

President Talks With Dulles On Mideast Crisis

THOMASVILLE, Ga. (AP)—President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles conferred by telephone again Wednesday regarding the Middle East situation. Then the vacationing President and his host, Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey, went out for another round of quail hunting. They planned to lunch in the fields. Eisenhower and Dulles, who is in Washington, talked by phone for about 10 minutes, White House Press Secretary James Hagerly reported. In response to questions, Hagerly said they again discussed two matters they took up by phone Tuesday—Russia's proposals regarding the Mideast, and continuing efforts to get Israeli troops out of Egypt. The White House Tuesday called the Soviet Union's Middle East program an obvious effort "to discredit or stop Eisenhower anti-Communist plan for that area. Hagerly said he could provide no detail on the latest Eisenhower-Dulles conference. The President was pictured as "feeling swell" after 6 1/2 hours of golf and quail shooting Tuesday. He and Humphrey each brought down seven birds during 3 1/2 hours in the fields, after the President played golf in the morning.

Son Frees Self From Mother To Avoid Drowning

UNIONTOWN, Pa. (AP)—A 5-year-old boy was alive today because he twice broke away from his mother, who tried in vain to drown him before drowning herself, police said. Detective Charles Kutchman of Fayette County said Mrs. Joseph Svincek, 40, took her son Eugene to a three-foot-deep farm pond last night and told him they would "die together." Kutchman said the youngster told him his mother tossed him into the pond twice but he scrambled to shore each time and finally ran to a neighbor's house and said, "Mother's in the pond and wants to die."

The neighbors found Mrs. Svincek and tried unsuccessfully to revive her. Kutchman said Mrs. Svincek had been ill a year and recently was a patient in a Pittsburgh hospital. Her husband was at work and their two other children were at home.

County Court Dissolves Building Department

(Continued From Page One) burg, C. C. Fosback of Dillard, George A. Wilcox of Oakland and Robert Gans of Myrtle Creek. Resignations had been received earlier from V. H. Thomas of Drain and Robert Franks of Glendale. Thomas had resigned because of the pressure of business, and Franks because of illness. In its reorganization plans, the court will hire a man to serve as a building advisor and a "public relations man for the commission," Jackson said. He said the man would work directly under the supervision of the planning commission. For qualifications, he must (1) be able to "meet the public properly," and (2) have some knowledge of building and construction. In addition, he will issue building permits. The permits, however, will be primarily for registration purposes. Each permit will cost \$1, "the cost of printing," Judge Jackson said. The man serving the planning commission will advise those applying for the permit of the state laws involving buildings. No building inspections will be made, although the present building code will be retained. Judge Jackson said it will be necessary to hire "an exceptionally good man" for the job. Jackson emphasized that the acceptance of resignations of planning commissioners was not a reflection on their abilities. "They have accomplished considerable work," he said. "We have all the confidence in the world in them."

He said all members of the commission had been "invited to come back to the commission. We are hoping they will do so," he said. Judge Jackson also reported that the planning commission's work will be "cut back" considerably. It will continue to act as an advisory committee to the court, make recommendations on plats and do everything possible to induce new industry to come to the county. Meanwhile, the planning technicians will make an effort to complete the commission's current study on park sites in the county. The technicians will have another month to complete the job. The two members of the building department will also have one more month to close out their departments, Judge Jackson said.

Jackson said he and the two county commissioners, Frank Ashley and Huron Clough, had given the decision a "lot of thought" and investigation. "We feel the plans just went a little too fast for the county," he concluded.

Heavily Armed Squad Of FBI Takes Convict

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP)—A heavily armed squad of FBI agents closed in on the St. Paul bus depot early Wednesday, capturing Robert L. Green, 27, Utah State Prison escapee and one of the FBI's "10 most wanted." Green, carrying a .38 caliber revolver, was taken by surprise as he waited for a bus to Milwaukee. He offered no resistance. A bus depot employee said Green was in the waiting room when the federal agents merely walked up and seized him. Green, a native of Kellogg, Idaho, was placed on the FBI "10 most wanted" list only two days ago.

Argument At Christening Ends In Deaths Of Five

JALAPA, Mexico (AP)—An argument over the name of a first-born son led to a baptism-day brawl fatal to five persons. Seven others were injured. Reports reaching here today from Ayahuatlaco said Salvador Perez and his wife Rosa could not agree on a name for their son. Salvador set a date for the baptism and invited two godparents. Rosa also named two godparents who agreed to back her choice of a name. Disagreement during the ceremony turned into an open fight. Two friends of Rosa and two friends of Salvador and his brother were killed.

