

Russia Pressed for Reply on Bomb Control

The Weather

Cloudy with intermittent
light rain today and Thursday.
Sunset today 5:46 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 6:17 a.m.

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ROSEBURG, OREGON, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1948

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Sain Blanks Cleveland In Opener of Series, 1-0

Bobby Feller Losing Hurler On Only 2 Hits

Holmes' Single in 8th
Inning Drives in Pinch
Runner With Lone Tally

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Feller and Hegan; Sain and
Salkeld, Masi (9).

By JACK HAND

BRAYES FIELD, Boston, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Johnny Sain hurled the first 1-0 World Series shut-out since 1923 today when he blanked Cleveland's Bobby Feller, to give the Boston Braves the opening game of the best-of-seven series before some 39,000 fans.

Sain, the rubber armed right-hander with the fancy curve ball, outpitched the great Feller who allowed only two hits in a heart-breaking loss. The Indians got four singles off Sain, a 24-game winner in the regular season.

Tommy Holmes, the Braves' chunky little right fielder, drove home the only run on this chilly afternoon with a single past third base scoring Pinch Hitter Phil Masi in the last of the eighth.

It was the first 1-0 game since Art Nehf of the New York Giants shut out Joe Bush and the New York Yankees in 1923. Southworth Uses Head

They came down to the last of the eighth all knotted up at 0-0, when Catcher Bill Salkeld worked Feller for a walk on a 3-1 pitch. Billy Southworth, the

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Winston-Dillard Water District Proposal Carries

Organization of the Winston-Dillard Water District was given an overwhelming approval by a vote of 181 to 5 in an election held in the district Tuesday. The vote was not as heavy as had been anticipated, but the large number in favor indicated a lack of organized opposition.

Elected as directors were Marshall Haughan and Frank True of Winston, and Paul B. Hult, C. C. Fosback, and Roy Gordon of Dillard. These were the only names on the ballot and only three or four write-in votes were cast.

The county court has five days in which to certify the election, and after that time, the directors will meet to elect a chairman and a secretary.

Plans for the voting of a bond issue to defray the cost of securing a water system will be one of the first issues, but before that can be done, the assessed value of the district must be obtained from the county assessor, and an estimate of costs determined.

A. D. Harvey and Associates, engineers from Medford, have already begun a survey to determine preliminary estimates of the cost on which to base a bond election. The election is slated for some time before the end of the year, it was reported.

Gov. Earl Warren, Family Routed By Private Car Fire

EN ROUTE WITH WARREN TO CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Flames sweeping the rear truck of Gov. Earl Warren's private car early today routed the governor and his family from bed and halted the vice presidential special.

The blaze had its origin in a journal box, and a train staff member said it had seriously damaged the axle.

A trainman spotted the flames as the republican vice presidential special was speeding toward Cincinnati about 6:20 a.m. east of Marysville, Ky.

Damage to the car, the "Aurorian," caused trainmen to uncouple it.

Mrs. Warren was able to gather up only enough clothing to meet her family's needs at Chicago tonight.

All other possessions had to be left behind in the car, which is to be hauled to Chicago after rush repairs in Cincinnati.

The governor and Mrs. Warren, and their daughter, Virginia, transferred to another car.

'Decent' Labor Law Pledged By Truman

ABOARD TRUMAN CAMPAIGN TRAIN, Oct. 6.—(AP)—President Truman opened his third campaign tour today with a promise that the Democrats if elected will write "decent Democratic labor legislation" to replace the Taft-Hartley act passed over his veto.

Mr. Truman made his promise at Wilmington, Del., first stop enroute to Philadelphia where he will make a major address in Convention Hall at 6:30 p.m. (PST).

"Back in President Hoover's day, the slogan was two cars in every garage," Mr. Truman said. "Apparently," he continued in an attack on GOP housing policy, "The Republican candidate is running on a slogan of two families in every garage."

Repulse to John L. Lewis
President Truman had this to say today about John L. Lewis's attack on him yesterday as a "malignant, scheming sort of an individual . . ."

"You remember the statement he made about John Garner—it made Garner a great man."

The United Mine Workers leader once described former Vice President Garner as a "whisky drinking, poker playing, evil old man."

His characterization of Mr. Truman was delivered at yesterday.

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Hurricane Rakes Miami, Floods Its Western Suburbs

MIAMI, Fla., Oct. 6.—(AP)—South Florida's "gold coast" dried out today after a tropical hurricane scrubbed the area with rain and wind.

One person died of a heart attack and six others were injured in the greater Miami area but all Florida apparently escaped serious wind and water damage.

