

Part of American Fleet Quits Hawaii

HONOLULU, June 25.—(AP)—Warships of the United States fleet moved from Hawaii toward an unannounced destination today but hours after the departure of powerful units the general assumption here was that they were headed for the Panama canal.

The ships, operating in Hawaiian waters since conclusion of the 1940 war games two months ago, departed yesterday amid strict censorship reminiscent of world war days.

Still at Pearl harbor were three battleships, and it was reported that the entire Hawaiian detachment of about 30 warships would remain here.

G.O.P. Chairman Urges 1-Man Government Halt

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when he came to the hall.

One-Man Government Hit. Downtown, evidences of controversy in drafting the 1940 platform, centered on the important foreign policy plank, developed when Chairman Herbert K. Hyde announced his resolutions committee would be unable to report to the convention tonight.

Martin told the convention that every ideal of Americanism was imperiled by those who would make the government and nation tools to be manipulated by one man at the head of an unelected political bureaucracy.

"The convention, he said, should rally all patriots to a crusade for Americanism."

"For seven anxious years we have seen this march toward one man government," the stocky chairman said. "The record is a somber story of failure and futility and broken promises."

"We want America at peace with the world; an America untainted by hatred and fear."

"We must preserve our country from the schemes and conspiracy of those unprincipled and who would destroy it."

Check Absolutism, Urge. Martin asserted that "a steady drift toward governmental absolutism both at home and abroad" must be checked this year, and declared the purpose of his party's convention to be "to rally all patriots in a crusade for Americanism."

"The record is a somber story of failure and futility and broken promises. And there is much reason to believe we may yet wake up to find we have been pushed into war. That is the record of the new deal. That record will never be approved by the American people."

"We have had no record economy. Vast sums of money have been poured into the human mind—have been scattered about with reckless abandon. Under the cloak of emergency and distress the American people have been ruthlessly exploited. Today the administration is bewildered by the effects of its own irresponsible conduct."

The convention chairman declared that the nation has reached "an hour of crisis and decision," but that its problems—both foreign and domestic—could be solved without "a ruinous war or ruinous debt."

New Deal Held Remiss. Turning to foreign policy, he said that republicans stand "squarely" in determination to have a military force "amply able to protect our shores, to defend our people and ideals from any foe who might challenge our determination to work out our destiny peacefully in the American way."

Asserting that the republicans would not permit military or economic defense of the nation to be made a partisan issue, Martin charged, however, that the democratic administration had failed to "protect and conserve the savings and substance of the American people." This, he said, had made it necessary to enact "otherwise unnecessary taxes to raise an adequate defense fund."

Though a "ator-Wilkie" movement had been dumped into the convention, an open alliance of the opposing forces to achieve that purpose was disclosed.

In a press conference, J. Russell Sprague, the New Yorker's manager, said he was standing by his prediction of 400 Dewey votes on the first ballot and forecast an increase of "at least 50" on the second. Sprague agreed there had been some "fluctuations" in delegate line-ups.

Wilkie said "the utility issue" had been raised against him and added:

"Surely the republican party will not want to engage in the new deal custom of raising class distinctions. I have been investigated by every new deal agency. If you can find any successful accusation against me, I want you to be against me."

Wilkie Boom Ebbs, Claim.

A spokesman for Senator Taft asserted that the Wilkie boom had actually "struck a snag" and was slowing down. An anti-Wilkie statement came from eight mid-west members of the house of representatives. They said the party would have to stand on the record in the members had made in congress and that Wilkie could not conform to that record.

Dewey told reporters it had been difficult for him to find where the reported Wilkie support had been "largely translated into delegates."

Wilkie lieutenants nevertheless kept their claim of first-ballot strength of about 100 votes and predicted a majority after a few ballots. They said no effort was being made to get first-vote pledges from delegates previously committed to other candidates.

Strategy Mapped.

Gov. Ralph Carr of Colorado, who had said a few hours earlier that his state delegation was wide open, was added to those who will second Wilkie's nomination.

In the belief that the mushrooming campaign has been too disorganized, some of Wilkie's aides drew up a plan for a strategy committee. Rep. Bruce Barton of New York, one of the managers, commented that the drive "is like having Uncle Tom's Cabin playing in a barn and then transferring it to a big hall without any chance for rehearsal."

The race for the nomination was by no means confined to Dewey, Taft and Wilkie. A half dozen other candidates remained active.

Hoover Will Speak.

Another element also was making itself felt in the presidential contest. John W. Hais of Massachusetts estimated that Herbert Hoover had six votes in that delegation. Other delegates are reported for the former president in the California delegation and elsewhere.

Many important officials of the Hoover administration are on the scene, and the former president is expected to deliver a convention speech at 5:30 P.M., which his advocates hope will touch off a burst of enthusiasm and take him into the nomination.

McNary on the first ballot," he said, "but the Oregon delegation didn't seem to appreciate the offer of this courtesy so there's no use wasting my vote. They didn't appear interested."