Ike Supporters Beat Attempt To Weaken Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower's supporters Wednesday beat three new attempts in a Senate committee session to weaken the administration's Middle East resolution. With Republican lines holding firm, the joint meeting of the Foreign Relations and Armed Services committees rejected by a vote of 16-12 a substitute proposed by Sen. Morse (D-Ore). Then, a vote of 17-11 turned down a proposal by Sens. Green (D-RI) and Stennis (D-Miss) to change the language of the proposal to meet Democratic constitutional objections. A proposal by Sen. Fulbright (D-Ark) to substitute advisory approval for binding language was defeated by voice vote.

The joint committee, with Democratic ranks divided on the key votes, pushed on into an afternoon session, with the hope of completing action on the resolution Wednesday night.

House Votes To Repeal Anti-Picketing Law

(Continued from page one) most of the House Democrats are pledged to support labor. Several Democrats arose in resentment at that remark. Speaking of the conciliation bill, which would set up a mediation service similar to that of the federal government, Wilner said it would help maintain industrial peace. The labor commissioner would appoint conciliators and arbitrators who would help bring labor and management together when labor disputes are threatened. The services of the proposed new agency would be available upon application by either side in a dispute, or the conciliator could step into a dispute upon his own initiative. The one vote against the conciliation bill were cast by Reps. Robert A. Bennett and Graham Killam, both Portland Republicans.

The Legislative Interim Committee on Local Government introduced its measures in the House and suburban areas solve their problems. The key bill would permit creation of service districts outside cities to provide sanitation, fire protection, police protection, water and other services. Such districts, which would be governed by the county courts. They could levy taxes and issue bonds. The other bills in the interim committee's package would: Let cities over 40,000 population regulate their transit systems within 12 miles of the city limits, and within three miles in the case of cities under 40,000. Require that county planning commissions be created in counties with populations of 15,000 or more outside incorporated areas. Let counties incur bonded debt up to 2 per cent of the actual cash value of the property, if approved by the people. Provide for county home rule. Rep. Norman R. Howard (D), Portland, and 36 others introduced a bill for driver training courses in high schools. They would be financed by a \$5 instruction permit.

The House State and Federal Affairs Committee recommended passage of a memorial to ask Congress to repeal the wartime transportation taxes on freight and passengers. Rep. Tom Monaghan (D), a 6th grade school teacher at Milwaukie, introduced a proposed constitutional amendment to permit teachers to hold positions in the Legislature. He is faced with the probability that he may have to resign his legislative position before going back into teaching after the session ends.

COMMUTES SENTENCE

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP)—For the first time, Gov. Sir John Harding has commuted to life imprisonment the death sentence of a Greek Cypriot condemned for an EOKA assassination. The man was Nicos Tsardellis, convicted of killing a British policeman in the guerrilla war being waged by the EOKA underground seeking union with Greece.

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American Reds Divorce Selves From Moscow

NEW YORK (AP)—The American Communist party, declaring itself no longer a Moscow satellite, set out on an independent course today with a "team" leadership. The terms of William Z. Foster, national chairman, and Eugene Dennis, general secretary, expired automatically during the convention concluded Tuesday. The convention overwhelmingly approved a recommendation submitted by Dennis that the party leadership for the foreseeable future be taken over by a "team" of an 11-member "national administrative committee."

The party avowedly broke with the strict Kremlin line by adopting a resolution declaring that henceforth it would do its own interpreting of Marxist-Leninist principles. Max Weiss, the party's national education chairman, who submitted the resolution, said it was an "explicit declaration of the independent and equal status of our party in relation to the world Communist movement."

This was a step akin to "Titoism" although the American Communists did not use the term. The 288 delegates at the convention approved the resolution overwhelmingly. A spokesman said 12 or 15 voted against it in the show of hands and that about 5 did not vote. The convention, meanwhile, decided that its general governing body, the national committee, henceforth would have 60 members instead of 13.