Cuba counted 11 dead, 300 injured and crop damage estimated at \$6,000,000 when the storm raked the island before moving on Florida. Key West escaped serious damage.

The Caribbean-born storm scored a direct hit on Miami. The center of the great swirling mass passed directly over the city early last night, roared on to Fort Lauderdale and sliced out to sea at Pompano.

Sprouting at least three tornadoes before it left Florida, the hurricane dumped 9.56 inches of rainfall at the Miami International airport and flooded the western suburbs of Greater Miami, Hollywood and Fort Lauderdale.

One tornado wrecked 13 houses and injured three persons at Pompano, another twisted hit near Opa-Locka where it flattened two dwellings. A third sliced the top off a two-story farm dwelling four miles west of Fort Lauderdale.

The storm lashed Miami with sustained winds of 78 miles an hour and gusts up to 90.

The storm came just two weeks after another hurricane poured six inches to a foot of water over the southern half of Florida. That storm flooded thousands of acres of farm and grazing lands around Lake Okechobee.

Jap Convicted Of Treason To United States

'Meatball' Kawakita
Sentenced to Death By
Court at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 6.—(AP)—California-born Tomoya Kawakita, convicted of committing brutalities against American war prisoners while he was interpreter at Japan's infamous Camp Oyeama, is under sentence of death for treason.

Federal Judge William C. Mathes yesterday sentenced the 28-year-old Nisei to die in the gas chamber at San Quentin prison. No date for the execution was fixed.

Morris Lavine, defense counsel, immediately filed notice for appeal. Lavine tried for hours to have the conviction set aside on grounds that coercion and undue influence had been exerted upon the jury.

Kawakita—called "meatball" by 35 ex-servicemen who testified against him—was convicted of treason Sept. 2 after eight days of heated deliberation and eleven weeks of trial.

In pronouncing sentence, Judge Mathes said that to spare Kawakita's life "would dishonor the memory of Pvt. Sadao Munemori" (Nisei winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor.)

Mother Wants To Die

The convicted man's mother, Mrs. Tose Kawakita, buried her face in her hands when she heard the sentence. Judge Mathes disclosed he had received a touching letter from her which said if her son was guilty of treason, she didn't want to live.

Asked by the court if he had anything to say, Kawakita replied: "Your honor, I am innocent of this charge . . . I ask

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Tattooed-Skin Lampshades In Koch Case Lost

MUNICH, Germany, Oct. 6.—(AP)—The tattooed-skin lampshades in the Ise Koch case are lost, American war crimes officials here said today.

The skin and other gruesome ornaments from the Buchenwald concentration camp possibly repose among the souvenirs in the home of some American, they said.

But just who took them, or when, or how, is undetermined.

War crimes officials today gave this story: Such objects as dried human skin apparently intended for ornamental purposes, and a shrunken head, were found by American troops when they liberated Buchenwald.

Whether they ever belonged to Frau Koch is another question. Frau Koch, widow of one of Buchenwald's commanders, left the camp two years before the liberation and the discovery of the articles.

Her life sentence on war crimes charges was reduced in June to four years by an Army review board. This action was widely criticized.

Prior to the Buchenwald trial, the skin and other articles were sent to Nuernberg for use in the Nuernberg trial of Herman Goering and other top Nazis.

"The articles never came back to us," a war crimes spokesman said.

Lost Youthful Hunters Find Their Way to Safety

An unprepared-for overnight in the mountains was the experience of Lawrence and William West, brothers, of Fowler street last night.

The two youths, hunting on Camas Mountain near Camas Valley Tuesday, reportedly became lost, according to State Police Sgt. Lyle Harrell.

They, however, successfully found their way out of the mountains early this morning, and were apparently none the worse for the experience, said the sergeant.

Prowler Fires Shot In Legation Building Flight

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—(AP)—A Hungarian diplomat said today that a prowler was detected in the legation Sunday night and fired one shot from a revolver while fleeing.

John G. Florian, first secretary, said the incident was reported to the State Department yesterday. He described it as "something that just doesn't happen at legations."

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AIRLIFT FLIERS RECEIVE GIFTS—At ceremonies marking the 100th day of airlift operations, U. S. Air Force fliers receive gifts from Berliners at the Tempelhof Airport. At left is Berlin's acting mayor, Dr. Ferdinand Friedensburg, who thanked the Americans. Fliers are (left to right): Capt. John T. King, San Francisco, Calif.; M/Sgt. James Keefe, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Lt. Elmer J. Altnow, Lodi, Calif. (AP Wirephoto)

AWOL Soldier Facing Inquiry In Two Slayings

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 6.—(AP)—An AWOL soldier, taken in custody after he was recognized by a former fellow townsman, was to be returned here from Oklahoma City today for questioning in connection with two slayings in the mountainous Ozarks section of North Arkansas.

