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High Ranking Russian Arrested

Spy Charges Lodged Against Rudolph Abel

EDINBURG, Tex. (AP) — Federal authorities held a Russian colonel on a spy indictment Wednesday and described him as the highest ranking Soviet national ever arrested in the United States as an intelligence agent.

New York federal officers, who placed the intelligence agent description on the man, named him as Rudolf Ivanovich Abel, 55.

The chief border control inspector for this area, J. Eldon Taylor, said the man was held in the alien detention center near here under the name of Emil Goldfus.

Taylor emphatically refused to allow newsmen to talk to Abel. The penalty, if convicted, could be death.

Arraignment was scheduled for Wednesday.

Federal authorities said Abel was a colonel in the Soviet State Security Service — corresponding to the American Central Intelligence Agency — and that he headed the service's spy activities in the United States.

He first was brought to the alien center at McAllen, about 12 miles south of here, for routine deportation proceedings.

The federal indictment returned in New York Wednesday stopped his deportation.

Abel masqueraded in Brooklyn as a photographer and artist, authorities said.

Taylor said Wednesday, "We have the man in custody on an immigration charge."

New York authorities said Abel's base of operations was a photographic studio across the street from the Brooklyn federal court, where a grand jury returned the indictment against him.

The indictment named four other men as co-conspirators but not as defendants.

It charged that Abel conspired to "activate as agents within the United States certain members of the armed forces who were in a position to acquire information relating to the national defense of the United States."

Whether this alleged attempt was successful was not indicated. The indictment said the studio was for making microfilms of information for transmission to Soviet Russia.

It said Abel and the alleged conspirators followed out coins, pens, pencils, bolts, handkerchiefs, and similar articles so they could be used as "code" for the transmission of the microfilm.

They further used short wave radio for receiving instructions and sending information, the indictment said.

The officials said Abel entered the United States from Canada in 1948 and that he set up the photographic studio in 1953 as an adjunct to his work as an artist.

He was arrested in a New York City hotel last June 21 by immigration agents and taken to the alien detention center at McAllen, Tex. He was given a hearing there and ordered deported, but the spy charges brought Wednesday will block his departure.

**3 New Classes Added
To Photography Contest**

Three new classes have been added to photography competition for the Douglas County Fair, Aug. 22 to 25. Colored 35 millimeter slides may be entered by amateurs, and tinted photographs may be submitted in last amateur and professional sections.

Entries in all classes will be divided into lots according to subject matter. Slides should be glass mounted to protect them from scratches and fingerprints. Entries must be made at the Fairgrounds by 6 p.m. Aug. 18.

Other classes include black and white prints for amateurs and for professionals. Premiums are \$3, \$2, and \$1 in each lot for prints and \$2, \$1, and \$1.50 in each lot for slides.

The Weather

Mostly cloudy through Thursday, with periods of partial clearing during the afternoon. Five day outlook: Temperatures averaging below normal, ranging 72-82 maximums; minimum range, 45-55. Little or no precipitation.

Highest temp. last 24 hours — 77
Lowest temp. last 24 hours — 56
Highest temp. any August — 106
Lowest temp. any August — 39
Precip. last 24 hours — 0
Precip. from August 1 — .28
Precip. from Sept. 1 — 30.03
Deficit from Sept. 1 — .17
Sunset tonight, 7:28 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow, 5:11 a.m.

Fire Weather

Moderate fire danger through Thursday in interior of southwest and central Oregon. Low hazard along coast and in north-west interior.



NEIL H. McELROY

Neil McElroy Eyed For Defense Post, Eisenhower States

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower said Wednesday he is considering appointing Neil McElroy as secretary of defense as soon as the routine investigation of the Ohio manufacturer has been completed.

Eisenhower told his news conference he regards McElroy, president of Procter & Gamble Co., Cincinnati, as one of the most capable and highest types of men in the country.

The President said that a long time ago Secretary of Defense Wilson had told him he would like to get out of the government before preparation of a new fiscal year budget becomes part of the daily work. Ordinarily, budget studies of this nature begin in September.

The President's statement amounted to little more than confirmation of what had already been apparent.

Wilson, who turned 67 last month, put out the word long ago that he wished to leave the Cabinet as soon as the President could settle on a successor to him.

**License Number
Leads To Arrest
Of Young Driver**

A young sports car driver allegedly managed to outrun a Roseburg policeman Tuesday night, but couldn't hide his license plate number.