Six Navy Men Arrive Safely

McMURDO SOUND, Antarctica (AP)—Six Navy men arrived safely back at this Antarctic base Tuesday night after engine trouble forced their plane down on the flat Ross Sea ice. They spent three hours repairing an oil leak in one of the two motors of their ski-equipped Navy R4D (C47) transport before continuing to McMurdo Sound, 260 miles to the north.

The plane was returning after flying five more scientists and two Seabees to the U. S. scientific base at the South Pole, 800 miles from McMurdo. It carried food and survival gear. The flight of the seven men to the South Pole brought the base there to full strength for the first attempt in history to spend the long winter night at the pole.

The arrival of the new men raised the polar station population to 18—nine scientists and nine Navy support personnel. During the winter of darkness and temperatures of 100 degrees or more below zero, they will make scientific studies as part of the International Geophysical Year (IGY) program.

Glendale Man Returned To Face Local Court

James Willard Ellis, 50, Glendale, was returned from Salem to Roseburg Monday to show cause why his probation should not be revoked. Dist. Atty. Robert M. Stults said Wednesday morning that Ellis twice left the supervision of the state tuberculosis hospital in violation of instructions by the state board of parole and probation. Ellis was found guilty of obtaining money by false pretenses in circuit court April 13, 1956, and was sentenced to one year in the state penitentiary.

Former Roseburg Man Succumbs At Portland

Carl Abraham, a former railway postal clerk who was employed for many years on a Portland-Roseburg run, died last Saturday in Portland, where he had lived since retirement. He was related to a pioneer Roseburg family, and his surviving wife, Daisy, was employed prior to her marriage as a clerk in the Roseburg Post Office when her late father, William A. Frater, was a postmaster. Besides the widow, two daughters survive.

PTA Of Myrtle Creek To Note Founder's Day

The annual Founder's Day program for the Myrtle Creek Parent-Teachers Assn. is scheduled Thursday night at 8 p.m. It will be held in the basement of the high school building, according to correspondent Ruth M. Evans. A group of Boy Scouts will attend the meeting in recognition of Boy Scout Week. A room count will be taken, and the class having the highest percentage of parents in attendance will receive a cash gift.

SHOOTS 'GOPHERS'

CAMPBELL, Calif. (AP)—A store owner has been fined \$10 for selling a revolver without waiting the legally required 72 hours. Half an hour after the sale, James B. Arden, lumber executive, killed his wife, her sister and himself with the gun. Anthony Cefalo, the store owner, told District Judge Paul W. Crawford that Arden said he wanted to shoot gophers.

Mrs. Dimmick Dies At Age Of 68 After Long Illness

Mrs. George W. (Mamie) Dimmick, 68, died at her home today following a prolonged illness. She was born at Caney, Kan., Aug. 27, 1888. She was married to George W. Dimmick at Hood River, March 15, 1910. Mrs. Dimmick resided with her husband in Hood River until 1915, in Walla Walla, Wash., and Pendleton and after 1924, in Portland. They moved to Roseburg in 1941 from McMinnville. In Roseburg, Mrs. Dimmick was associated with her husband in the Geo. W. Dimmick Agency. Mrs. Dimmick was a member of the Hood River Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star; past Noble Grand of the Roseburg Rebekah Lodge, No. 41; a member of the Douglas Court No. 18, and the Order of the Amaranth. Surviving are her husband, George W. Dimmick, Roseburg; her mother, Mrs. Annie J. Thompson, Roseburg; one daughter, Mrs. Averill (Cynthia) Rust, Blachly; two sons, Martin I. and Charles J., both of Roseburg; a sister, Mrs. Alta Newman, Wenatchee, Wash.; two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at the Chapel of Long & Orr Mortuary with the Rev. Newell Morgan of the First Christian Church officiating. Following services here, her body will be taken to Hood River for interment in the Parkdale cemetery. Friends may make donations to the cancer fund, relatives said.

Myrtle Creek Considers Special City Elections

(Continued From Page One) Tuesday, when Mayor J. D. Groom probably will call a special council meeting. Two representatives of Umpqua Plywood Corp. were summoned to the council on utilities problems. George Rittenhouse, ex-foreman of the old Umpqua mill at Myrtle Creek, was told that pipes which burst on Umpqua property during the recent freeze had drained the city water tank until there was a threatened water shortage. Since there is no maintenance man at the vacated mill, the council suggested that a meter to indicate the leakage be installed on water lines at the plant. Rittenhouse offered an alternate suggestion—that the water tank be equipped with a flasher light to warn when the water level drops below a critical point. The council will consider both suggestions at the special meeting. Bill Carlson, Umpqua Plywood man from Eugene, consulted with the council on possibility of a storm sewer easement through the Umpqua property. The sewer would drain Weaver Addition. Former Mayor Winnie Hudelson resigned as city Civil Defense director because he has moved out of the city. He recommended that a new director be appointed as soon as possible. The only other council action was approval of claims and bills for payment.