The suspect is Pvt. Kenneth D. Speagle, 23, who has been charged with first degree murder in the fatal shooting of Arkansas State patrolman S. V. Pavatt near Summit, Ark., Sept. 25.

State Police Capt. Earl Scroggin said Speagle also is to be questioned in the slaying of Zue E. Crook, retired railroad employee, but that no charge has been filed in Crook's death.

At Oklahoma City officers said Speagle was arrested near El Reno, Okla., yesterday after he had been recognized by Dale Lane, former Borger, Texas sheriff.

Fort Lewis, Wash., authorities said Speagle has been absent without leave since Sept. 3.

Speagle's father lives not far from the scene of the slayings. Speagle's mother is listed as Mrs. Ida Pearl Johnson of Borger, Texas.

Drunken Driver Admits Need of Prohibition

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Oct. 6.—(AP)—A San Antonio man was concerned no end when he found he could not get his driver's license back after being fined \$50 for drunk driving.

"You mean I can't drive for six months," he asked. The judge said that was right.

"That's the worst yet," grumbled the unlicensed driver. "You know, what we need is prohibition—to keep guys like me from getting drunk."

Wandering Takes Post With Forest Industries

Bob Wandling of Roseburg, former manager of the Standard Radiator Repair, has accepted the position of field representative for the Douglas County Division of the Western Forest Industries Association, Inc.

Wandling's new position will be concerned with organizing membership for the association here. He will also be concerned with promoting legislation advocated by the organization.

U. S.-Soviet Relations Most Critical Since War, Dulles Tells Dewey at Conference

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 6.—(AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey is going to keep pounding away at a united American campaign theme on the ground it is restraining Russia.

The Republican presidential nominee also will continue to hammer at the idea that this country can maintain its prosperity and thus meet its economic commitments to western Europe.

Friends of the New York governor said his closest adviser on foreign affairs, John Foster Dulles, clinched those decisions in giving Dewey a first hand report on relations with the Soviet Union.

Dewey and Dulles conferred for three and a half hours yesterday about the world situation. Dewey said afterwards they paid the special attention "to the grave problems created by the policies of Soviet Russia."

Dulles, a U. S. delegate to the United Nations General Assembly, flew home from Paris to discuss the Berlin blockade crisis and other international affairs with the GOP candidate.

Repeatedly mentioned as Dewey's choice for Secretary of

Asks Return to Prison; Living Costs Too High

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Walter C. Seward is back in jail today because the cost of living is too high outside.

Seward, who has spent 33 of his 54 years inside the State Prison at Michigan City, yesterday asked parole officials to send him back to prison.

He had been freed on parole last Sunday and was working at a job parole officials had obtained for him.

"I couldn't keep from violating my parole on just \$25 a week," Seward said.

He was working at a tree nursery.

Seward was serving a life sentence for a slaying.

Egg-Poultry Workers Voting on Wage Offer

PORTLAND, Oct. 6.—(AP)—AFL Egg and Poultry Workers are voting on whether to accept a new wage offer from employers throughout Oregon.

The union, with 500 members, began voting in Canby, McMinnville, Salem and Portland yesterday. Albany, Eugene and Roseburg workers were to vote today.

S. W. Barker, union secretary, said the ballots would be counted in Portland. He did not disclose the amount the employers had offered.

Negotiations broke down after the union asked 18 cents and the employers offered 10 cents more an hour.

Pickets have been patrolling the Northwest Poultry and Dairy Products plant here for the past week.

Injured Boy Mountain Climber Found Dead

QUILCENE, Wash., Oct. 6.—(AP)—Mountain climbers, who scaled The Brothers Peak in the Olympics in an effort to rescue an injured high school student, found him dead yesterday in his sleeping bag.

The boy, 17-year-old Robert Thorson of Bremerton, had suffered head injuries in a 40-foot fall 24 hours earlier.

A companion wrapped him in his sleeping bag at the 6,000-foot level of the 6,800-foot snow-capped peak and then led searchers to the scene. A doctor estimated that Thorson had died an hour after being injured.

The mountain climbing victim was president of the Bremerton High School Student Body. He was the son of Dr. and Mrs. Orin P. Thorson.

Carpenters Will Give Day's Wage To Hospital Fund

Local Union No. 1961, Carpenters and Joiners of America, at a meeting Tuesday, gave the green light to all carpenters under this jurisdiction to donate the sum of one day's pay in the Douglas Community Hospital Drive, reported Walter F. Dage, business agent.

