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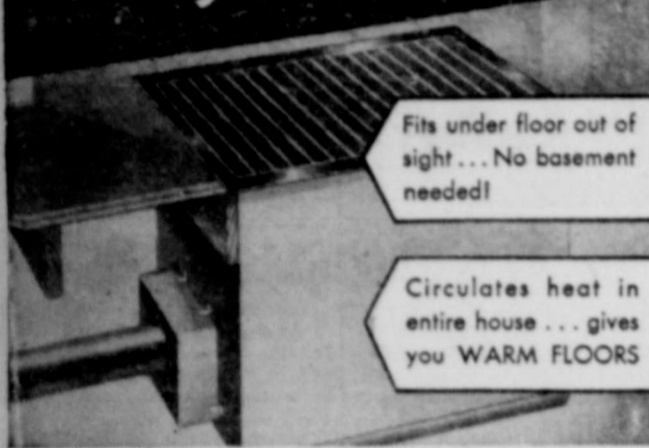
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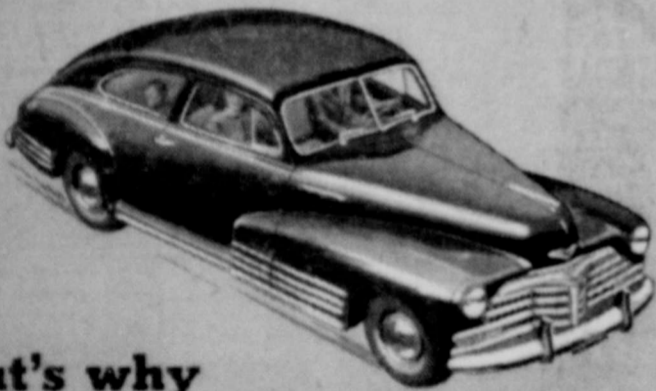


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Foreign Air Lines Compete With U. S.

By CHARLES CORDDRY
 United Press Aviation Writer
 WASHINGTON (UP)—Unable to compete with United States airlines in volume of international flying, foreign lines are making an effort to outdo them in special customer attractions.

On a foreign airline you can get a sleeper across the central Pacific. You can avoid plane changes between New York and the west coast of South America. You can enjoy French or Scandinavian atmosphere, as the saying goes, en route instead of waiting until you arrive in those places.

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U. S. Has Planes
 So far, because of inability to buy enough American planes, the foreign lines have lagged far behind this country in volume of operations. If you are in a hurry, an American line more likely has a schedule going where you want to go with space available.

The foreign lines thus concentrate on making you happy by plying you with special services and such unique attractions as their particular nationalities make possible. In doing so, they have an eye to a future when there will be plenty of seats and berths available and sales effort will determine whose are filed.

They haven't done so badly up to now. The most recent study of trans-Atlantic passenger traffic shows that from July to December of last year foreign airlines filed 25 seats per trip compared with 26 for their American competition.

Americans Dominant
 The survey, made by the Civil Aeronautics Board, shows that U. S. airlines flew 79.29 per cent of the trips and carried 71.24 per cent of the trans-Atlantic traffic outbound from the inbound to New York. Total passengers by U. S. and foreign lines numbered 114,128 for the six months.

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CHAPAIN, Ill. (UP) — Atomic power may be on the way, but diesel engine manufacturers in the United States are going ahead with plans to turn out 10,000,000 horsepower in the next 10 years, the University of Illinois bureau of research has estimated.

Light Gives Life
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Seeing Eye Dogs Color Blind

front of the car without running."

Bare Legs Cause Havoc
PORTALES, N.M. (UP) — Bare legs was the explanation police advanced for a five-car smashup in Portales. A motorist oiled a group of high school girls playing softball in their shorts. He looked too long, and his car rammed another at an intersection. Three other autos banged into the first two.

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Country Weekly Gets Scoop On Bigger Dailies

By WILLIAM A. SHIRES
United Press Staff Correspondent
NORTON, Va. (UP) — A weekly newspaper scored a resounding beat on one of the biggest news-stories of 1948 in Virginia.

It printed an account of a \$45,000 bank robbery, the chase and arrest of the bandits within two hours after it happened.

The subscribers of the Norton Coalfield Progress, a modest but growing "country weekly," were reading about the bank robbery before many of the large newspapers and radio stations in the area knew it had happened.

It wasn't one of those stories that happen right in front of the newspaper, either. The bank was robbed in Pound, Va., 20 miles to the north over rugged mountain roads.

Not Much News

It was shortly after noon in Norton on the day that the Coalfield Progress was to go to press. The paper had been made up with accounts of meeting an society items laboriously gathered from the clubs and churches and PTA through the week.

Carroll Tate, a lanky, dark-haired young man who calls himself "general flunky" for the paper and who is its reported and business manager, was relaxing in the office.

A pressman, just returning from lunch, walked in and remarked casually:

"We'd better throw out the front page."

Then he added, still casually, "the bank's been robbed at Pound."

Goes Into Action

Tate jumped to life. He telephoned Pound and confirmed what the pressman had heard a state trooper remark to a passerby on the corner.

Big Deal



Barbara Mailbert is "Miss Catalina," and one of the prizes she won was a free trip to Hollywood, about 40 miles across the channel from Santa Catalina Island, where the contest took place. The blonde beauty also took home prizes valued at over a thousand dollars.

Tate drove the 20 miles to Pound in a hurry over the winding roads. He interviewed Ed Barr, the bank cashier, who had been ordered into a vault by two armed men who neglected to close the vault door tightly enough to make it click.

Barr said he got out of the vault and shouted an alarm. He fired a pistol at one of the bandits and

wounded him on the bank steps. The two leaped into a car driven by another man and drove off.

Held Those Presses
As Tate finished talking to Barr, state troopers brought in the three men for Barr to identify them. The money was recovered.

Tate sped back to Norton, wrote his story and soon the presses of the weekly rolled with a red-hot story and a banner-line on the front page.

"Big-town newspapermen will call it luck, but it was the biggest thrill of my life getting that story," says Tate, who will become owner of the Coalfield Progress next January.

And since, Governor William Tuck of Virginia has dedicated a new plant of the Coalfield Progress.

SPIRIT WINS OUT
ELLSWORTH, Wis. (UP) — Clair Travis of Ellsworth was bedridden with arthritis the last half of his 42 years but friends who attended his funeral said they seldom thought of him as a cripple.

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Mother Cat Joins Squirrels
HOPEDALE, Ill. (UP) — A mother cat raised her young in a hollow three trunk 10 feet above the ground. Snoop, the pet cat of Joan Hieser, took her family of four into their tree home three days after they were born. Squirrels put up a chatter but got used to it.

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