Off to Shop We Go . . .

HALLOWEEN SHOPPING—All eyes and just a little bit timid, Jeanie Russell and John L. Sullivan III start into a dime store to do their Halloween shopping early. Like all good shoppers, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell, 1726 N. Pennsylvania St., and the 5-year-old son of Mrs. H. D. Conner, 1716 N. Pennsylvania St., were determined to see everything before making a purchase. And they did just that.

Photos by John Spicklemire, Times Staff Photographer.

For Masks 'n' All . . .

SELF-SERVICE — Clerk Garnet Dillingham was frightened, not by the ghost mask but by what the two towheads were doing to her display. Some 200 masks later she made a sale. Jeanie and Johnny each walked out with a black half-mask, drooping red mustache and false nose.

Doctors Unhurt as Plane Hits Wires

Light Craft Crashes Onto Highway Here

Two Lafayette flying doctors narrowly escaped death today when the light plane they were attempting to land at Hoosier Airport struck high tension lines, did a flip, and crashed onto the highway at the edge of the field.

The physicians, Dr. Ira Cole and Dr. T. H. Smith, were on their way here from their home in Lafayette to attend the doctor's convention at the Murat Theater. They were shaken but uninjured and will attend the parley.

Frank Cassell, airport manager, said Dr. Cole was flying the plane. It came in too low he said and struck 33,000-volt power line feeding the F. L. Jacobs Co.

Rolls on Strip

Witnesses said the light craft, an Ercoupe two-seater, somersaulted in the air after striking the wires. It landed on its wheels and rolled on into the air strip.

Dr. Smith, who was sitting beside Dr. Cole, was thrown from the plane by the impact when it struck the ground. He landed on the wing, then bounced off onto the ground.

The plane was demolished, according to Mr. Cassell. State police from headquarters at Stout Field investigated the air accident.

The troopers said the ship also severed a primary line supplying residents in the vicinity. Power & Light Co. officials immediately went to work to restore power.

REP. WEST AILING

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27 (UP)—Rep. Milton West (D. Tex.), who has been in Walter Reed Hospital since last May is in "poor condition," the hospital said today. He was put on the critical list.

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President Predicts End Of Rent Curbs If GOP Wins

Charges Real Estate Lobby Set to Influence Republicans Against Extending Controls

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 27 (UP)—President Truman predicted today that if the Republicans win the November election they will kill rent controls next March.

It will mean an immediate rent increase of 20 per cent or more, he said. He charged that the real estate lobby "which always has found it easy to get what it wants from Republican congressional leaders," is prepared to spend about $250,000 to see that rent controls aren't extended beyond the present March expiration date.

Speaking in Hartford alongside Chester Bowles, Democratic candidate for governor and former federal price administrator, Mr. Truman said it was the GOP 80th Congress which killed price controls.

"They used to boast about it," he said, "but they've been awfully quiet about it recently, with an election coming up."

Meanwhile, there were angry charges of "mud-slinging" and "reckless abuse" against the President from Gov. Thomas E. Dewey. The GOP nominee reaffirmed his pledge not to be drawn into personal political bickering as the campaign nears its climax.

The question in the Dewey camp was whether the GOP nominee should reply to the President's "sleeping polls" jibe in his Cleveland address tonight. At the outset of his speech last night in Chicago, Mr. Dewey accused his Democratic rival of spreading "fantastic fears among the people."

Mindful of his own promise to refrain from "vituperation and abuse," Mr. Dewey told his audience "that is the kind of campaign I refuse to wage and I never will."

State Group Renews Plea To Shift Medical Courses

By DAVID WATSON

Delegates to the 99th annual convention of the Indiana State Medical Association were urged today to continue their efforts to have first-year medical courses at Indiana University moved to Indianapolis.

Dr. Cleon A. Nafe, president of the association, made the recommendation in the annual president's message.

Dr. Nafe said the high standards of medical education must be maintained, but the "casualty" rate of first-year students with respectable premedical records seemed entirely too high.

Income Shrinks

First-year medical education would be made less difficult, he added, with basic science classes mixed with some courses in clinical medicine.

While Dr. Nafe commended the 70 Class-A medical schools in the country, he pointed out that many large endowed schools are finding it almost impossible to continue because of shrinkage of their income.

Stabilization and solution of medical care problems is further hampered by the "sober" discontent among younger physicians caused by the threat of another war.

Waste of good medical talent in the performance of non-medical duties during the last war has "dampened the enthusiasm of many young physicians for military service," Dr. Nafe asserted.

Present plans of the armed forces will require 4000 more physicians for completion of the draft, and as yet, very few physicians have enlisted voluntarily.

