr. Arisman, who prides himself on his knowledge of early Elkhart, could remember no E. Peterson and decided to write the fellow to find out how he happened to know so much about the town's early life.

To his surprise, the answer came from Emma Peterson, not from an

## Stop Russians, De Gaulle Warns

PARIS, July 10 (U. P.).—Gen. Charles de Gaulle said yesterday that unless Russian expansion is stopped, Europe is doomed to enslavement and the world will face a new global war.

Asserting that Russian influence had now swept over two-thirds of Europe, Gen. De Gaulle said at a luncheon of the Anglo-American Press association:

"If things were to remain what they are, this Europe here sooner or later would, by the law of physics, be absorbed by a hegemony beneath which its genius and its light would disappear."

"And as far as the world is concerned, its destiny would only be an immense and fatal war."

## ACCEPTS UNIVERSITY POST

DURHAM, N. H., July 10 (U. P.).—Harold W. Stoke, president of the University of New Hampshire since 1944, accepted today the presidency of Louisiana State university.

## Marshall Tops Best-Dressed List

NEW YORK, July 10 (U. P.).—The best-dressed men of the 1947 summer season were named today by the Mayfair magazine fashion guild.

The selections: Secretary of State George C. Marshall; Motion Picture Actor Alan Ladd; Radio Singer Jack Smith; Bing Crosby; Eddie Rickenbacker; Tennis Star Jack Kramer; Hosiery Executive Frank Burd; Radio Commentator Tex McCrary; Nelson Rockefeller; and James C. Petrillo, the music czar.

## Anderson Woman, 80, Injured by Hoodlums

Times State Service  
ANDERSON, Ind., July 10.—Mrs. Villa Green, 80, was in a hospital today with a broken hip after hoodlums attempted to snatch her purse Tuesday and knocked her to the pavement.

A companion, Mrs. Louise Stoner, also knocked down by the would-be bandits who fled when the women cried out, suffered back and neck injuries.

## Hunt for Husband In Trunk Slaying

### Wife's Body Found Under Hotel Porch

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cal., July 10 (U. P.).—Tall, heavyset Morley King, 47-year-old hotel dining room operator and master of eight languages, was sought today for questioning in the trunk slaying of his New Orleans-born wife, Helen, 47.

Mrs. King's decomposed body—identified by a Los Angeles dentist from dentures—was found yesterday stuffed in a wooden trunk.

The trunk was found beneath the back porch of the Andrews hotel, a landmark to travelers on the Los Angeles-San Francisco highway. District Attorney Herbert C. Grundell said after an autopsy that death was from strangulation. Mrs. King, it was reported, once was married to a French count, killed in world war I.

Dead for a Week. Knotted scarves had been used to strangle her. The body was attired in a yellow linen dress, bobby socks and low shoes and wrapped in a tan and rose blanket.

Deputy Coroner Fred M. Waters estimated that Mrs. King had been dead a week.

Mrs. Ethel Venn, hotel proprietor, said Mrs. King seldom had been seen around the hotel since she arrived May 13 with her husband to take over the dining room on lease. The couple sold their home in Pacoima, Cal., near Los Angeles, for \$8750 before moving here.

King, employed briefly the first week in May as a chef at one of the Los Angeles Brown Derby restaurants, disappeared Sunday in the two-toned sedan which he and his wife drove here.

He was believed to have carried at least \$5000 of the proceeds from sale of their home.

NOMINATED AS U. S. JUDGE  
WASHINGTON, July 10 (U. P.).—Roy W. Harper, Missouri state democratic chairman, was nominated by President Truman today to be a federal district judge.

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