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Mr. and Mrs. George Kerby motored to Crosley on Sunday taking
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week's sojourn.

Mrs. William McConnell, Mrs.

Alma. Klaserner and Mrs. Signa
Mitchell attended the Methodist

Annual Conference in Detroit on
Thursday.



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#### NEWS Novi

By MRS. GEORGE WAITE

WASHINGTON DIGEST

Mrs. Signa Mitchell and daught their home on Wather lawer at their home on Wather lawer la

Annual Conference in Detroit on Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. George Hines and the former's son. Don, and wife, motored to Big Rapids on Wednesday to visit their father and grandfather, who is in his ninties, and is reported as hale and hearty.
Judy Hicks, who flew from Doug, las, Arizona, is spending an indeficite time with relatives and friends.

friends. Mrs. Jett Hamilton spent a few



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in the sticks. If this is to be a "wireless" convention, the 1940 affair was a convention "by wire".

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A group of high pressure amateurs, who were no amateurs when
it came to organized action, was
putting pressure on the "big men"
in every community, and the "big
men" were getting to bosses or to
the delegates direct by telegram
and telephone. The Willikle amaeurs "stole" the show from the professionals, and the professionals
wore it never would happen again.
It isn't happening ithis year.
Another, behalv interesting com-

Another highly interesting con trast between conventions — this time between 1948 and 1944—is the time between 1945 and 1944—is the hectic atmosphere of today as opposed to the comparative caim then. There was a "Dewey-has-tin-the bag" feeling back in Chicago four vears ago which took the tip out of the Chicago air. Also the war overshadowed the conclave then. The National Republican (the party newspaper) satred off its lead article on June 26, 1944: "With the

invasion news commanding the attention of the entire convention..."
Another contrast between '44 t
and '48 is in the attitude toward it
foreign policy. Then it was the
most delicate question which
faced the platform committee.
Today Senator Vandenburg has
foreign policy wrapped up in a
neat package signed with his
name and sealed with his signet ring. That issue is no worry
at all. Farmer's Week, which attracts tests, talks and demonstrations more than 30,000 farm people to will be held again in 1949. Dear the campus of Michigan State col- E. L. Anthony has announced this lege each winter for exhibits, con- years dates as January 24 to 28

The nation's farmers are raising about a fifth fewer turkeys this year than last. The crop this year is only about five percent above the late 1930's.

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Secretary Marshall used strong
words in criticizing this clause
when he sald: "The bill, in effect,
makes pure protection the sole
criterion for tariff action."
Very few; groups outside of the
big industries which want to keep
down foreign competition oppose,
the reciprocal trade program. The
commerce are for it. Earl Shreve,
national president of the chamber
of commerce, has said that any
"restrictions on or crippling of the
trade agreements program would
have very undesirable repercussions. Discontinuance or impairment would idestroy consistency in
Drited States policy and would
undermine world confidence."
Former Republican presidential
candidate Alfred E. Landon cause
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as urged by the administration. He

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out in favor of the three-year extension of the trade agreements act as urged by the administration. He said that failure to extend the act would be contrary to the Republican policy plank of 1944.

Frequent | public opinion have shown that the majority of the people | favor trade treaties. In fact, persons who know what trade treaties are vote better than eight to one to retain that all I have ever read or heard about the old high protective tariff debates, the experience under the Smoot-Hawley bill, the post-World War I debt repudiation and depression would seem to indicate that the high thriff idea should and would be dead as a dodo. If not, it means we spin the wheel backward to the grand of the dead of the trade, made the seem to indicate that the high thriff idea should and spend their money here, or to pay back the money they owed us—simply to protect certain private interests.

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S DIFFERENT

As the Republicans swing into action with the greatest hope they have had for electing a president since the lifth birthday of this year's first voters, there are a number of striking contrasts to be noted between this convention in Philadelphia and former GOP conclaves.

One big contrast is in the size of the audience which actually will behold the speakers as they step forward onto the rostrum. In 1940,

of the nucleus which actually will behold the speakers as they step forward onto the rostrum. In 1940, some 10,000 people not actually in the hall witnessed the convention. Two television cameras mirrored the scenes to a fairly select audience, some of it composed of presons fortunate enough to share the hospitality of the Railroad club in the same building as the hall. There one could escape the sound and fury, the glare of the lights, the heat and aridity, and could snack and sip in a com-

lights, the heat and aridity, and could snack and sip in a com-fortable chair. This year in Philadelphia, the estimated television audience will be counted in the millions, for networks will carry the scene to views from Massachusettes to Calfornia, instead of two lonely care, there will be the pooled evulument and programming of the various natts.

But there is a greater contrast in the Republican political situa-tion than in the delegate's physi-cal surroundings between today and 1940.

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No one who witnessed the Wilkle stampede can forget. It was just about as unorthodox a procedure as history records, for the candidate was chosen, not in the hall, nor in a smoke-filled room either, but out

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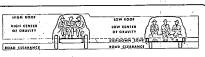
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OTHER CARS—Here you can see that any car with floor on top of the frame, as shown above, fails to utilize that all-important space between frame members (heretofore wasted by placing floor on top of the frame). This results in a high center of gravity, and either a high coof-line or insufficient head room.



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