

Adenauer Loses Ground In Vote

FRANKFURT — Rightist and Fascist forces scored sharp gains and Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's middle-road Christian Democrat party lost ground yesterday in local elections in three West German states.

In Lower Saxony, British zone birthplace of the outlawed Nazi-like Socialist Reich party SRP, two former Nazi officials were named to public office.

Adenauer's chief opposition, the Socialist Democrats, held their own and gained slightly in some areas.

The voting was for 96,000 local and district offices—mayors and city and district councilmen—in the British-occupied states of North Rhine Westphalia, Rhineland Palatinate and Lower Saxony.

Through issues were largely local, observers watched the results for indications of what lies in store for Adenauer's government in next summer's national elections.

The rightist trend benefited Adenauer's three-party government coalition, even if it didn't help the

Chancellor's party. The right-wing Free Democrat party FDP, second strongest in the Cabinet alliance, picked up strength.

The Communists lost considerable ground everywhere.

Prediction Of Another Year Of Million New Dwellings Based On Favorable Factors

By SAM DAWSON
NEW YORK (AP) — Another million-new-homes-year coming up is the prediction Monday both of men who build them and men who finance them.

They think the great postwar housing boom still has more time to run.

Some say the pace may be slower than this year, when starts are expected to top one million. But even the most cautious see no more of a drop than 10 per cent.

Leaders of the United States

TUNA CLIPPER BURNS

LONG BEACH, Calif. — The San Diego tuna clipper Miss California burned and was believed to have sunk off Cape San Lazaro, Baja California, the Coast Guard reported today.

All 14 of the crew members were reported safe by the rescue ship "The American Lady," also a tuna clipper out of San Diego.

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Federal Right To Use Power Lines Is Upheld

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Truman Doesn't Lack For Plenty Of Job Offers

WASHINGTON — If President Truman is unemployed after he leaves the White House it won't be for lack of job offers.

He has received a number of invitations from firms who want him to work for them after January 20, White House sources said Wednesday, but has accepted none of them.

All those who have made offers, it was learned, have received letters telling them in effect that their bids for the President's services have been placed on file.

Beyond this, the White House made no information available on Truman's employment prospects once he returns to private life.

There wasn't even a specific "no comment" on a published report that the President has received one offer of a million dollar a year post. It appeared, however, that if he has had any such offer he is keeping it to himself.

It was learned unofficially, that among the concerns interested in getting the President's services is a publishing syndicate, the North American Newspaper Alliance.

First Haircut In Eight Years Marks GOP Win

CLAY, W. Va. — Uncle Vincent Hamrick, 83, looked like a shorn sheep Wednesday. He'd had his first haircut in eight years. A Republican clip, he called it. An "Eisenhower special."

Uncle Vincent vowed when Gov. Dewey lost in 1944 he'd never go to a barber again until the Republicans regained the White House.

So there was quite a ceremony Tuesday in Uncle Vincent's lumber yard office. Columnist Charles Connor of the Charleston Daily Mail sat in on it and reported the proceedings.

Cousin Abner Hamrick, who qualified because in addition to being a barber he is also a Republican, wielded the shears.

Everyone said Uncle Vincent looked 20 years younger. "Yes, sir," said Uncle Vincent. "Ike's victory took 20 years off my life, 20 years of Democratic mis-rule. I feel like a new man. I feel like I've been born all over again."

"You're going to have to wash your neck, Uncle Vincent," said Cousin Abner. "It's sort of discolored."

"Democratic dirt," snapped the old man.



Lefty Frizzell And Band Appear Saturday At Curve

One of the greatest of our modern-day folk artists, Lefty Frizzell and his Columbia recording band will appear for a show and dance engagement at the Curve Ballroom, located just north of Myrtle Creek on Saturday night, Nov. 15.

Appearing with Lefty will be Columbia's newest western artist, Lou Millet. He will act as master of ceremonies for the evening and will also lead the band.

