

Good Humor Mood Remains At Nuclear Test Ban Meet

By HENRY SHAPIRO
The room turned toward the chair. A jovial start was taken by the United States and Britain met with Russia and the Soviet Union today in the second straight day of nuclear test ban negotiations. The day of nuclear test ban negotiations was a good-humored start. Nuclear test ban negotiations were held in the Kremlin on Monday. The Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko, taking over leadership of the Soviet negotiations from Western delegation chief, Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev, Khrushchev's action in person struck the light note during the opening of the talks and his pre-conference session in front of a group of photographers with U.S. Undersecretary of State W. Averell Harriman and Britain's Lord Hailsham, during a three and one-half hour meeting.

Monday's opening session of the three-power conference top play. This contrasted sharply with the virtual silence of the Soviet press on the current Sino-Soviet talks that have apparently failed to heal the widening rift between Moscow and Peking. Khrushchev joked Monday with Harriman and Hailsham during a three-and-one-half hour meeting. He joked with the U.S. and British negotiators, Under Secretary of State W. Averell Harriman and Science Minister Lord Hailsham, during a three and one-half hour meeting.

Striking Contrast
His behavior was in striking contrast to the snubs and attacks against Communist China, whose delegates were holding ideological talks with a Soviet team at the same time the nuclear conference was going on.

Chinese, Soviets Delegates Take Recess In Talks Over Ideology

MOSCOW (UPI) — Soviet and Chinese delegates today took an apparent recess from their talks on the split in the world Communist movement. Continuing press attacks that showed the split was widening. The Peking negotiating team met alone at the Chinese Embassy, Communist sources said, indicating that it was waiting for new instructions from the Chinese leadership and would not meet the Soviet ideological negotiators today. The instructions were presumed to deal with the unprecedented attack on China published in Sunday's Pravda.

U. S. Attorneys Deny Hoffa's Defense Claims

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (UPI) — Federal attorneys denied Monday defense claims that they offered to "take care" of one of the defendants in the James R. Hoffa jury tampering case. In briefs filed with District Court Judge Frank Gray, the government said it did offer, however, to protect Thomas Ewing Parks, one of the defendants, if he would testify against the Teamsters president.

'Talent Wanted' Signs Are Out

Douglas County's biggest annual talent show this year will be offering \$400 in cash prizes and \$2,000 in merchandise to winners. Chuck Ricketts, manager and director of the Ricketts' Revue and Talent Contest, which will again be featured at the Douglas County Fair and Exposition Aug. 14-18, said the "talent wanted" signs are out. This will be the 12th annual presentation. Applications for the contest are now being accepted at Ricketts Music Store in Roseburg, Aug. 10 is the entry deadline.

Overdose Of Pills Taken By Woman

Mrs. Jacqueline Smith, 25, of 388 NW Coral Ave., was rushed to a local hospital Monday, after she allegedly had taken an excessive amount of sleeping tablets, the sheriff's office reports. Mrs. Smith was reported to have called her husband at work and asked him to come home. The husband said he couldn't but after hanging up called a neighbor and asked her to check and make sure she was all right.

Truck Fire Doused

Firemen from the Roseburg City Fire Department were called on to extinguish a pickup fire at 11 p.m. Monday in the 900 block on SE Stephens.

Files For Bankruptcy

Wayne Allen Miers of 204 SW Alameda, Myrtle Creek, has filed for bankruptcy in U. S. District Court in Portland. A millworker, he lists debts totaling \$4,280.84.



JOHN FACTOR once known as "Jake the Barber" during Chicago's prohibition era, became an American citizen Monday in Los Angeles. U. S. Judge Leon Yankwich gave the 70-year old British-born philanthropist the oath of allegiance. (UPI Telephoto)

Goldwater Believes Rockefeller Is Candidate For Presidency

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The camp of Sen. Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz., today viewed Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller's attack on the "radical right" as notice that Rockefeller is a presidential candidate. The New York governor's statement also was considered in some quarters as the forerunner of a stop-Goldwater movement by other presidential hopefuls in the Republican party. A spokesman for Goldwater Monday night quoted the Arizona conservative as saying the

Rockefeller statement amounted to the governor's "formal declaration of candidacy" for the GOP nomination. Although Goldwater has never acknowledged that he is a presidential aspirant himself, his stock has boomed in recent months following Rockefeller's re-marriage to a divorced woman. Political observers speculated that Rockefeller felt he was losing ground in the presidential race and sought to regain leadership by his attack on groups supporting Goldwater. Newsweek magazine said Monday the Rockefeller statement was part of a concerted drive to block Goldwater's nomination by forming a coalition of Republicans supporting the New York governor, Michigan Gov. George Romney and Pennsylvania Gov. William Scranton.

Road Crash Puts Four In Hospital

Three Roseburg residents and a Springfield woman are hospitalized from an automobile accident which reportedly occurred on Highway 99 in the mountainous area north of Grants Pass, in Josephine County, Sunday. Most seriously injured was Frank White of Roseburg, who suffered crushed vertebrae, bruises and other injuries. Annabelle Carter, Roseburg, reportedly suffered broken ribs, bruises and other minor injuries. Her sister, Cora E. Curtis, Springfield was said to have suffered only bruises and shock but is in good condition. All are in Douglas Community Hospital.

Caudill Enters Innocent Plea

John Aaron Caudill, 24, of 440 W. Cochrane St., Roseburg, pleaded innocent to a charge of immoral practice, on arraignment in Roseburg Municipal Court of Judge Warren Woodruff Monday. Caudill is accused in connection with an alleged entry of a home and bedroom of a young married woman on NE Nash St. early Sunday morning. He is being held in the city jail with bail set at \$300 pending trial Aug. 14.

