

Stassen Offers 3-Stage Arms Reduction Plan

LONDON (AP)—Harold E. Stassen Tuesday proposed a three-stage reduction of American and Russian armed forces that would limit their military manpower to 1,700,000 men each.

The American delegate told the U. N. Disarmament subcommittee here, however, that reduction of American and Russian armed forces below 2½ million men each would have to depend on progress in settling major world political problems.

Stassen did not define what those problems were, despite being pressed by Soviet delegate Valentin Zorin.

The Russian also expressed regret that the Western members of the group—the United States, Britain, France and Canada—had not given their comments on the Soviet proposal for a controlled suspension of nuclear tests for two to three years.

Zorin added that world public opinion would fail to understand any attempt by the West to link a moratorium on tests with a cutoff of nuclear weapon production. His statement touched off a sharp exchange within the committee.

Col. Nickerson Admits Charges Of Disobedience

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orable discharge and 30 years in prison.

Defense attorney Robert K. Bell of Huntsville told the 10-man court-martial board Nickerson was pleading guilty to the reduced list of charges "in view of the fact that charge two and each specification involving espionage and false swearing has been dismissed."

The trial then was adjourned for consultation on the next step. During the brief recess Nickerson, 41, told reporters, "I always hoped they would drop those charges (espionage). I felt somewhat better that they didn't before."

As for his plea of guilty to the charges of disobeying orders in the handling of secret material Nickerson observed, "I probably made a few administrative errors which I admit to."

Nickerson is accused by the government of distributing top secret material to fall into the hands of "unauthorized persons," chiefly Congressmen, newspaper editors, and certain industrial sources.

The court was expected to hear arguments later Tuesday for a light sentence or no sentence at all. After the arguments the court will retire for secret deliberations to fix Nickerson's sentence.

Jackie Cooper Denies Driving At 145 M.P.H.

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Jackie Cooper denies that he ran the tires off two highway patrol cars while speeding 145 m.p.h. in his German-made sports car.

The actor, stopped Saturday at a roadblock about three miles north of the desert community of Mojave, was cited for reckless driving and speeding.

Cooper said that while driving back to Hollywood with his son John, 10, from a fishing trip near Bishop he may have "hit about 100 m.p.h. on an open stretch of the road."

Former Brockway Resident Drowns

Funeral services for a native of Brockway and former resident there, Clarence Elmer (Jim) Johnson, who died at Reno, Nev., recently, apparently the victim of drowning in a river there, will be held in Douglas County Wednesday.

The 62-year-old well-known former Brockway man was born March 10, 1895. He moved to Myrtle Point in 1928 where he resided until 1943 when he moved to Ashland. For the past five years he had made his home at Eagle Point.

His death is said to have occurred in Reno about June 10. He was a veteran of World War I, serving with the 27th Artillery.

Survivors include two sisters, Gladys Johnson of Brockway, and Mrs. Clyde Heater of Roseburg; one brother, W. V. (Vern) Johnson of Medford and three nieces and two nephews.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Long & Orr Mortuary at 11 a.m. Wednesday with the Rev. Denny Hoffman of the Lookingglass Community Church officiating.

Concluding services and interment will follow in the Civil Bend Cemetery at Winston.

Council Again Rejects City Planners' Decision

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tency of the Planning Commission but believe we too should be consistent," Knudtson said.

Serafin Objects
Serafin replied that "someplace we have to draw the line if we are to have good planning." Also referring to the last zone change on Harvard, he declared, "That last rezoning was passed over my dead body."

Serafin compared the area in question with South Stephens Street and said similar parking problems would arise from continued strip zoning. His primary objection was that the property was not deep enough to allow off-street parking. Knudtson said he believed depth would come naturally when property becomes valuable for commercial use.

In another letter to the council, the planning commission pointed out that a large sign has been erected within the city limits along Highway 99 and asked the council to consider passing an ordinance governing such sign installation. Mayor Arlo Jacklin appointed Bob Harris, Knudtson and Rudi Ritzman to a committee to study the problem.

