Cutty Sark's Firm Set Record For

J. R. Smith, chairman of Highland Distilleries, producers of other incomes before taxes in-Scotch whiskies for Cutty Sark, creased from L800,544 to L907,607, said that a record gallonage of while the dividend was raised by whisky was produced in the year 2½% to 32!%. A one-for-one scrip to August 31, 1963, and that this issue is proposed. The resolution year Highland will continue to pro- will be submitted next spring. duce at full capacity.

He said in view of the current high demand for Highland's whisky, steps to increase production The Buckingham Corporation invested in stocks and warehous- of 1963.

ing accommodations. Included in capital expenditures for 1963 were two new warehouses and the in-Year Of 1963 stallation of new equipment.

Highland's group profit and

The main reason for the higher profit was the increase in sales of matured whisky.

are being considered. Mr. Smith sole importers of Cutty Sark, pointed out that because of this America's No. 1 selling Scotch increase a higher proportion of Whisky, showed record sales and the company's resources will be earnings for the first nine months

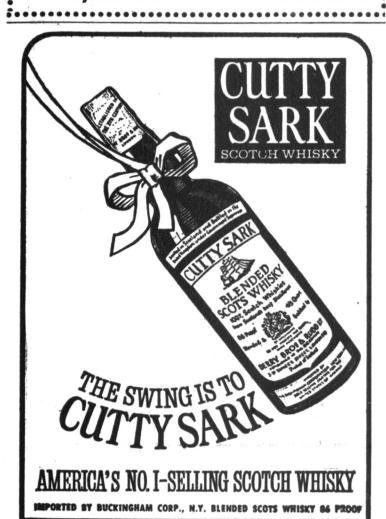
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Michigan Governor Is Heated:

Romney Claims Mormon Race View Does Not Dictate His Position

Lansing, Mich. (ANP)-Michigan Gov. George Romney often mentioned as a possible Republican candidate for President came close to losing his temper here last week when accused by a Negro state senator of being influenced by his church's religious philosophy concerning Negroes.

Romney is a member of the Mormon church that doesn't they (Negroes) are not to be regard Negroes as human beings on an equal basis with whites. given the priesthood. This is in In an emotional response, the governor, who was president complete harmony with the church of the Detroit Stake (diocese) of the Church of Jesus Christ of the and was "cursed with loss of God's

was (the Negro's) dark skin."

"We Negroes have a right to

our state submits to this philoso-

Romney Statement

The governor said that in his 23

"These actions speak louder

Brown's mention of the religious

with only a single objection to

"I think the public deserves to

"If the governor does not sub-

scribe to the doctrine of the Mor-

mon Church nationally, how do

things differ in the Michigan

Romney replied that he could

not discuss religious and theologi-

cal viewpoints "without injecting

religion into public affairs. And

I'm not going to do that," he said,

"All of us are equal as children

I accept this without reservation."

Romney concluded by saying:

"I didn't run for governor of

Michigan as a Mormon. I ran as

an American citizen and I don't

say that in an apologetic way because I'm proud of my faith." Senator Brown said he was es-

pecially irked by this remark at-

branch of the church?"

thumping his desk.

know the answers to these ques-

than any words I can say.'

Romney said:

Brown told the Senate:

Latter Day Saints, the state's top priesthood." Mormon office, before becoming governor, said:

"I have never been taught the inferiority of Negroes, and I don't believe in it. I have been taught that every person on this earth is a child of God and thus is entitled know whether the major leader of to full and complete civil rights." Making the challenge to the gov- phy. Are we and our ancestors

branded with the curse of Cain? ernor was Senator Basil W. Brown, Detroit Democrat. He said his Someone owes an answer to me." ices exactly as is prescribed in the motives were nonpolitical and that he spoke from the Senate floor be- press conference to answer Brown the more orthodox churches decause it provided him with a He was visibly upset by the senator's remarks. At one point his

magazine in which a Mormon said with his palm. that Negroes are banned from the more important positions and sacraments in the church.

ing Smith, president of the council I have done." of the church's 12 apostles, as saying, "The Negro cannot attain years in Michigan he has been a priesthood in the Mormon Church." leader in the first for equal civil Only By "Divine Revelation" | rights to all, "regardless of race,

No consideration is being given creed, color or national origin." w to changing the doctrine of "I have spent my time in Michithe church to permit him to at- gan working to eliminate discrimtain that status. Such change can ination and injustice in the fields come about only through divine of housing, employment, education and public accommodations," Romrevelation," Smith is quoted.

The article also quoted Smith as saying that Mormons have no animosity toward Negroes.

issue caught senators by surprise. Nor have Mormons described Negroes as belonging to "an inferior and he spoke to a hushed chamber. He was granted permission race," Smith was quoted.

The writer, Jeff Nye, described have his remarks and the magahimself as "a lifelong Mormon." zine article printed in the Senate He has been taught, he wrote, that Journal. the Negro race descended from Cain, killer of his brother, Abel.

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tributed to Smith. Didn't Run As Mormon "I would not want you to believe that we (Mormons) bear any animosity toward the Negro. Darkies are wonderful pepole, and they have their place in our church." Romney did not comment on this

Banker Edwin Jones, who suceeded Romney to the top Michigan Mormon office, said that the Smith statements Brown quoted are the policy of the Mormon Church in Michigan.

"We accept it as revelation that We in Michigan have no authority to change it," Jones said.

Jones said that during Romney's The mark of this loss, Nye said. tenure as state president, Romney was under the same obligation to maintain church harmony as Jones

ONLY ONE TIME, PLEASE Johannesburg (ANP) - A new church has been formed to which Romney held an extraordinary Bible, and not as the Zionists or

According to officials of the new Brown said that his information voice trembled and at another point church, the Orthodox religions came from a recent article in Look he slapped his desk repeatedly sprinkle water on novices as if they were clothes about to be ironed. On the other hand, the Zionists overdo things by ducking "I ask Senator Brown and others people under the water many The article quoted Joseph Field- to judge me on the basis of what times. The new churches propose one ducking only to a convert.

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There will be African exhibits and music and a banquet to begin at 6 p.m. Reservations are necessary for banquet. Deadline is December 11 and tickets are \$2.00 You may contact Nurdin Razak 325 19th Av. S.E.

Guest speaker for the affair will Minneapolis Urban League man is key man in the Assembly, Parliamentry Secretary to the Ministry of Labour and member of the Tanganyika Delegation at the General Assembly of the United Nations. He will speak on "Towards African Unity." Joshua S. Meena, President of African Students Association wil

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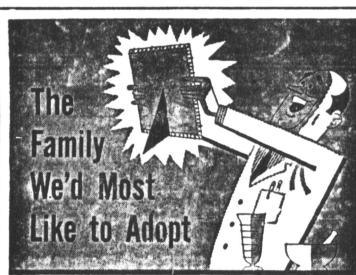
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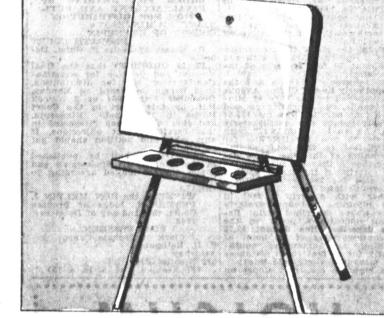
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