A normal restoration of medical services to communities which lacked it during the war is evident throughout the state, Dr. Nafe said. He said the trend was toward a concentration of physicians in larger centers and less in smaller ones followed the upheaval of the war.

Church Moderator Will Speak Here

Address by Dr. Baird Set for Tonight

By EMMA RIVERS MILNER
Times Church Editor

Moderator Jesse Hays Baird of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A. will speak both tonight and tomorrow night in Indianapolis.

Dr. Baird who is president of San Francisco Thelogical Seminary, San Anselmo, Cal., will give an address following a 6:30 p. m. dinner tonight in the Meridian Heights Presbyterian Church. He also will speak at 7:15 p. m. tomorrow in one of the assembly rooms of the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Baird is presiding today, as he did yesterday, at the meeting of General Council of the Presbyterian Church in the Indianapolis Atheltic Club. Council members are here from all over the United States conferring with the permanent executive of the church, Dr. William Barrow Pugh, stated clerk.

Such vital matters as the $18,960,000 benevolence budget of the church for 1949 are being discussed by the council.

Describe European Conditions

Dr. Roy Ewing Vale, pastor, announced the moderator's address for tomorrow night in the Tabernacle Church. Dr. Vale said Moderator Baird will report on the recent assembly meeting of the World Council of Churches which he attended the past summer in Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

The speaker also will describe conditions he saw in Europe and tell something of the meeting of the Alliance of Reformed Churches Holding the Presbyterian System in Geneva, Switzerland.

The Rev. Roy B. Connor Jr., pastor of the Meridian Heights Church and the Men's Association, have invited all interested persons to hear the moderator's address tonight in that church.

In speaking of the moderator, Dr. Vale said:

"The churches owe Dr. Baird more than they realize. He prevented the World Council of Churches from making the ghastly mistake of putting the American economic system on a level with communism in a report."

Schricker Hits Low Mark In Times Poll; Dewey Down

Denny's Margin Boosted, GOP Presidential Nominee's Lead Undergoes Slight Trimming

By ART WRIGHT

The tally of all votes received in 11 days of The Times Straw Vote today showed Democrat Henry F. Schricker at the lowest margin he has held in the current poll.

Gov. Dewey lost one-tenth of 1 per cent of the margin he holds over President Truman. Gov. Dewey's margin for 11 days is 20.9 per cent.

In the 11th District congressional race, Andrew Jacobs also lost ground for the Democrats. Republican George L. Denny's margin of 11.1 per cent for the 10-day aggregate increased to 11.7 per cent for 11 days.

Contributing to Mr. Schricker's loss was the fact that for the one day—the 11th—there were fewer straight Democrat ballots and fewer Republicans crossed party lines to vote for Mr. Schricker.

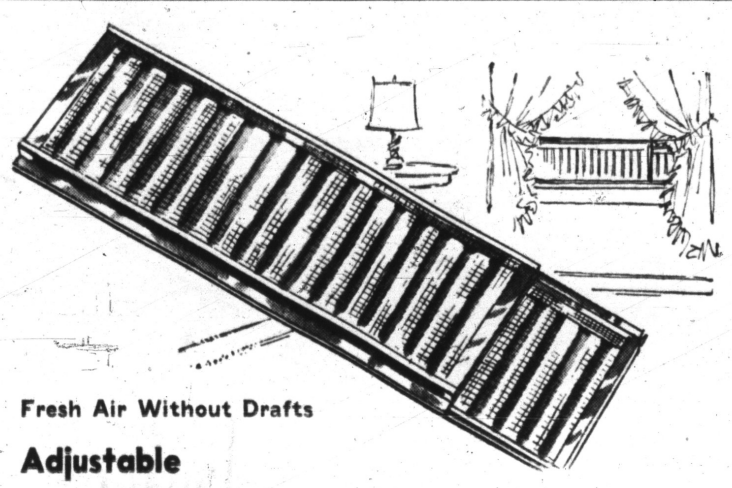
The following tabulation shows the percentage of all votes received for 11 days and lists the percentage for 10 days to provide a comparison:

	Percentages 11 Days	10 Days
PRESIDENT		
For Thomas E. Dewey, Republican	59.6	59.6
For Harry S. Truman, Democrat	38.7	38.6
For Henry Wallace, Progressive	1.3	1.4
Incomplete Ballots	0.4	0.6
GOVERNOR		
For Henry F. Schricker, Democrat	53.6	53.9
For Hobart Creighton, Republican	45.1	44.9
For Walter Frisbie, Progressive	0.7	0.8
Incomplete Ballots	0.6	0.4
CONGRESS		
For George L. Denny, Republican	53.6	53.5
For Andrew Jacobs, Democrat	41.9	42.4
For Wilfred B. Ransom, Progressive	1.6	1.4
Incomplete Ballots	2.9	2.7
PARTY TRENDS		
Straight Republican Votes	40.5	40.1
Straight Democrat Votes	31.8	32.1
Scratches	17.5	17.5
No Party Preference	11.1	10.9
Democrats for Republican Dewey	7.6	7.8
Republicans for Democrat Truman	4.7	4.6
Republicans for Progressive Wallace	0.6	0.6
Democrats for Progressive Wallace	0.4	0.5
Republicans for Democrat Schricker	12.3	12.4
Democrats for Republican Creighton	2.4	2.5
Republicans for Progressive Frisbie	0.4	0.5
Democrats for Progressive Frisbie	0.3	0.3
Republicans for Democrat Jacobs	6.4	6.6
Democrats for Republican Denny	6.0	6.0
Democrats for Progressive Ransom	0.9	0.6
Republicans for Progressive Ransom	0.7	0.8

The one-day percentages of votes counted on the 11th day are: For Gov. Dewey, 60 per cent; President Truman, 40 per cent; Democrat Schricker, 50 per cent; Republican Creighton, 48 per cent; Republican Denny, 56 per cent; Democrat Jacobs, 36 per cent.

Party trends for one day—the 11th—were: Straight Republican ballots, 46 per cent; straight Democrat, 28 per cent; scratches, 18 per cent; Republicans for Democrat Truman, 6 per cent; Democrats for Republican Dewey, 4 per cent; Republicans for Democrat Schricker, 10 per cent; Democrats for Republican Creighton, 2 per cent; Democrats for Republican Denny, 6 per cent; Republicans for Democrat Jacobs, 4 per cent.

The final tabulation will be published in next Sunday's Times. Revised tabulations will be in The Times each day until the last summary appears.



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Lions Club—12 noon, Claypool Hotel.
Power & Light Co. Luncheon for 4-H—7 p. m., Hotel Lincoln.
Navy Day.

EVENTS TOMORROW

St. Vincent's Hospital Guild Benefit Card Party — 1:30 p. m., Highland Country Club.
League of Women Voters Public Forum—7:45 p. m., World War Memorial, Congressional candidates to speak.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lewis Newport, 27, 1122 Trowbridge; Evelyn Wilson, 18, 3821 Southeastern.
Oryal N. Haver, 40, Ft. Wayne; Meredith Jane Pierce, 26, Ft. Wayne.
Harold Thomas Martin, 30, 2136 Allfree; Utonia Mitchell, 21, 2337 Indianapolis.
James William Hedrick, 24, 2941 Madison; Dorothea J. Gilbert, 27, 2941 Madison.
Orphias Gentry Jr., 22, 228 E. Morris; Dixie Williams, 22, 315 E. Prospect.
Grover Bailey, 49, 130 W. 10th; Inez Tanner, 41, 130 W. 10th.
Bernard Joseph Pfau, 29, Washington, D. C.; Dora W. Judkins, 23, Washington, D. C.
Wilfred Paul Laycock, 23, Muncie; Mabel W. Graham, 20, Muncie.
Basil W. Ulrey, 27, 1939 S. Meridian; Lavonne R. Rickard, 16, 1126 S. Randolph.
Eugene Burke, 58, 316 W. 13th; Elizabeth Render, 47, 316 W. 13th.
Walter E. Hatley, 26, 1236 S. Harding; Dorothy A. Hall, 20, 1317 Shepard.
Richard Louis Surenkamp, 23, 4907 Hardegan; Mary Alice Pickard, 18, 831 Brunswick.
Russell R. Patrick Jr., 24, Southport; Dorothy M. Dawson, 23, R. R. 1, Box 650.
Joe Gibson, 26, 1108 N. Alabama; Dolores B. Wells, 24, 820 S. Church.
John White, 22, 1120 Perry; Georgia Smith, 16, 1119 E. Bacon.
Jay Bernard Krebs, 21, Shelbyville; Marilyn Rose Kirk, 20, 1509 W. 26th.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED

Ray L. vs. Hazel H. Morgan; Edna vs. Fred G. Lutz; James vs. Armina Scott; Norma J. vs. Raymond E. Moxley; Mary Helen vs. Elmer L. McDowell; Mae G. vs. William C. Owens; Cordelia vs. Jeff Disney; Flora J. vs. Isiah Anderson; Dorothy vs. Harold S. Revis; Richard E. vs. Mary Taylor; Betty Jo vs. Torvald O. Mahrling; Louise vs. Jazz Boykin; Marie Agnes vs. James Thomas Melfont; Malcolm T. vs. Patricia Nugent; Mary vs. Earl H. Woods; Omer L. vs. Ona June Arvin.