Other Actions
In other action the council: Approved a rate schedule submitted by the Roseburg Cab Co. This follows the recommendation for fares made by the council and is the same as the one approved for Truman Ellis.

Granted, subject to approval of the State Liquor Commission, a change from Class A to Class B liquor permit for Wally's Pastime. Application for the change was made by Stanley O. and Edith M. Olson and had received police department okay.

Referred to City Manager George Farrell for report a parking problem brought to the council's attention by acting Chief of Police Vernon Murdoch. The department head said the wording of the new traffic ordinance had created a problem in loading zones since it does not restrict use to commercial vehicles as the old law did.



WINNER — Mrs. Don Naden, 659 SE Chadwick St. Roseburg, is pictured above with A. B. French of the Photo-Lab and John Doyle, KRNR program director as she accepts her cash prize as winner of a contest conducted by the radio station and sponsored by the photo studio. (Photo-Lab photo)

Supreme Court Members Under Congress Fire

WASHINGTON (AP)—A proposed constitutional amendment which would make Supreme Court justices subject to Senate approval every four years was protested by Sen. Kefauver (D-Tenn.) today. He said it would inject politics into the court's deliberations.

The amendment was introduced late Monday by Sen. Eastland (D-Miss.), chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, and Sen. Olin D. Johnston (D-S.C.), a committee member. Eastland called the move "an attempt to save our form of government."

Almost simultaneously, Representatives Andrews (D-Ala.) and Mason (R-Ill.) said they are sponsoring a move to win support among House colleagues to start impeachment proceedings against all the members of the court.

Eastland and Johnston introduced their amendment proposal after the Supreme Court yesterday set aside three contempt of Congress convictions growing out of investigations of communism by the Senate Internal Security subcommittee and the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

Defense Claims Schunk Framed In Bribe Charge

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did and you can have any spot in town. . . He ruined us in the city and you know what is going to happen if he gets in as mayor. We are out of business," Clark was quoted.

In the deposition, Moore said he started to move away when Clark began talking to Bennett, but he hung around to eavesdrop when Bennett motioned him to stay near.

Tom Board, card dealer in the place run by Bennett at the time of the alleged bribe, said he was in a Great Falls hotel room with Clark and Bennett and that Clark tried to get Bennett to frame Schunk with the bribe story.

Clark said he quit working for Elkins last fall and went on the payroll of The Oregonian, working for that newspaper's law firm.

The newspaper has won several prizes for the series of articles that started an investigation into Portland vice a year ago. The articles were based on tapes of recorded conversation, obtained from Elkins.

Publisher M. J. Frey of The Oregonian said out of court that Clark was hired for his special knowledge of the tape recordings to help the law firm prepare a defense against \$1,600,000 in libel suits, pending because of the newspaper's articles.

Bennett, who out of the court-room has denied giving a bribe to Schunk, has not been called yet to testify. Earlier, he refused to testify on the same subject before the Senate racket committee in Washington, D.C.

Typhoon Virginia Hurls Self At Formosa Coast

TAIPEI (AP)—Typhoon Virginia, part of her fury expended in the past 24 hours, hurled herself Tuesday at the southeast coast of Formosa.

By then Virginia had been reclassified as a tropical storm, with maximum winds of 92 miles an hour. Her strength was further blunted by the mountains of Formosa's north-south range.

There were no immediate reports of damage from the storm, which as a typhoon had attained peak winds of 175 miles an hour in Manila, meanwhile, the Weather Bureau said it believed the typhoon had inflicted heavy damage in the Batanes Islands, at the extreme northern tip of the Philippines.

Beck Must Come Before Grand Jury

SEATTLE (AP)—Superior Judge Lloyd Shorett Monday ruled out Dave Beck's claim of double jeopardy and directed the Teamsters Union president to appear before a county grand jury investigating the union's finances and activities.

In a seven-point memorandum opinion, Judge Shorett rejected Beck's claim that a subpoena issued by the King County grand jury violated Beck's rights under federal and state constitutions because he would be asked to give testimony that would be self-incriminating.

