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FROM THE DESK OF Harry S. Truman  
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nomination for Vice President. Finally  
Mr. Hannegan, the Chairman of the  
National Democratic Committee  
called the President in San Diego,  
Calif. He asked Mr. Hannegan if he  
had received a commitment from  
the Junior Senator from Missouri. Mr.  
Hannegan told the President that he  
had never been in contact with a  
mulish and contrary a man. Then  
the President said, and I could hear  
him, "Well if he wants to let the  
Democratic Party and the country  
down in the midst of a war that is  
his responsibility."  
I was to put it mildly ~~stagnant~~ <sup>stagnant</sup>

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