Robert Edwin Reid, 23, of 112 W. Cardinal St., Roseburg, was jailed on a charge of reckless driving.

The officer spotted Reid on Northeast Diamond Lake Boulevard allegedly trying to pass another car on the right hand side.

The officer began following him and the chase reached speeds of 85 miles per hour before the officer gave up. He did, however, get the car's license number.

Two hours later, at about 9:50 p.m., the car was seen again by the same policeman on Southeast Cass Avenue. Reid was arrested there.

Reid pleaded innocent to the charge and trial was set for Nov. 13. Reid was released on payment of \$100 bail.

**'Portland Expose' Film
Not To Be Shown In NW**

SEATTLE (AP) — Lindsley Parsons, a motion picture producer, said Tuesday his film "Portland Expose," based on alleged vice and racketeering in Portland, would not be shown in the Pacific Northwest as previously planned.

Parsons said the film, released by Allied Artists and scheduled to be premiered at Seattle and Portland Aug. 14, had been withdrawn after 20 theaters in the Pacific Northwest cancelled their booking of the movie.

Portland city officials several days ago banned the film in that city.

**Firemen Control Grass
Fire In NE Roseburg**

Roseburg firemen were called to the corner of Lincoln Street and Beulah Avenue to put out a grass fire about 4:45 p.m. Tuesday.

When firemen arrived they found the blaze was a controlled permit fire. The permit was issued for mowing hours, but the persons decided burn in the evening without notifying the fire department.

President Still Opposes Civil Rights Measure

By ED CREAUGH

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower said Wednesday he still opposes the Senate version of the civil rights bill but it remains to be seen whether further congressional action will meet his objections.

Eisenhower also told a news conference he is very earnestly considering Ohio manufacturer Neil H. McElroy to succeed Charles E. Wilson as secretary of defense.

The President indicated McElroy will be named to the post as soon as current investigations have been completed.

As for Wilson, Eisenhower said the defense secretary has not contrary to published accounts of his recent testimony before a congressional committee—opposed a budget reform plan favored by the President.

Eisenhower said Wilson merely tried to show what effect the proposed financing change would have on the Defense Department.

Eisenhower said he is viewing with the utmost hope the prospects that the Russians will accept the aerial and ground inspection plan put forward by Secretary of State Dulles in the London disarmament talks.

The President said general disarmament would follow step by step almost automatically if the U. S. proposal should be accepted.

But first, he said, there must be some little progress toward mutual trust between the communist world and the west.

Eisenhower's brief comment on the civil rights bill came as the Senate moved toward a vote Wednesday night on a version to which the President voiced strong objections in a statement Aug. 7.

He said Wednesday that this statement reflects very accurately his present views.

Eisenhower said he believes the jury trial provision for criminal contempt cases, which the Senate wrote into the bill, would be most damaging to the nation's judicial system.

But the President declined to say specifically whether he would veto the bill if it reached him in the form finally hammered out by the Senate.

The chief executive also put in an emphatic plug for his foreign aid program, up before a Senate-House conference committee.

He said the welfare of the United States demands that the government show generosity and a spirit of cooperation over a long term to help other nations learn that they can live in freedom and increased prosperity.

Eisenhower said he knows of no better dollar investment than the one provided by the mutual security program.

Eisenhower declined comment on a statement Tuesday by Adlai E. Stevenson, his Democratic opponent in 1952 and 1956, that while the jury trial amendment was unfortunate Stevenson would accept it rather than have no bill at all.

**Oliver Hardy,
Comedy Team
Star, Succumbs**

NORTH HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Oliver Hardy, the round half of the movie comedy team of Laurel and Hardy, died Wednesday. He was 65.

Death came at the home of Mrs. Monnie L. Jones, his mother-in-law. He had suffered a paralytic stroke last Sept. 12 and had been incapacitated since.

He hadn't even been able to speak since he was stricken.

Laurel and Hardy were the movies' top comedy team for years after the advent of sound. Their films are still tremendously popular on television.

Hardy had been sinking steadily in recent months and his once plump body was wasted to a shadow.

His wife, Lucille, was at his side at the end.

Stan Laurel, 67, lives with his wife at nearby Malibu.

**Benton County Sheriff
Lilly Again Assaulted**

CORVALLIS (AP) — Sheriff C. N. Lilly of Benton County, recovering from a heart attack and an assault in January, was assaulted again in the courthouse Tuesday.