"It is my belief that the better rule is that the privilege may not be claimed until the incriminating question is asked and that the grand jury has the authority to require answers of the witness to all relevant inquiries which do not tend to incriminate him."

Prosecutor Charles O. Carroll said Beck probably would be asked to appear before the jury about July 8 with records of his income and expenditures between 1953 and 1956.

Dulles Proposal Given Applause

WASHINGTON (AP)—Both Democrats and Republicans applauded Secretary of State Dulles today for proposing to Russia "a regular exchange of uncensored radio and television broadcasts."

They said this "approach to the people" of both countries, if accepted, might smooth the paths of disarmament negotiators in London and strengthen bipartisan foreign policy at home.

The administration's proposal, handed the Russian ambassador yesterday, was in step with the suggestion advanced by Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson (D-Tex.) that it propose an "open curtain" to help the United States express its views directly to the Russian people.

Sen. Mansfield (D-Mont.) said the action "indicates a meeting of minds between the Lyndon Johnson proposal and the efforts of the State Department over the past year to bring about a break in the Iron Curtain."

Cheasty Tells Of Offer Made By James Hoffa

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Kennedy, and to the Hyannis, Mass., summer resort on Cape Cod.

Hoffa's attorneys had sought to prevent Cheasty from testifying, but the move was rejected by U.S. Dist. Judge Burnita S. Matthews.

Cheasty testified that in response to a phone call from Fischbach, he came to Washington last Feb. 13 and met Fischbach in a hotel room.

Fischbach told him, Cheasty testified, that he had been in conversation with unnamed union officials who wanted to "put a man on the inside of the committee who could feed information out."

Cheasty said he asked about the possibility of being caught and quoted Fischbach as saying "we were too smart to get caught."

During their meeting in the hotel room, Cheasty related, Fischbach took out a black book containing names and addresses. He said he saw written on it "Jimmy or James" and the last name was Hoffa.

Cheasty said he "whistled and said 'Mr. Big himself' and he (Fischbach) said 'nothing but the best.'"

Cheasty said he asked Fischbach who was going to be the paymaster and "he said Hoffa was going to be the paymaster."

Cheasty testified that at his suggestion, Fischbach telephoned Hoffa in Detroit and arranged for Fischbach and Cheasty to go there to see him.

Asst. U.S. Atty. Edward P. Troxell asked Cheasty to explain just what Fischbach indicated he was to do.

"I was to get the information and pass it out," Cheasty replied. "I was to be a spy on the committee."

Brewster Still Faces Possible Opposing Moves

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP)—Frank W. Brewster of Seattle, who won his first round in his campaign to maintain chairmanship of the Western Conference of Teamsters still faces two possible moves against him.

He was reappointed chairman by Dave Beck, international president of the union, at the opening session of the conference's annual meeting Monday.

The reappointment, in a message from Beck read at the meeting, was greeted with a standing ovation by most of the 500 delegates.

One of the possible moves against Brewster is a proposed conference constitutional amendment calling for the election of a chairman at the Thursday session. This amendment is part of a program proposed by joint councils of San Francisco and San Jacinto-Sacramento valleys.

Beck's message said that any such constitutional amendment, if approved here, would require approval of the international union's convention this September in Miami, Fla., before it could become operative.

Another resolution proposes that the conference elect a chairman and then ask the general president and international Executive Board to approve the individual so selected.

Brewster, who was first appointed to the chairmanship in 1952 by Beck, has said he favors making the office elective.

BLM Calls Bids On Surfacing, Stockpiling Jobs

Road surfacing and stockpiling jobs for the Bureau of Land Management near Reedsport have been opened for bids by the Bureau of Public Roads Portland office. Deadline for submitting bids is 10 a.m. July 9.

One project includes 11,422 miles of bituminous surface treatment on the Smith River Road located approximately 18 miles northeast of Reedsport in Douglas County. Grading has already been completed. The project is numbered BLM 68-44.

