

# Truman to Warn Far East's Reds

Speaks to Nation On Radio Tonight

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President's speech," one White House staff member said.

Mr. Stassen, former governor of Minnesota and now President of Pennsylvania University, called Gen. MacArthur "one of the greatest generals in all of history." He urged the President to make him supreme commander of all American "military interests" in the Pacific and Far East to prove that the administration really wants to halt communism in the Orient.

While Mr. Stassen's remarks were viewed in some quarters as a bid to strengthen the G.P., the President has insisted that his trip to meet Gen. MacArthur was non-political.

For example, Mr. Truman has scheduled no political appointments during his San Francisco visit. Press Secretary Charles G. Ross said word has been circulated to political candidates to keep their distance from the President.

## Uneventful Flight

James Roosevelt, Democratic candidate for governor of California, will be at the opera house tonight to hear the President speak. But so will Gov. Earl Warren, Mr. Roosevelt's opponent, as well as Republican and Democratic members of Congress and other state and local dignitaries of both parties.

Mr. Truman landed here yesterday afternoon after an uneventful flight from Hawaii. He was tanned and rested after taking Sunday off to swim and loaf at one of Hawaii's beaches.

On his arrival, Mr. Truman was greeted by Vice President Alben Barkley and Mayor Elmer E. Robinson. Mr. Barkley is staying at the Fairmont Hotel, where the President was quartered.

It was the first time San Francisco ever entertained the President and Vice President of the United States at the same time.

## Cheered on Way

The President climbed into an open limousine with Mr. Barkley and Mr. Robinson for a 20-mile ride to San Francisco. Along the way, enthusiastic crowds waved and cheered Mr. Truman, who waved and smiled back.

At the hotel, the President went to his room and immediately called Mrs. Truman in Washington. Then he ordered a steak dinner. He had one visitor, U. S. Appellate Court Judge Homer T. Bone, a former Democratic colleague of the President's in the U. S. Senate.

Later, the President and his top advisers, including Gen. Omar Bradley, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, got down to work on the President's speech.

After his speech, the President will fly to Washington.

## MOTORIST KILLED

KNOX, Oct. 17 (UP)—Melvin E. Johnson, 31, Peru, was killed last night when his car failed to make a curve on U. S. 30, near the junction with Ind. 23, north-east of here.

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# A King Size 'Punkin Face'



Nobody will have a bigger jack-o'-lantern on Halloween than 8-year-old Bobby Anderson (center) and his brother, Jim, 12. Their grandfather, Louis Gerbick, grew this big pumpkin at their residence, 956 N. Holmes Ave. It measures 55 inches around, is 20 inches tall, weighs 55 pounds, and ought to make a lot of 'punkin pie.' Last word on the pie, of course, is up to the boys' mother, Mrs. James Anderson.

## Revise Draft Status Of Married Men

A new directive from Selective Service Headquarters in Washington is going to change the draft status of a certain class of married men.

Men who marry after they receive notification of their induction physicals, are affected by the new clause.

Local draft boards will have the final word in such cases. Men marrying under such conditions ARE eligible for induction. The nation was notified yesterday of the new draft clause in a directive from Lewis B. Hershey, National Selective Service director.

Prior to the new ruling, only men who were married after notification of induction were placed in similar positions, according to Mrs. Helen Mitchum, chief clerk at the County Selective Service Headquarters here.

## HEADS WELLS COLLEGE

AURORA, N. Y., Oct. 17 (UP)—Jerome H. Bentley was elected president of Wells College today. Before coming to Wells as college treasurer in 1943, Mr. Bentley served as superintendent of schools in Paducah, Ky., Richmond, Ind., and Duluth, Minn.

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# Dewey Denies 'Deal' Charges

Angrily Puts Aside Queries on Letter

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Sprague and Rep. Dean Taylor, Mr. Hanley's campaign manager, attended.

"At that conference Gov. Hanley told me that he was withdrawing as a candidate for governor and urged me to run for reelection," Gov. Dewey said.

"He wanted to run again for lieutenant governor. I told him that I would not run again unless he ran for United States Senate."