Lefty has sold more country and western records in 1951 and 1952 than any other artist in the western field. He writes nearly all of the songs he records for Columbia and has had a total of 12 hits in the past 2 years.

His most popular record has been his "Mom and Dad's Waltz." This song was dedicated to his parents and they receive all of the profits from it. His Columbia record of it has sold over a million

Pacific Island Vanishes When Bomb Explodes

LIMA, O. — A mile-long island actually disappeared in a recent atomic or hydrogen bomb explosion at Eniwetok in the Pacific an eye-witness wrote Lima relatives.

The unidentified eye-witness didn't say he watched the first explosion of a hydrogen bomb but the Lima News, which published the letter in a copyrighted story, said "It is apparent that the explosion of it has sold over a million

Yoncalla Needs Extra Teacher

By MRS. GEORGE EDES
Mrs. Freda Burns is substituting at the Yoncalla Grade School, until another teacher can be secured. The sixth, seventh and eighth grades from the Scotts Valley School have been transferred to the Yoncalla Grade School, due to the over-crowded conditions at the Scotts Valley, necessitating an additional teacher.

Gets Sawdust Bid
Art Huckins of Drain received the bid for the sawdust for the new grade school. His bid was \$110 for 15 units, or about \$11 a load. A unit is 200 cubic feet.

Guests at the Henry Hubbell home in Hayhurst Valley last week were their son-in-law, daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Madden and three children from West Fir.

Mr. and Mrs. James Portlock left Friday for Pittsburg, Calif., where they were called due to the death of their son-in-law.

first experiment with a hydrogen bomb. The man wrote that he watched the explosion from 30.4 miles away but that heat from the bomb was 180 degrees when it reached him. He said flame two miles wide shot five miles into the air.

A 20-mile-wide mushroom drew thousands of tons of earth into the sky. It looked like a giant cauliflower, the man said.

"About 15 minutes after shot time," the man wrote, "the island on which the bomb had been set off started to burn and it turned a brilliant red. It burned for over six hours, gradually becoming smaller."

"Within six hours, an island that once had palm trees and coconuts was now nothing. A mile-wide island had actually disappeared."

"I was watching through binoculars. At first I didn't notice but when I saw a huge chunk just seem to melt away, after that I watched closely."

The writer drew a picture of the shape of the cloud and sent it with the letter.

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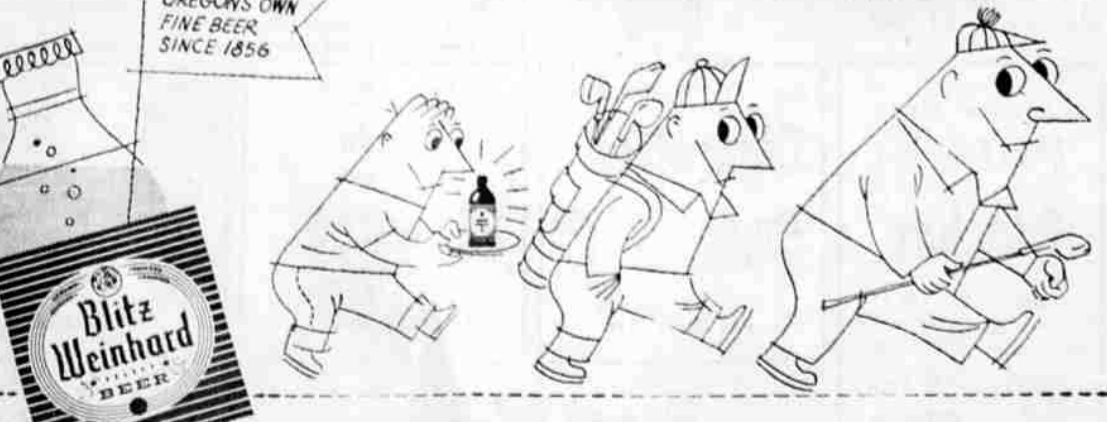
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