Hospital News

Visiting Hours
2 to 3:30 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m.
Mercy Hospital
Admitted
Medical: Clyde Hastings, Roscoe Hasenauer, Hattie Geddes, all of Roseburg; Lloyd Tyler, Winston. **Surgery:** Adolph Hammer-schmidt, Sutherland.
Discharged
Mrs. Ben Wong, Shelia Aldridge, Mrs. William Arnold, Mrs. Vern Reynolds, Mrs. Warren Barber and daughter Carol Ann, Mrs. Ronald Elliott and daughter Debby Sue, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Leonard Itzatt, Myrtle Creek; Bradford Parzono, Wilbur Williams, both of Sutherlin, Harold Butcher, Oakland.
Douglas Community Hospital
Admitted
Medical: Shawn Carpenter, Mrs. Albert Hash, Mrs. Lloyd White, Mrs. Bob Westman, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Ronald Higgins, Myrtle Creek. **Surgery:** Guy Gill, Robert Butler, Mrs. Jesse DeBolt, Steven Keller, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Clarence Irons, Sutherland; Mrs. Joseph Lynch, Glide.

Frank John Franco

Funeral services for Frank John Franco, 32, of 250 NE Jackson St., Roseburg, who died at Seattle, Wash., Sunday afternoon, have been scheduled here Thursday. He was born April 2, 1911, in Montana. He had lived in the Roseburg area most of his life. He was married Oct. 25, 1941, at Reno, Nev., to Dorothy Lore.

Mrs. Geraldine Flint

Funeral services were held in Portland Monday for former Oakland resident Mrs. Geraldine Flint, who died July 12 in a Portland hospital following a long illness. She was born at Hillsboro and moved with her parents to Oakland while an infant and resided there until her marriage in 1937.

"A BIT EMBARRASSING"

LONG BEACH, Calif. (UPI) — "It was a bit embarrassing," admitted Mrs. Katherine Harrison, 28, when asked about her driving lesson Monday which ended in a dry flood control channel with the remains of a wooden barrier and 36 feet of chain link fencing strewn out behind her. "The car just shot forward," she confided.

Auto Kills Woman

PORTLAND (UPI) — Ida A. Hampden, 75, Portland, was injured fatally Monday when she was struck by a car as she walked across a street here. City police said she was hit by a car driven by Ralph Timothy, 34, Portland. She died in a hospital. Her death was the 34th in the city so far this year.

Local News

Elmer O. Clark of Roseburg has been admitted as a patient at the Veterans Administration Hospital here. Bureau of Public Roads Announcement
Camp Creek Road
Open July 13-21
Closed 22-26

Congress Leaders Hopeful For Accord In Rail Dispute

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Democratic congressional leaders said today after conferring with President Kennedy that they were "very hopeful" for a settlement of the railroad dispute by next week to head off a nationwide strike. Tempering his comment by saying he is "always hopeful," Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield said the lawmakers discussed with Kennedy the fact-finding mission undertaken by a special presidential committee. The committee hopes to report to the President Friday. Mansfield said the Democratic leadership was "very hopeful" there will be a settlement in the discussions now going on. by next Monday. "If not, of course the President will have to make a move." In setting up the special committee to pinpoint the issues in the work rules deadlock, Kennedy set Monday, July 22, as the deadline for submission of the report. If there still is no settlement by then, he plans to use that report as a basis for proposals to Congress to end the dispute. The railroads agreed to Kennedy's request to put off until July 29 imposition of so-called "anti-featherbedding" rules which eventually would eliminate the jobs of about 37,000 firemen on diesel locomotives. The five operating unions have announced they will strike as soon as the new work rules are imposed. Speaker John W. McCormack told newsmen after today's weekly breakfast meeting of Democratic congressional leaders that Kennedy had the railroad situation was among a number of matters discussed. McCormack said other subjects included tax reduction, foreign aid and the nuclear test ban negotiations now going on in Moscow.

Canyonville Home Destroyed By Fire

A two-story frame house in Canyonville occupied by the Everett Gish family was lost to fire in the early morning hours today. Cause of the fire, believed to have started in a stairway, was not immediately known, according to Beth Chappell, correspondent. A total of 18 volunteer firemen answered the first alarm at 1 a.m. after discovery of the blaze by members of the family. All persons in the house escaped without injury, and some household effects were saved. However, the house is considered a total loss. Owner of the property is T. L. Bronson, now residing in California. It is not known if insurance was carried on either the house or its contents. Firemen stood watch over the smoldering remains of the residence until 7 o'clock this morning. Tight construction of the old-type building rendered the blaze difficult to isolate and control, firemen reported.

Michigan Man Arrested Here

Charles Clyde McDonald, 32, of Detroit, Mich., was apprehended here by State Police over the weekend on a Michigan warrant charging larceny of an auto. A 21-day hold order was signed by Judge Don H. Sanders, acting for Judge Gerald R. Hayes in District Court, and bail was set at \$5,000.

Miss Universe Contest Begins

MIAMI BEACH (UPI) — Official competition in the 1963 Miss Universe contest opened today with the preliminary round for 43 American beauties shooting at the Miss U.S.A. title. Fifteen semifinalists will be named from among the leggy American contingent tonight, and the winner will be crowned by Hawaii's Marcel Wilson, reigning Miss U.S.A., Wednesday night.

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