This time an 18-year-old boy hit and kicked the sheriff after being refused a permit to carry a .45-caliber revolver.

The youth, Calvin Milo Hendricks, route 2, Corvallis, was committed to the state hospital at Salem by District Judge Richard Mengler after the assault.

The 63-year-old sheriff received medical treatment, rested at home several hours, then returned to his office.

Rackets Probers Learn Company Kept Union Dues

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Rackets Investigating Committee developed testimony Wednesday that a union linked to racketeer Johnny Dio allowed the Roto-Broil Corp. of America to retain some \$23,000 of union dues checked off from employees' wages.

Irving Jacobson, executive vice president of the company, testified the money was held back because of "financial difficulties."

He said other obligations of the company have prior claim in a reorganization the New York firm now is going through.

Jacobson said the dues money was deducted from employees' pay but never sent to the union, Local 355 of the former AFL United Auto Workers (now Allied Industrial Workers).

The local is one of those said by the Senate committee to be controlled by racketeer Dio, due for testimony before the committee Thursday.

Dio has been in jail awaiting sentence after conviction of extortion.

One official of Local 355 is Bernard Tolkow. He was scheduled for testimony later Wednesday.

Jacobson came to the witness chair after the senators had bumped into a series of Fifth Amendment pleas in their efforts to get testimony about Dio from labor union officials.

The silence of the union men brought a call by committee members for tough new laws to help union members to cast off the yoke of racketeer leadership.

The committee contends that Dio-controlled unions were shifted to "paper" locals in the Teamsters in order to vote a pal of midwest teamster boss James R. Hoffa into a top New York teamster's office.

**Mamie Continues
In Fine Condition**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower continues in "fine" condition following surgery Tuesday, her physician reported Wednesday.

James C. Hagerty, White House press secretary, relayed the following statement from Maj. Gen. Howard M. Snyder, the presidential physician:

"Mrs. Eisenhower's post-operative condition continues to be fine. She slept with but few interruptions throughout the night."

The President's wife underwent a two-hour operation, performed by an Army gynecologist, Tuesday at Walter Reed Army Hospital.

Later in the day, as she rested in the three-room hospital suite her husband occupied 14 months ago, she was reported "doing fine."

**Jaycees Driving
School To Start**

The Roseburg Junior Chamber of Commerce driving school starts tonight at 6 o'clock, reports Jaycee spokesman Bill Kramer.

It will continue each Wednesday night for the following three consecutive weeks. The school will be staged at the high school parking lot.

To participate in the school, the students must have either driver's license or learner's permit. They must also furnish their own cars.

Separate schools for parking and driving will be staged. Those interested may register at the site tonight.

**Adlai Stevenson Critical
Of Appointment Of Gluck**

NEW YORK (AP) — Adlai E. Stevenson says the appointment of Maxwell H. Gluck as ambassador to Ceylon is "another example of the cynical payment of political debts at the expense of our friends and international respect."

The 1952 and 1956 Democratic presidential candidate also says that the Eisenhower administration has "done great damage to our diplomatic services from the outset."

Stevenson made the comment at a news conference Tuesday, several hours after he arrived by plane from a three-month tour of Europe and Africa.

He went to the news conference with prepared statements on economic and political developments in Europe and Africa, civil rights in the United States, disarmament and the Gluck appointment.

On Washington affairs, Stevenson expressed displeasure over the course of the civil rights bill.

Demonstrators Watch Blast Off Test Site

ATOMIC TEST SITE, Nev. (AP) — Pacifist demonstrators who came here in an effort to halt nuclear tests—watched from here before the Atomic Energy Commission fired its latest shot.

Eleven of the demonstrators were arrested Tuesday for trying to enter the restricted site. They were later released.

The blast they couldn't halt was fired at dawn Wednesday.

After many postponements, the blast was slated for Tuesday—12th anniversary of the birth of atomic warfare at Hiroshima, Japan.

Unfavorable winds arrived simultaneously with the Committee for Non-Violent Action against Nuclear Weapons.

The Atomic Energy Commission again postponed the shot, because of winds. Eleven members of the pacifist group tried to enter, anyway, to carry out their avowed purpose of halting the tests. About a yard inside the site security guards arrested them.

In court later at Beatty, seat of Nye County, a judge warned the eleven that violation of the state's trespass laws could be punished by a \$500 fine and six months in jail.

However, he suspended the sentencing on the violation for one year, and said that if the 11 violate no Nevada laws in the meantime, the charges would be dropped.