Most of the men who contribute will want to work on Saturday so that their take-home pay will not be affected. The scale for all overtime has been double-time in the past, Dage explained. However, in this case, the union has given employers the right to pay the men straight time for the day's work on Saturday, provided that the day's wage is donated to the hospital fund.

This will be only until all members who wish to contribute have done so. Employers are requested to notify Dage of the Saturday they wish the men to work and also to send a list of the men working to the carpenters' office in the Pacific Building or PO Box 268.

Reported Treasure Cave Linked With James Gang

GADS HILL, Mo., Oct. 6.—(AP)—Location of a "Jesse James" cave where \$100,000 has been reported found, may be announced Sunday.

Harry Wilcox has told 17 teenage boys and girls he will open the cave at that time.

Wilcox was named by a person who refused to be identified as having found \$100,000 in coins and U. S. currency in the cave. Wilcox also was said to have \$10,000 in gold coins in his possession.

Wilcox refused yesterday to make any statement to newsmen, other than to admit having seen U. S. Treasury agents on Monday.

He had previously reported finding the cave on Sept. 23. Gads Hill was the site of a train robbery by the James Gang in 1874 and Wilcox said he found articles in the cave he believed the gang had left.

Murder, Suicide Halt Pair's Reno-Bound Trip

STAMFORD, Conn., Oct. 6.—(AP)—Police listed as murder and suicide the deaths of Dr. Henry B. Turner, 49, and his Reno-bound estranged wife.

The wealthy New York heart specialist was found fatally wounded yesterday beside the body of Mrs. Turner in their automobile, parked behind a hotel. Police Chief John B. Brennan said the physician had shot and killed his wife and then turned a gun on himself.

The couple, residents of nearby Darien, had agreed on a divorce shortly before the shooting. A ticket to Reno was found in Mrs. Turner's pocketbook.

Judge William A. Kelly, member of a local law firm, said arrangements for the divorce were completed at a conference in his office.

Tule Lake Farms to Be Thrown Open to Vets

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 6.—(AP)—Eighty-six farm units totaling 8,283 acres of irrigable land in the Tule Lake Division of the Klamath Project are being offered as homesteads to World War II veterans, the State Department of Veterans Affairs said today.

Applications must be filed by December 20 with the Bureau of Reclamation District manager at Klamath Falls.

To be eligible, a veteran must have two years farm experience, \$2,000 in capital or farm equipment, character references, and must intend to farm as an occupation.

Briton Puts Questions In Torrid Attack

Security Unit Readies
Demand on Russia To
End Berlin Blockade

PARIS, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Britain demanded today that Russia give a "yes or no" answer to whether she agrees to the control of atomic energy before destruction of the atomic bomb.

In a blistering attack on Russian "threats to peace," British Minister of State Hector McNeill said that the United States and Britain "will not hand over information" on the bomb "semi-unconditionally."

Addressing the United Nations political committee, he asked the Russians:

1. Will you agree that a "fully effective control system" should take effect before a U. N. convention banning the bomb?
2. Will you accept majority-backed proposals for atomic control as a "general basis" for establishing a world control system?

3. Will you agree to abandon the veto in operation of a proposed international control agency?

Jakob A. Malik, Soviet vice-minister of foreign affairs, quickly took the floor to reply to McNeill. Western delegates termed his answers either "negative, evasive or incomplete."

Malik reiterated the Russian proposal for simultaneous treaties banning the bomb and setting up control. He did not explain further.

American, British and French U. N. Security Council Leaders met today to hammer out a resolution calling on Russia to end

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Strikers, Police Battle Near Oil Refinery Plant

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Police and striking CIO oil workers clashed near the Standard Oil refinery at Richmond today and several persons were hurt.

Two police officers were injured. Several pickets were clubbed and eight were jailed.

The fighting was hand-to-hand. Pickets used their clubs. Picket lines broke. Some pickets grabbed officers' clubs and struck the officers.

Inspector Ed Logan was struck across the nose with a club which had been snatched from another officer. Sergeant C. E. Hains was hit over the head and bled profusely.

Standard is one of six major companies which have been struck for 33 days in California in a dispute over a wage contract. The Richmond plant was the scene of a riot Sept. 14 in which police and more than 1,000 strikers and strike sympathizers battled with tear gas and rocks.

The officers injured today were treated on the spot, then joined a riot squad of 30 officers to quiet the crowd of some 100 strikers and sympathizers.

The disorder, a continuation of yesterday's disturbances, broke out shortly before 8 p. m. when non-striking office employees sought to park their automobiles near the oil plant.