The work calls for reconditioning the roadbed and use of materials estimated at 205 tons of asphalt, 2,600 cubic yards of crushed rock from stockpile and 230 tons of asphalt cement.

The other project is for stockpiling 14,435 cubic yards of crushed rock for spur roads to the Esmond Creek Road and the West Fork Smith River Road in Lane and Douglas counties approximately 25 miles northeast of Reedsport. The project is numbered BLM 230 and 670.

Lions International Convention Starting

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Lions International—some 40,000 of them from around the world—were gathering here today for a four-day convention opening Wednesday.

Delegates representing 565,000 members in 13,000 clubs in 82 nations will open the convention with a parade up Market Street Wednesday morning.

The gathering, expected to be the largest in the organization's 40-year history, will hold sessions both at Civic Auditorium and the Cow Palace.

Hotel space is at a premium and some delegates are staying in motels as far as 45 miles outside San Francisco.

Highlight of the convention will be what is billed as a major foreign policy address Friday morning by Secretary of State Dulles.

Philippine Ambassador Carlos P. Romulo will address the opening business session Thursday morning.

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N. Korea May Challenge Mov.

SEOUL (AP)—Communist North Korea is expected to challenge the U. N. Command decision to bring new weapons into Korea at a meeting Wednesday of the Joint Military Armistice Commission.

North Korea Monday requested the meeting of U. N. and Communist delegates.

Allied observers said they expected the Reds to propose a renewal of the neutral nation truce inspections that were suspended a year ago or call for a political conference to settle the Korean issue.

It was believed the Communists might make some concessions if it would enable them to get truce inspectors friendly to them into South Korea again. The inspection teams were pulled out of both South and North Korea last June after the U.N. Command charged the Communists were using them to cover up the military buildup in the North.

U. S. Attache Expelled Attache Denies Charges

VIENNA (AP)—Col. Welwyn F. Dallam, U.S. air attache expelled by the Hungarian government, declared on arriving in Austria Tuesday the Communist "charges against him were 'utterly ridiculous and completely untrue.'"

Dallam drove in from Budapest in his own station wagon with his wife.

Dallam, of San Francisco, was ordered expelled last Thursday by Hungary's Red government. It accused him of photographing Hungarian airfields and other military installations and of abusing Hungary's hospitality.

The 39-year-old colonel told reporters, "At no time did I ever violate Hungarian laws or diplomatic privileges."

Dallam added that life for Hungarians was deplorable under a reign of suppression and terror waged by the Soviet-installed government of Premier János Kadar.

"It is a life in which people now are nearly scared to death," he said.

Floyd Lengacher Elected To Board Of Union High

Floyd Lengacher was elected to a five-year term on the Reedsport Union High School board of directors at an election Monday.

The new director, who owns a mill on Smith River, has lived in Reedsport for the past two years. He replaces Gordon Walker on the board. Walker finished out his five-year term. Lengacher was elected by a vote of 25-16.

The turnout of 41 voters was comparable with past years, Mrs. Dolores Furman, school district clerk, said. A five-year director is elected each year, the clerk added. Lengacher will take over his duties July 1.

Ora Ferguson was elected chairman of the board at an annual meeting of new and old directors Monday night at Reedsport Union High School.

Man Falls 15 Stories, Lives, But Badly Hurt.
NEW YORK (AP)—A 51-year-old accountant plunged from the 15th floor of a skyscraper in the downtown financial district last night—and lived.

Joseph J. Klein crashed through a skylight on a second-floor setback. Police said he "jumped or fell" from an office adjoining his own in a 22-story building just south of Wall Street.

Klein was reported in critical condition today at Beekman-Downtown Hospital.

His fall was believed "cushioned" by numerous wires just inside the skylight, where an air-conditioning system was being installed.

Morse Denounces Alcorn Charges Of Vote Trading

WASHINGTON (AP)—Charges of vote-trading on Hells Canyon and civil rights bills were denounced by Sen. Morse (D-Ore.) Monday as a "vicious and unwarranted falsehood."