**Myrtle Creek's
Council Ponders
TV Cable Permit**

Myrtle Creek city council met last night for the second session concerning the television franchise that would authorize Myrtle Creek TV Cable Co. to begin work.

Some objection was raised by members of the audience as to lack of granting permission to where pole and equipment should be placed. After much discussion, councilmen tabled the franchise until Aug. 13, at which time a representative of the cable company will be on hand.

Permission was given George Rittenhouse, representative of Umpqua Plywood Corp., to have a corporation representative who will liquidate the plywood plant live on the property in a trailer house for a short time. There is a city ordinance against trailer houses, but the situation would be temporary and permission was granted.

The board granted permission to the Chamber of Commerce to hold the annual street dance the night of Aug. 17, and to block off two blocks of Second Street and part of Oak Street for the Fall Festival, Aug. 16 and 17, reports correspondent Ruth Evans.

**Elizabeth Taylor Gives
Birth To Premature Baby**

NEW YORK (AP) — Showman Mike Todd says nine doctors deserve bows for a "miraculous" job in the delivery of a premature baby to his wife Elizabeth Taylor.

A 4-pound, 14-ounce daughter was born to the beautiful brunette film star through Caesarean section Tuesday at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center. The baby was due in October.

Todd said Dr. Virginia Apgar "worked over the baby for 14 minutes before she hollered." Dr. Apgar is a resuscitation specialist. She breathed life into the tiny infant.

"Those were the longest 14 minutes of my life," said Todd.

He issued this statement: "Liz and I are very grateful we got what we wanted most, but really the hard way. It was a miracle, thanks to the extraordinary medical genius of the lineup assembled by Dr. Dana Atchley, that this has come off."

**Jess Swopes Reports
Picket Fence Damaged**

Jess Swopes of 1864 SE Giles St., Roseburg, reported to city police Tuesday that picket fences at 757 NE Fulton and 2127 Malheur had been damaged by youngsters.

Police investigated but could find no fence at the Malheur address. Ten children between the ages of 8 and 15 were questioned and they admitted tearing down the fence. No action was taken, but it was indicated the matter might be turned over to juvenile authorities.

HAY SHED BURNS

A hay shed was destroyed at Sutherland Tuesday night before it could be stopped by the Sutherland Fire Dept. The shed was owned by Vernon Beavers. Cause of the blaze was not known.

British Advancing Against Oman Rebels To Take Izz As First Military Object

(Editors: Accreditation to the British force in Oman has been limited to four correspondents, including one American. The New York Times, represented by Sam Pope Brewer, won the draw for the American place and his stories will be pooled among American news agencies and newspapers. His first dispatch:

By SAM POPE BREWER
(New York Times correspondent, pool representative for the American press)

FAHUD, Oman, Tuesday—(delayed) — British forces are moving forward from here before dawn to take Izz as the first direct move in support of their ally, the Sultan of Oman and Muscat, to oust the Imam of Oman.

Tuesday night under a half moon that made the desert bright, the British commander's headquarters was taking down camp.

A line of unfamiliar jeeps with foreign soldiers is to halt a little more than half a mile from the village of Izz, while a political representative of Sultan Said Bin Taimur goes forward to ask for an assurance of loyalty to the sultan.

In this case no resistance is expected because it is reported tonight that Izz already has put up the sultan's red flag in token of submission.

Asked what would happen if the effort at parity failed, Brig. Robertson said other action would have to be taken. He did not wish to forecast what it would be.

**Yoncalla Man
Jailed On Charge
Of Child Beating**

A Yoncalla man was in the Douglas County jail today charged with allegedly beating his 8-year-old son with a shoe and forcing him to sleep with the family dog outside.

Trial for Lester Byron Mills, 32, has been scheduled in Douglas County District Court Aug. 12. He was arraigned today, pleaded innocent to the charge and was returned to jail in lieu of payment of \$500 bail. The legal charge is "causing a child to become or remain a dependent."

The complaint states that Mills maintained a home which "was an unfit place" for the 8-year-old boy, Charles Gene Mills "by reason of cruelty and depravity." The charge is a misdemeanor.

Sheriff Ira C. Byrd said a neighbor had complained that the child had been beaten around the head and face with a shoe and then forced to spend the night outside with the dog with neither blankets nor food. The incident allegedly occurred Sunday, Byrd said.

The reason for the beating was not immediately known.