Gov. Dewey next referred to a luncheon meeting with Mr. Hanley at Saratoga. At this meeting Mr. Hanley advised him that his financial problems were serious and he was fearful of the future.

"I told Gov. Hanley that the question was academic because he would be elected to the United States Senate," Gov. Dewey continued.

"He then asked about his job with the state, and I told him that the people of the state could not afford to lose his services. And that any time he had wanted an appointment to a state job he could always have had it. That has been a standing offer for a long time as you all know."

## Charge by Lynch

Rep. Walter A. Lynch, Democratic candidate for governor, charged in Batavia, N. Y., last night that promises of a job and \$70,000 to pay his debts persuaded Mr. Hanley to junk his hopes of replacing Gov. Dewey and run for the Senate instead.

The letter, dated Sept. 5 during the GOP State Convention two days after Mr. Hanley released Gov. Dewey from his pledge to support him, said:

"Today I had a conference with the governor in which certain un-

# Mrs. Lena Holzer Services To Be Held Thursday

Burial to Take Place Near Site of Kin Whose Tragic Death Saturday Hastened Her Own

An 84-year-old grandmother will be buried in St. Joseph's Cemetery Thursday, a few feet from the granddaughter whose tragic death Saturday hastened her own death.

Services for Mrs. Lena Holzer will be at 8:30 a. m. in the Lauck Funeral Home and at 9 a. m. in Sacred Heart Church.

It was to be Mrs. Holzer's 84th birthday.

Mrs. Holzer died at midnight Sunday, of grief and the strain of a hurried trip from Illinois Sunday after Miss Helena Holzer's death.

Her husband, Jacob, died three years ago tomorrow. She made her home with a son, Henry, at 1449 Union St.

Other children are Anthony, 11, and Clarence of Indianapolis, and Edward, Charles City, Iowa, and Mrs. Joseph Kocher, Olney, Ill.

She also is survived by a brother, John H. Eckstein, Anderson; and three sisters, Mrs. Francis Etter, Mrs. J. C. Naurel and Mrs. Fred Kicher, all of Indianapolis.

Services for Miss Hilzer will be at 8:30 a. m. tomorrow in the Lauck Funeral Home and at 9 a. m. in Sacred Heart Church.

The grandmother was visiting a daughter in Olney, Ill. when Miss Holzer died. She suffered a heart attack after reaching Indianapolis the next day.

Mrs. Holzer was born in Ripley County. She had lived in Indianapolis since girlhood.

alterable and unquestionably definite propositions were made to me. If I will consent to take the nomination to the United States Senate, I am definitely assured of being able to clean up my financial obligations within 90 days, so that I would be clear for the first time in 20 years of my life."

Mr. Hanley explained that the reference to cleaning up his debts referred to money he would receive in December when an insurance policy matures. Some sources said Mr. Hanley was \$100,000 in debt.

# William H. Young, Contractor, Dies

Services to Take Place Tomorrow

William H. Young, owner of the former William H. Young & Co., excavating contractors, died yesterday here.

Mr. Young was in the excavating contracting business until eight years ago when he retired because of ill health.

His company did the excavations on L. S. Ayres & Co. new building, the Wm. H. Block Co. building, World War Memorial, Indianapolis Athletic Club, Indiana Bell Telephone Co., and the Indiana School for the Blind.

Mr. Young was born and educated in Shelby County. He came to Indianapolis when he was 18 and worked for the old Perry Buggy Co., which later became the Cole Motor Car Co.

## Rites Tomorrow

When the company discontinued production he went into business for himself as a contractor. He lived in Indianapolis 60 years.

Services will be at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow in Flanner & Buchanan mortuary. Burial will be in Crown Hill.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Stowell Wasson, Chicago, and Mrs. J. C. DeHority, Indianapolis; a brother, Fred, Mooresville, and two sisters, Mrs. Katherine Williams, Mooresville, and Mrs. Josephine Armitage, Indianapolis.

## Miami Sheriff Seeks Jail to Fight Charge

MIAMI, Fla., Oct. 17 (UP)—Ex-Sheriff "Smiling Jimmy" Sullivan will be arrested at his own request today so he will be in position to attack the anti-gambling grand jury which got him thrown out of office.

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