He said the charges "will help assure victory for the Hells Canyon Dam bill" in the House.

Republican National Chairman Meade Alcorn and Sen. Potter (R-Mich.) have charged that the civil rights bill was sold out last week by northern senators to win support of Southern Democrats for the Hells Canyon bill.

In a statement Morse said: "Alcorn and his reactionary private utility mouthpieces are trying to divert attention from the Eisenhower administration's political immorality, demonstrated by its many betrayals of the public's right to have their heritage in natural resources protected."

"The people of the nation won a great victory with the Senate vote on Hells Canyon Dam, and the Eisenhower administration doesn't like it. The victory symbolizes the fact that the people are catching up with the giveaway program of this administration."

"Alcorn, along with some other administration spokesmen, have suffered a stinging defeat in a fair fight and they are crying 'foul.' The people hit them squarely on their political nose last Friday, and they are whimpering over their political nosebleeds."

Alcorn said civil rights was sold out by six "self-styled" liberals in the Senate. He named Morse among them.

Armas Regime Accuses Exiles Of Plotting

GUATEMALA (AP)—The anti-Communist regime of President Carlos Castillo Armas Tuesday accused exiles abroad of plotting its overthrow. It said it had beaten back an attack on a coastal airstrip and rounded up many suspects.

The announcement said three men were killed and a number of "subversives" captured Monday when a rebel band tried to seize the airfield near Guatemala's Pacific Coast port of San Jose. The government said the rebels presumably wanted the strip to funnel in aid from exile groups abroad.

ARABIA THREATENS BREAK

DAMASCUS (AP)—The Egypt-Syria axis swung still further from the rest of the Arab world today in the wake of Saudi Arabia's threat to break relations with Damascus.

Observers here believed some face-saving solution would be found to avert an open break with the Saudis, enraged over Syrian press attacks on King Saud.

Little Chance Seen For Bricker Amendment

WASHINGTON (AP)—Any chance for Senate consideration this year of a proposed constitutional amendment limiting treaty making powers just about vanished Tuesday.

The Senate Constitutional Rights subcommittee rejected a suggestion by Sen. Dirksen (R-Ill.) that it push the matter along "and let the discussions come on the Senate floor."

Sen. Hennings (D-Mo.), a subcommittee member, objected. He said he has "some two or three dozen witnesses" who want to be heard. And Sen. Wiley (R-Wis.) sent word he wanted to testify and submit testimony from other witnesses.

These announcements came at a session at which Sen. Bricker (R-Ohio), author of the proposal, told the subcommittee that Justice Hugo Black wrote "politically motivated and wholly gratuitous remarks on treaty law" into a recent Supreme Court decision, and that he underscores the need for his amendment.

Bricker referred to the June 10 Supreme Court decision striking down court-martial convictions of Mrs. Dorothy Krueger Smith and Mrs. Clarence B. Covert on charges of murdering their soldier-husbands overseas.

Three Auto Theft Suspects Taken

Three Eugene residents, including a woman, were returned to Lane County today to face charges of car theft, state police said.

The three were arrested by Canyonville police Monday after the car ran out of gasoline. They were sitting in the car when apprehended.

Lodged at first in the Canyonville jail, state police returned them to the Douglas County jail to await seizure by Lane County authorities.

The three were identified as: Ervin Benny Wilson, 24; Anita Rose Mason, 28, and Robert Lewis Johnson, 25.

State police said the car was registered to T. P. Harris, Eugene. The car apparently was stolen from near a Eugene service station about 6:45 a.m. Monday. The arrest in Canyonville was made at about 4 p.m.

Strategic Air Command Changes Commanders

OMAHA (AP)—The Strategic Air Command, the United States' long-range bomber force, formally changes commanders today at Offutt Air Force Base.

In a 30-minute ceremony, Lt. Gen. Thomas S. Power, 52, one-time deputy chief of SAC, will assume command from Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, who has been upped to vice chief of staff of the Air Force.

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