Production Credit Assn. Holds Mortgage Burning

(Continued from page one) Credit Assn. covers the counties of Coos, Curry, Douglas, Josephine and Jackson. It has 783 members. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Riddle of Myrtle Creek were honored for being members of the association since 1935. Among business transacted at the meetings was a treasurer's report by Irvin Patten, secretary-treasurer. Wesley Chappell of Bandon, president of the association's board of directors, welcomed the members and guests and introduced past and present members of the board. Matson presented Wesley with a complete member ownership certificate. Other board of directors who told of activities of the board were Lawrence Lay of Medford; Lawrence Michaels of Canyonville; Melvin J. Lattie of Medford and Lester Adams of Applegate.

Employees Hear Report From Public Agencies

Members of public agencies spoke to the Oregon School Employees Assn. Chapter 11 on activities of their offices as they affect schools, at a recent meeting of the organization in Roseburg this week. Speakers included representatives from the State Accident Commission and the Roseburg police and fire departments. The chapter appointed a safety committee which will investigate fire problems and equipment in the districts the committee members are from. Appointed to the committee were: John Baumann of School District 12; O. F. Durr, 130; R. M. Degner and Roy Voss, 116. Baumann will serve as chairman of the committee and Voss will be secretary.

School Administrators Re-elected At Oakland

Supt. Guy Lutz and Principal Kenneth Williams were re-elected for the 1957-58 year, at this week's meeting of the Oakland School Board. Three resignations, however, were accepted by the board, according to correspondent Edith Dunn. Resigning were Mrs. Isabelle Page, third grade teacher; Mrs. Minnie Smith, first grade teacher; and Ben Amerson, bus driver. The board also went over the proposed school budget. It approved a hearing for school personnel and heard a sanitation report. A demonstration was given to the board on insulation material.

Truman Backs Strong Defense

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—A strong defense is more important to this country than a balanced budget, Harry S. Truman said Tuesday night. Combined with a foreign policy which insists on justice and freedom for all nations, this strength ultimately will bring world peace, the former President said. Expressing distrust of Russian promises of friendship, Truman said an adequate defense will cost freedom, "but it is the price of freedom."

31 Chinese Perish In Big Hong Kong Fire

HONG KONG (AP)—At least 31 Chinese died Wednesday in a pre-dawn fire that swept a four-story block of tenements in Kowloon, mainland sector of Hong Kong. It was the most serious fire in the British crown colony's recent history. Workers combing the charred debris feared it might contain more bodies. Some of the dead were believed to have leaped in the darkness from the blazing building. Others were buried under falling walls. Fifteen bodies were recovered from a kitchen on the top floor of the building where they had fled from the flames. Ten persons were hospitalized. Seven were treated for minor burns. "And I hope that our policy will be as firm on this point as it is possible to be," he added.

Spanish-American Descent Youth To Carry U. S. Flag

DENVER (AP)—A boy of Spanish-American descent will carry the Stars and Stripes in a patriotism pageant Feb. 22 at the State Industrial School for Boys at Golden. The program on Washington's birthday will replace some scheduled for Tuesday at the school. This was canceled after an official of the Denver chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, made the comment: "I wouldn't want a Mexican to carry Old Glory—would you?" The DAR was the announced sponsor of the canceled program. Gunar S. Soberg, industrial school director, said Feb. 22 program will be arranged by teachers at the institution and a color guard of Boy Scouts will carry the flag. Gov. Steve McNichols has asked DAR officials to refrain, for the time being, at least, from sponsoring any programs at state institutions. DAR spokesmen have declined to comment on the governor's request. Meanwhile, the elderly widow who made the remark about the "Mexican" and the flag insisted her intentions had been misunderstood. Mrs. Charlotte C. Rush's comment caused her to lose her post as chairman of the Patriotic Education Committee of the Denver DAR chapter. Mrs. Rush said her remark that "I wouldn't want a Mexican to carry Old Glory—would you?" did not refer to a Mexican boy participating in a DAR pageant but to foreign nationals. "I feel very strongly about citizenship. I believe everyone who lives in this wonderful country should be a citizen. In my remark, I was not referring to the boy but to nationals of other countries—German, Swiss and Mexican."