**Small Girl Is Rescued
From Chimney Shaft**

BAY CITY, Mich. (AP) — For a tense half hour Tuesday, firemen took apart a portion of a home foundation.

Then they reached in and tenderly removed 3-year-old Glenda McPhee to safety from an abandoned chimney shaft which might have been a death trap.

Today, she was reported little the worse from the experience, though having suffered shock.

Earlier in the afternoon, Glenda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen McPhee, stepped into the shaft in the attic of her home and fell 18 feet between the walls of the house and into the basement, wedging tightly in an 8-by-12 inch opening.

Levy Fact Rant

By L. F. Reizenstein

Increase of one-cent in bread prices must have been a severe shock to the penny-pinchers.

Second Man Injured In Rugged Area

**Forest Service Team
Crashes Near Illahe;
Rescuers Return**

A helicopter being used by the U.S. Forest Service in timber inventory work crashed Tuesday evening about 55 miles east of Roseburg, killing the pilot and injuring a passenger.

Dead is Bruce Forster, 29, Berkeley, Calif. The injured Forest Service employee is Michael D. Moore, 18, a Michigan State University student working this summer in the Umpqua National Forest.

The crash could hardly have occurred in a less accessible spot. The craft went down about 1/4 of a mile from Illahe Rock Lookout, about 15 miles east of Steamboat, and about seven miles by trail north of Illahe guard station, which is on the North Umpqua Road.

About 40 Forest Service employees, Dep. Sheriff Louis A. Sutter, Dr. A. B. Munroe and two News-Review reporters, Lloyd Rogers and Wayne Woodman, were among those who arrived at the accident scene.

Dr. Munroe, Sutter and the two reporters rode in on horses.

Leg Broken

It was reported that Moore received a broken leg and was suffering from shock.

A second helicopter flown in from Yreka, Calif., hoisted Moore and the doctor to the Illahe guard station, where the Douglas County Defense disaster car brought the injured man to Douglas Community Hospital.

Extent of his injuries wasn't known definitely late this morning. Dave Patterson, a lookout at Illahe Rock, saw the helicopter just before it crashed.

Rogers, who relayed the narrative through the Steamboat Ranger Station, said Forster apparently attempted a landing atop the rock. It struck the rock, then hit two small trees. Patterson thought at first the craft had made a forced landing because the motor was running after hitting the rock and trees.

Later, when the helicopter failed to reappear, Patterson began searching in the darkness. He finally found the wreckage about 10 p.m., some three hours after the crash.

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MC School Board Talks Work Plans, Hires New Coach

A special meeting of the Myrtle Creek school board was held Tuesday for the purpose of showing plans for new shower rooms to be built at the Tri-City school.

The work had previously been allowed in the budget, and the board approved the plans and authorized work to continue by the maintenance crew.

The board hired a new football coach, LeRoy Juelke, 29, of Drake, N.D. Juelke has had six years experience in the coaching field, was graduated from the Ellendale Normal College at Ellendale, N.D., and did graduate work at Minot State Teachers College, N.D. In addition to being football coach, he will assist in other sports as well as teaching in physical education and industrial arts. Juelke will fill the vacancy in the industrial arts program caused by the resignation of D. F. Bunch, who will teach at Gresham.

Supt. Al Neet announced the first grade physical examinations and registration will be held Aug. 27 at Myrtle Creek primary school and Aug. 29 at Tri-City school. Parents of first graders will be notified and examinations will be conducted by members of Myrtle Creek Clinic, assisted by members of the Myrtle Creek and Tri-City PTA.

The board increased district liability insurance from \$20,000 and \$100,000 to \$100,000 and \$300,000 with the Douglas County Insurance Co. Ruth Evans, correspondent, reports the next meeting will be Aug. 12.

**Two Added To Staff
Of Welfare Office**

Joanne Jarrard, June graduate of Gonzaga University at Spokane, has joined the staff of the Douglas County Welfare Commission. Mrs. Lois Baker, administrator, reports.

She replaces Harriet Swerzin, who will teach art at Central Junior High School in Roseburg. Miss Jarrard was graduated from Gonzaga University with a bachelor's degree in business administration.

Dorothy Fay Morrow has joined the commission staff as a bookkeeper. Miss Morrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Morrow, 1054 NE Adler St., Roseburg, is a June graduate of Roseburg High School. She is replacing Carolyn DeFreece, who is moving to Montana where her parents, Miss DeFreece's resignation becomes effective Friday.

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