The Idaho delegation is an confident Dewey will win it is not considering a second choice. So far the delegation has not held a caucus.

Axis Powers Halt War on Vanquished France

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pressed no fear of trouble from that quarter.

France will be held under German-Italian control without any definite peace terms—despite the armistice—until Germany has set her score with Great Britain, the German news agency, Dient, said today.

"The actual peace negotiations... are likely to be ushered in only when the still open German-English conflict is concluded," the agency reported.

The newly signed armistice terms, it said, were entirely apart from the future peace negotiations.

WAR AGAINST BRITAIN TO CONTINUE, ITALY ASSERTS

ROME, June 25.—(AP)—The Italian high command announced today that hostilities against France ceased on land and sea and in the air according to the terms of the armistice, and added that war against Britain "goes on and will continue up to our victory."

The high command said a submarine had sunk an 8,000-ton ship but that another Italian submarine failed to return from its mission.

Allied air raids at Tripoli failed to damage military objectives, the command said.

Air raids also were acknowledged at Palermo and Cagliari.

Two British attempts to raid Palermo were reported repulsed by Italian fighters.

Thirty bombs were dropped on Cagliari.

Italy's triumphant 11-day war with France was one which Mussolini had promised would break "the chains which confine us to our sea—the Mediterranean."

Italy's terms, previously agreed upon between Mussolini and his ally partner, were not immediately made public.

Since Italy's conquest of Ethiopia in 1936, the fascist press and public have proclaimed Italian territorial claims to Nice and Savoy in France; the French island of Corsica; French Djibuti and Tunisia in Africa; as well as to Malta, where the British have a Mediterranean naval base and to a greater voice in control of the Suez canal.

Funeral Set for Infant Killed in Auto Crash

Funeral services will be held at the Seventh Day Adventist church in Sutherlin at 2:30 p. m. Thursday for Dixie Lee Turner, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dale Turner, killed Sunday in an automobile accident near Elkton.

The child was born in Sutherlin, Nov. 27, 1939. Surviving, besides the parents, is a brother, Daniel Dale. The services will be conducted by the Rev. Adolph Johnson and interment will take place in Wilbur cemetery. Arrangements are in charge of Stearns mortuary, Oakland.

It was announced today that no coroner's inquest would be held, but further investigation is being made with the possibility that a criminal complaint may be filed in connection with the accident. It was announced today by Sheriff's Deputy Cliff Thornton.

Riddle

RIDDLE, June 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Lou Farleigh of Sisters, Ore., visited over last week-end at the home of Mrs. Farleigh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hendee, Mrs. Farleigh is postmistress at Sisters and attended the convention at Corvallis last week.

Charles Taylor of Portland is spending a few weeks here at the home of his uncle, Lee Kellar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Riddle have returned to their home here after several weeks' stay in Portland, where Mrs. Riddle received medical treatment. She is reported to be improving in health.

Mrs. Kirk Lawrence and children spent most of last week in Roseburg visiting with Mr. Lawrence, who is employed there.

Mrs. Kenneth Bishop of Glendale, Cal., who was called here by the death of her grandfather, H. A. Crow, is spending the week here with her grandmother, Mrs. H. A. Crow. Mr. Bishop returned to California last Sunday.

A grass fire on the pasture land of the farm operated by Elbert Hall caused considerable excitement here Friday. A crew of men worked all day to subdue the fire but a high wind spread the blaze over a large area. The fire broke away again Saturday afternoon but was stopped after several hours' work. It is not known how the fire originated.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sackett and son, Francis, of Grants Pass, attended the funeral services of H. A. Crow here last Sunday. Mrs. Minnie James of Roseburg and her daughter, Mrs. John Bacon of Umpqua, were also here for the services.

Mrs. Inge Miller and her brother, Hal Hammerly, returned Saturday from Lakeview where they had been visiting the past week.

Mrs. Johnnie Lloyd and daughter, Shirley, of Eugene, are guests at the C. M. Acker home.

Edward Hart, who won a trip to the San Francisco fair in a subscription contest will leave Monday for the trip.

A large crowd attended the annual school meeting held at the school gym last Monday afternoon. One hundred and seventeen were cast. J. M. Cornutt was elected to succeed himself as director and Helena Riddle was selected clerk. Plans were discussed for serving hot lunches to the pupils next term. The school board now is Stillie Nichols, chairman; R. L. Bridges and J. M. Cornutt, members, Helena Riddle, clerk.

Francis Frater, of Sacramento, who has been visiting at the C. F. Stauffer home left Friday for an extended vacation trip, which will take her to Australia and other interesting places. Her mother, Mrs. Minnie Frater, will remain here for the summer.

The local Rebekah lodge met in regular session Wednesday evening at which time the charter was draped in honor of the members of the lodge who have been faithful service and kind deeds will never be forgotten. The contest ended at this meeting resulting in a victory for the vice grand's side.

Olalla

OLALLA, June 25.—Harry Gould and son, Bill, came up from Marshfield to spend the week-end at their home here.