Canyonville to Build Own Water Reservoir

Construction of a \$10,000 water reservoir at Canyonville will proceed under force account, after rejection of bids by the Canyonville City Council last week.

The work will be under the direction of James R. Daugherty, Roseburg, the city engineer, who named Merle Fuller, resident of the Riddle-Canyonville Road, as the construction superintendent.

The reservoir will be a 40-foot octagonal tank holding 100,000 gallons of water. Estimated construction cost will be \$10,000. Daugherty said. Bids submitted by the Roseburg Pre-Mix Concrete Co. for concrete work and the Dawe Engineering Co. for the roof structure were above the engineer's estimates.

Daugherty said labor recruited in the Canyonville area will be used on the project.

Chinese Troops Abandon Capital of Manchuria

PEIPING, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Pro-government reports said today national troops had abandoned Changchun, capital of Manchuria, and fled toward Mukden.

The starving garrison, reports said, managed to get through tight Red lines. Previously reports had said that 200 or more a day were dying of starvation in Changchun, which is about 400 miles south of the Siberian border.

Orders for the withdrawal from Changchun were said to have been given by Chiang Kai-Shek on his flight to North China.

Levity Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

A new invention on the market deodorizes the breath before expulsion from the lungs. This should open the way to reinstatement in fastidious circles of epicures who have been ostracized because of over-fondness for onions and garlic.



PLACATED—Florence Iva Begay, 17-year-old Navajo Indian, enroute to New York to accept a scholarship at Sarah Lawrence College, was ordered into a "Jim Crow" section of a bus at Amarillo, Texas, and became so discouraged that she returned to her home in Flagstaff, Ariz. Texans, regretting the incident, induced her to return to Amarillo, where she will be a special guest at the Tri-State Fair; then she will proceed east to enter college. Florence was valedictorian of the Flagstaff High School graduating class.

200 Said Killed In Iran Earthquake

TEHRAN, Iran, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Two hundred persons were killed and thousands were injured by an earthquake last midnight, a dispatch from Meshed said today.

Damage was reported great. The dispatch said parts of the famous Meshed mosque called Goharshad collapsed.

Meshed is the capital of Khorasan province, in eastern Iran. A walled and holy city, Meshed lies on a fertile plain about 100 miles northeast of Tehran. It contains the superb mausoleum of the Imam Riza, which is visited annually by about 100,000 pilgrims.

(Strong earth tremors were reported from various observatories last night. The West Bromwich, Eng., observatory reported severe shocks, centered in the area of Northern Iran, continuing for three hours. Fordham University in New York placed what it called "a ripshooter" of a quake some 6,400 miles from New York.)

CROSSING CRASH FATAL
SPOKANE, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Henry J. Tirk was killed today when a car he was driving crashed into a Northern Pacific train at a crossing. Police Capt. George Freeman said.

Tirk's wife resides at Clark Fork, Idaho. He was a foreman at an aluminum plant here.

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

THERE has been some kind of revolt in Peru. There was a lot of shooting — not UP INTO THE AIR. A dispatch from Lima says the number of dead and wounded was large . . . A Peruvian army authority adds that "there were no many casualties that trucks will probably be used to help the ambulances carry them away."

The revolt was apparently political. At any rate, the government (meaning by Peruvian standards the crowd that is in power) says it has "confirmed that the opposition (Arista) party" had inspired and directed the ruckus.

MAYBE, like a lot of others, you were more or less disgusted by our political conventions last summer and haven't been too enthusiastic about the kind of campaigning that has followed them.

Paste this in your hat:
As a means of changing the

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Army Board Recommends Sparing Lives of Number Of Nazis Under Death Sentence

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—(AP)—A special Army commission has recommended sparing the lives of a limited number of 139 Nazis sentenced to die for war crimes, Army Secretary Royall said today.

Army officials refused to say how many commutations have been recommended to Gen. Lucius Clay, U. S. military governor in Germany.

Among the 139 given a stay of execution last spring following the Dachau trials were 17 men convicted of killing unarmed American prisoners at Malmédy, Belgium, during the Battle of the Bulge.

It could not be learned if any of the Malmédy criminals are on the secret list of commutations sent for Clay's consideration.

The special commission includes Justice Gordon Simpson of the Texas Supreme Court and Justice Edward van Roden of Delaware County, Pa. It also recommended that a "permanent clemency program" be set up for all the Dachau prisoners.

The judge advocate's office now handles the review of these cases. A complete recapitulation of the Dachau trials also was released today. The army said that of 1,672 defendants, 428 originally were sentenced to death. Lesser sentences were given to 127, reducing to 299 the number