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Theaters Here

Most important news for boys
and girls of Marshfield and the
surrounding communities was
forthcoming today from the
Marshfield Commercial Club—
Santa Claus will visit in Marshfield
Saturday afternoon, inaugurating
the local Christmas shopping sea-
son.

Santa will make his first ap-
pearance on Central avenue at 1
p. m. and will be available before
the Relda Theater to kiddies de-
siring to discuss their current
Christmas problems.

To mark his visit, Santa has
made arrangements for a free mo-
vie for the children, to start at the
Relda Theater at 1:30 o'clock.
Feature picture on the program is
"Henry Aldrich for President." A
cartoon is also on the 1½-hour
entertainment bill.

To give all youngsters an oppor-
tunity to see the movie, a second
showing for the overflow throng
will begin at the Adler Theater on
E. Second street at 2 o'clock.

The Commercial Club also re-
ports that evergreen garlands, used
to decorate the business district,
are expected to arrive today, but
the time is too short to have decora-
tions in place for Santa's official
visit.

**CORPORAL BEIDEL RITES
WILL BE HELD MONDAY**

A Solemn Requiem High Mass
will be read at 10 o'clock Mon-
day morning at St. Michael's
Catholic Church, Hewitt, for Cpl.
Adolph P. Beidel, 28, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Peter Beidel, Hewitt,
who was killed in an automobile
accident Monday.

The body will arrive here Sat-
urday morning at 6 o'clock, and
will lie in state at the Albert
Schiferl home, Hewitt, from 2 o'-
clock Saturday afternoon until
the time of the funeral services
Monday morning. Interment will
be made at Hewitt.

The rosary service is scheduled
for Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

**GERMANY WILL NOW USE
HER 'REPRISAL WEAPON'**

London—(P)—Germany now
will use her "reprisal weapon"
because "terror attacks" on Berlin
and other German towns have
grown to such proportions, a mili-
tary spokesman told a foreign

PATTON REPORT

**Committee Wants to Hear
From Stimson Before
Promoting General**

Washington—(P)—The Senate
Military Affairs Committee vot-
ed unanimously today to request
Secretary of War Stimson to re-
port to it officially on the inci-
dent in which Lt. Gen. George S.
Patton Jr., commander of the
Seventh Army, struck an Army
private in a hospital in Sicily.

Chairman Reynolds (D-NC) said
he had been instructed to obtain
a report by Stimson in connection
with the committee's considera-
tion of President Roosevelt's nomi-
nation of Patton, who now has
the permanent rank of colonel, to
hold the permanent rank of major
general.

The action was taken, Reynolds
said, at the suggestion of Sena-
tors Bridges (R-NH) and Johnson
(D-Colo) and was concurred in by
all members present.

Favors Investigation
Reynolds told a reporter that he
personally believed any action
against Patton, who was rebuked by
Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower,
should be left in the hands of
Army authorities. He said, how-
ever, that there is likely to be
much Senate discussion of the af-
fair before action is taken on Pat-
ton's promotion.

"I think a general can get just
as war-weary and develop just as
frayed nerves as a private soldier
and there may have been some ex-
tenuating circumstances in Gen-
eral Patton's case that we don't
know about," Reynolds said.

"However, I agree with the ma-
jority that the committee ought to
have an official report on the case
before it acts on the nomination."

The nomination was sent to the
Senate Oct. 1, more than a month
after the incident in Sicily. This
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**JUDGE SETS PRECEDENT
IN QUASHING INDICTMENT**

Cedar Rapids—(P)—In a deci-
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sident Federal Judge JOHN W.
DeLoach quashed an indictment
for sabotage against L. B. Raven-

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**House Decides to
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