Joe Custer, en route to Roseburg Wednesday morning with the mail carrier to shop and attend to business matters.

Mrs. Bell Clark from Redmond, Oregon, and her sisters, Mrs. Charles Siegal and Mrs. Jim Barnes from Tenmile called on Mrs. Roy J. Carnall Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Clark taught the upper Olalla school last winter and has been secured for the coming term. She was accompanied on her trip from Redmond by her niece, Mrs. Lee Barnes and two daughters, Shirley and Carol Sue. The ladies expect to return to Redmond Sunday.

Jim Barnes of Tenmile has been driving a new Dodge sedan, recently purchased in Roseburg.

Mrs. Fern Nevaul was hostess to the upper Olalla women's club the "Hill Billeys" at an all day meeting Thursday.

Mrs. Bell Clark, Mrs. Charles Siegal and Mrs. Jim Barnes called on Mrs. Minnie Olson one day last week.

Karl Ollivant is busy putting up hay this week. Jim Devine is helping him.

Mrs. Harry Gould was shopping and visiting friends in Roseburg Friday.

A road turn out of voters at the Olalla school election Monday selected Harvey Northcraft for two years to fill out the term of Fred Byron who moved away recently; re-elected Stace Lawrence for three years, and re-elected Junia Byron as clerk. Miss Rhoda Arnold has been retained as teacher for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Blonson Nevaul, from Marshfield, former Olalla residents, called on several old friends in the valley Monday. They were enroute home from Lebanon where they went to take Mr. Nevaul's father, who had been to Marshfield to spend Father's day and attend a father-son banquet Saturday evening.

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were being conducted, his majesty's government would give their consent to the French government's asking what terms of armistice would be opened to them."

Britain Not To Quit

Churchill said he made it plain the British intended to continue fighting "and cut themselves away from these inquiries about an armistice" in addition to reminding the British government "that the conditions indispensable to their release" from their agreement "had not been complied with."

"Separate negotiations whether for armistice or peace depended upon an agreement with the French republic and not with any particular French administration or statesmen," he said, "they therefore involved the honor of France."

"It is clear that French war vessels under this armistice pass into German or Italian control fully armed."

Nazi Promises Worthless

"There is a solemn promise by the German government that they have no intention of using these vessels themselves during the war. We know the value of that," he said, "bitingly. The house grew noisy."

When Churchill laid France's plight to the "might and fury of the enemy" and "other causes," a member shouted "and her politicians."

Communists member Gallagher suggested events in France were giving rise to a demand for a real people's government in Britain.

Churchill replied "our relations with Russia are in such an agreeable condition that I will not permit myself to make the obvious reply. The house roared with laughter."

According to a test conducted among students in secretarial and business classes, the most frequently misspelled words are procedure, lose, accommodate, benefit, adviser, affect, supersede, occurrence, and principal.

MARKET REPORTS

LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., June 25.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—HOGS—Butcher steady, 10 lower, some late bids off more, packing shows steady, extreme early top 6.10 on few lots good-choice 185-95 lb. drive-ins, early bulls 170-220 lb. 6.00, over and under weights 5.00-5.50, packing sows 4.00-5.00, common feeder pigs 4.25.

CATTLE—75, calves 25, around 400 cattle unsold, heddover from Monday, grass steers and grass fat stock steady, few early sales, undertone weak, canners and cutters steady, bulls very little change, few feeder steers 6.75-7.00, odd lots common killers 6.00-7.50, package medium 725 lb. grass heifers 6.65, no beef cows sold early, medium-good quoted

5.00-7.50, canner-common cows 3.75-4.75, medium-good bulls 6.25-7.25, few good-choice venders 9.00, common-medium 7.00-8.50.

SHEEP—Salable 300, total 350, fat lambs steady 15 lower, others scarce, weak, package good-choice 83 lb. drive-ins in spring lambs top 8.00, other good-choice 7.75-8.5, few medium-good 7.50, odd feeders 7.00, good-choice short ewes 2.00-7.5, few culls 1.00.

PRODUCE

PORTLAND, June 25.—(AP)—Butter, butterfat, cheese, country meats unchanged.

LIVE POULTRY—Buying price, No. 1 grade: Leghorn broilers, 13-14 lbs., 15c; fryers, under 3 lbs. 15c; fryers 3 1/2 to 4 lbs., 16c; roasters, over 4 lbs. 17c; Leghorn hens, over 3 1/2 lbs. 15c; colored hens over 3 1/2 lbs. 13c; colored hens 4 to 5 lbs. 12c; old roasters 5c.

Dressed turkeys, onions, new potatoes, potatoes, hay, wool, mushrooms, caskers, hops unchanged.

WHEAT

PORTLAND, June 25.—(AP)—Open High Low Close

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Stock and Bond Averages

BONDS

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June 25:

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RR's Ind'ts U's Fgn.

Tuesday — 53.6 101.4 94.4 37.4

Prev. day — 53.4 101.6 94.2 37.6

Month ago — 48.3 99.1