Israel Asks U. S. Plan Be Given Clarification

(Continued From Page One) gation in the Gulf of Aqaba, Israeli outlet to the Red Sea, if Israel withdraws from shore positions Egypt once used to block it, and 2. Would use its influence to have U.N. troops or platoons of observers based in Gaza to bar its future use as a base for Arab raids on Israel. At U.N. headquarters in New York the plan drew a mixed reaction. Israel's delegation was reported pleased; Egypt's unhappy. U.N. efforts to reach a Middle East settlement went into an uneasy lull, waiting for Israel's decision. In Cairo, the government-backed newspaper Al Gumburria declared in effect Egypt would not be bound by any promises the United States makes to Israel. "America has every right to treat Israel as a spoilt child," it said editorially, "but this shall never be done at the Arabs' expense or in Arab territory (Gaza and Sharm el Sheikh (the Israeli-occupied area commanding the mouth of the Aqaba Gulf) belong to the Arabs." In Washington, President Eisenhower's Middle East doctrine, already cleared by the House, near final approval by the Senate committee. One argument centered around a question whether Eisenhower, as President, already has constitutional authority to use U.S. troops in the Middle East.

45,000 Cargo Loaders Strike On East Coast

(Continued From Page One) which all but made New York a ghost port. It already had been staggered by a walkout of tug-boat men. Adding a puzzling note to the situation was the appearance in New York of Harry Bridges, controversial leader of West Coast Dock men. Bridges' union the International Longshoremen's Association, is bargaining agent for dockers on the Western seaboard, Alaska and Hawaii. He told newsmen his trip here was in no way connected with negotiations of the striking I.L.A. union had staged sympathy walkouts on the Pacific Coast when the I.L.A. tied up Atlantic and Gulf ports for nine days in November. However, he said Tuesday he presented the attempts to use the I.L.A. as a red herring in the I.L.A. negotiations. Bridges did not explain this reference but possibly meant that there had been speculation in some quarters his union might quit work in support of the I.L.A.

Annual Meeting Of Farm Bureau Exchange Slated

Members of the Douglas Farm Bureau Cooperative Exchange will hold their annual meeting Monday, Feb. 18, in the Farm Bureau Hall on Spruce Street. In past years, the meetings have attracted from 300 to 400 members. Manager Andrew Townsend today reminded the 1,600 members of the cooperative that the hall has been enlarged and can accommodate all who wish to attend. The meeting will start at 10 a.m. with a movie showing modern insect control methods, and at 10:30 women members will display examples of their handiwork. The business session will feature the election of three directors for two-year terms. Outgoing directors are David Busenbark, Carl G. Gubrecht and Henry Scott. The new board will hold a meeting to elect new officers. Lunch is to be served at noon with the Oakland High School orchestra providing entertainment during the lunch period. Also scheduled for the meeting are two talks. Karl Baur will discuss fertilizers and their uses, and Jim Hill Jr., "The Future of Cooperatives."

Barn, Machinery Shed Burn On Yoncalla Farm

A fire of unknown origin destroyed a stock barn and machinery shed on the Ted Peterson ranch about two miles west of Yoncalla this week. Yoncalla correspondent Mrs. George Edes said about 20 head of sheep and goats were burned. Also destroyed were a tractor, hammer mill, power saw and several tons of hay, she reported. No exact estimate of damage was made, but Peterson told Mrs. Edes the loss ran to "several thousand dollars." He had no insurance. The volunteer fire department also stood by to control a fire fire at the Fred Hungerford home in Annie's Acres in Yoncalla. Estimated damage was \$150.

Toastmasters Select 'Speaker Of The Year'

Roseburg's Toastmasters Club named Lloyd White as winner of its "speaker of the year" contest at a regular meeting of the club Tuesday night. White is employed at the Hotel Umpqua. As the winner of the local contest, White will represent the Roseburg group at an area contest March 9, where he will compete with winners of one Junction City and three Eugene clubs. The contest will begin at 7:30 p.m. at the Hotel Umpqua.

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