BIRTHS

Twin Boys

At Coleman—Donald, Mary Becker; Warren, Lessie Eakins.

Boys

At Methodist—Cecil, Molly Branham; Archie, Zelma Roach; Richard, Phyllis Smith; Robert, Rosemary Blakeman; Herbert, Mary Carey; Dale, Joyce Goodpasture; Elmer, Leona Perry; Robert, Marjorie Barnes; Herbert, Ann Coff; Robert, Janet Hunter; Ethridge, Agnes Smith; George, Dorothy Coleman; William, Christine Roberts; John, Joan Jay; William, Mary Jean Scott.
At St. Vincent's—Earl, Marcella Woolen; Harry, Evelyn Penney; Earl, Mary Joan Franklin; Everett, Joan Gluff; Charles, Martha Holt; Joseph, Cathleen Hook; William, Kathryn Brenton; Harold, Mary Jane Newt.
At St. Francis—John, Dorothy Stuckey; Earl, Helen Everhardt; Glenn, Margie Clay; Edward, Mary Lamond; Carl, Erline Shepherd.
At Coleman — Harry, Leona Ragsdale; Stanley, Wilma Trusty; William, Roxie Flora; William, Dorothy Hopper.
At General—Charles, Georgia McClury; Harvey, Ruby Sweaney; George, Norma Jean Turner.

Girls

At St. Vincent's—Mark, Jean Weaver; Harry, Virginia May; Edward, Mary Ann Hathaway; Clarence, Wynema Howe; Alfred, Frances VanBuskirk; James, Patricia Zapapas.
At Methodist—Dick, Norma Dean; Abe, Rebecca Zimmerman; James, Florence Shields; Charles, Anna Lee.
At St. Francis—Richard, Mary Plummer; James, Freda Lucas; Rocco, Mabel Meo; James, Aline Sweet.
At Coleman—Ned, Irene Pickering; Farrell, Marjorie Parker; Vernon, Wanda Groves; William, Bertha Nalewalk.
At General—Willie, Leona Caldwell; William, Alice Chatman.

DEATHS

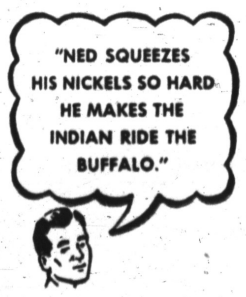
Frank J. Cassell, 70, at 904 N. Belle Vieu, diabetes mellitus.
Mary Nierman, 84, at 619 N. Temple, arteriosclerosis.
William Stumph, 73, at 926 E. St. Clair, cerebral thrombosis.
Maud V. Bauer, 76, at 520 E. Vermont, myocarditis.
George W. Kelly, 50, at General, pulmonary embolus.
Kirk N. Thomas, 68, at 1118 N. Arsenal, coronary occlusion.
Roberta White, 68, at General, subarachnoid hemorrhage.
Bessie Whetlock Armstrong, 65, at 1451 N. Delaware, coronary occlusion.
Frances Benz, 76, at 2002 Madison, arteriosclerosis.
Rose Blakemore, 65, at 2069 Boulevard Pl., carcinoma.
Harry E. Brown, 68, at 2419 N. Talbot, cerebral hemorrhage.
Sarah M. Burrell, 76, at 2507 Union, cerebral hemorrhage.
Dorothy E. Dethridge, 42, at 1427 N. Delaware, carcinoma.
Laura May Gasaway, 72, at 309 S. Hancock, coronary occlusion.
Harry Martin Lemmon, 56, at 725 N. East, coronary heart.
Rose Dora Ermer Parsons, 51, at Methodist, rheumatic heart.
Sidney R. Small, 47, at General, cerebral thrombosis.
Lillian Lutes, 81, at 1040 Fairfield, cardio vascular renal.
Carl Reichwein, 78, at 3116 W. North, coronary thrombosis.
Eric W. Utter, 1 month, at St. Vincent's, pneumonia.
Esther L. Van Osdol, 46, at 1220 N. Gale, carcinoma.
Rose Ellen Walters, 76, at 1472 S. Lee, pneumonia.
John M. Horton, 81, at 44 N. Rural, cardio vascular renal.
Oscar Thomas Rawings, 57, at Long, esophagus hemorrhage.

Mrs. George Colbert Dies at Bloomington

Times State Service

BLOOMINGTON, Oct. 27 — Services for Mrs. Gertrude Colbert, who died Monday on the 90th birthday of her husband, George Colbert, will be held here Thursday. Mrs. Colbert was 76.

The couple had observed their 60th wedding anniversary only a few days ago. In addition to her husband, Mrs. Colbert, for several years housekeeper at the Graham Hotel, is survived by a son, James Colbert, Kansas City, Kas.



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