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Senators Tackle **Critical Problem Of Wheat Surplus** 

WASHINGTON (UPI) - The Senate today tackled a va-riety of controversial suggestions on how to halt the steadily growing wheat surplus. One by Sen. John J. Williams (R-Del.) would place a \$35,-

seen issued" in opposing the Sen-ate Agriculture Committee's wheat

Young said Benson was "com-

pletely erroneous" in his state-ment that the bill would cost more

than the present wheat program. Benson also was atacked on the

Senate floor by Sen. George D. Aiken (R-Vt.). Aiken accused the

secretary of trying to set up a bank to finance rural power and

farm problem, and with several factions clamoring for adoption of

000 ceiling on price support loans. This would amend a measure passed by the House this week calling for a \$50,000 limit on such loans for all crops. Sen. Milton R. Young (R-N.D.) charged during debate that

# Ike Meets With Dag For Talks By MERRIMAN SMITH UPI White House Reporter

WASHINGTON (UPI) - President Eisenhower had a breakfast table conference today with U.N. put farmers "still more under the Secretary-general Dag Hammar-skjold who has suggested New With wheat the nation's No. 1 skjold who has suggested New York as a site for a summit conference.

their means of dealing with it, a After the meeting, Hammar- bitter fight was shaping up in skjold said the talk was "private" the Senate. and resulted from an invitation by The proposals ranged an the way from a measure to raise price sup The proposals ranged all the way ports even more to one which do

Asked if, aside from the meet-away with supports altogether. Other congressional news: ing, "any thought is being given to injecting the United Nations in-Foreign aid: Labor, leaders and Americans for Democratic Action fell in behind Sen. J. William Fulto the Berlin situation." the U.N. official apologized and said he bright's, efforts to increase this could not go beyond the careful origin's end to inderdeveloped press conference remarks he nations. The AFL-CIO, the United

Auto Workers and the Cooperative League joined the ADA in endors made Thursday. In his New York statement he said it might be helpful to have U.N. headquarters as the site for a Big Four summit meeting to provide a link for countries which would not be represented. But he only or necessarily the best site for such a meeting. Hammarskjold described public, statement Thursday as "very wait and seeish." made Thursday.

Very wait and seetsn. Joining Eisenhower and Ham-marskjold at breakfast were Hen-ry Cabot Lodge Jr., U.S. ambas-sador to the U.N., and C. Douglas Dillon, deputy secretary of state. Hammarskjold said in New York Thursday that there should be a direct link between any summit conference and the coun-ernments could best assure safety tries which would not be reprein the growth of atomic industry. sented at such a meeting.

"One way of expressing that relationship is, of cours, for the meeting to take place at (U.N.) headquarters," he told a news conference. "It is not the only one and not necessarily the best one.

The White House said Eisen-hower's meeting with Hammar-**Elgin Events** skjold was the result of a long-standing invitation from the Pres- Due Saturday ident and had nothing to do with

meeting at Geneva. At St. John's the President will take part in the dedication of the Francis Scott Key Memorial Au-ditorium, the Melon Laboratory and the McKeldin Planetarium. The buildings cost a total of St. istrar. waiting. **Cuban Executions** main the same or even be re-duced. Callahan noted that the fund has paid out more than it re-ceived 34 months out of the last 39. "We lost \$3,463,000 in the 1957-58 fiscal year. However, reports 58 fiscal year. However, reports re Walter W. Hutchison, race. Following the races will be bicycle races, phone booth stuf-ling contects, phone booth stuf-First event is a pony express the condition of John Foster The buildings cost a total of \$2,-100,000. 58 fiscal year. However, reports windup the campaign. indicate a cash loss of slightly Mrs. Mildred Tiss, La Eisenhower will fly to the col-lege by helicopter. He also will go by helicopter to his farm. Bers fly casting contests and a Mrs. Mildred Tiss, La Grande chairman, said packets can be turned in to the First National Bank here or can be sent direct y to the Union branch of the turned in to the Grant direct in the Second direct in the Seco more than \$1,700,000 in the cur-rent fiscal year," Callahan said. gers, fly casting contests and a add to his announcement Tuesday Pinay, here for a brief unofficial visit, sent word to Dillon that pack horse race. when he said Dulles was growing Will Reverse Trend Tom Sagers reported this morn- weaker and receiving heavy doses ly to the Union branch of the year of internship. which he particularly wanted to discuss. Assistant Secretary of State Robert Murphy and French Ambassador Herve Alphand will Windup for the day will be the in his fight against "We have been able to draw upon our surplus to make up the there is life there is hope. 623. First National Bank, which is finance headquarters for the coun The 71-year-old former secretary difference but cannot continue this SHE'S THE FAMILY MAID of state has been losing ground practice indefinitely. The rate in-Windup for the day will be the in his fight against cancer since The campaign started on April creases will reverse the loss trend accompany Pinay during his talk Figin Stampeder dance set for his condition was complicated by with Eisenhower. The Stampede Hall at 9 p.m. pneumonia a week ago Saturday. 1 and was scheduled to be conof the last few years, providing cluded last week. Union coun requisite reserves in addition to balancing income with expendi-**Elopement Fever Runs Wild** pneumonia a week ago Saturday ty Chairman Frankie Baum of Union said her committee would tures. SUKARNO CAUGHT IN MIDDLE like to wrap up the campaign this Callahan said that "as far as weekend. can be determined at present, As Spring Fancy Triumphs further extensive rate increases OF BUENOS AIRES Drivers 'Ditch' FIGHTING will not be necessary except as benefits are increased by the 

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ROSEMARY ZAUGG Agriculture Secretary Ezra Ben-son made "the most absurd, ig-noramus statement i have ever Union Commercial Club



JANICE LORENZEN La Grande Mavericks

CORONATION NIGHT—One of the lovely young ladies above will be crowned Queen for the 1959 Eastern Orestage of the high school gymnasium for the ceremony-and the four young ladies will be attired in special dress for the occasion. Cliff Woodell's Western Hillshow is June 4-5-6.

## WORKER'S COMPENSATION RATE CHANGE ANNOUNCED

SALEXI (UPI) - Changes in \$5.28. The Western Oregon logging workmen's compensation rates rate went from \$10.88 to \$14,17. for Oregon industry were announ-ceed today by William A. Calla-creased from \$5.78 to \$7.11. East-han, chairman of the State Indus-ern Oregon logging was raised to \$10.04 from \$7.17, and plywood

trial Accident Commission. The rate changes become efmanufacturing from \$2.15 to \$2.68. fective with payroll reports filed for the month of July 1959, and **Reasons** Given In explanation of the increases will remain in effect through Callahan said "the Commission is charged by law with the respon-sibility to provide "the lowest June, 1960. Of the 229 classifications under which payrolls are reported to rates consistent both with insurthe IAC, 27 were reduced because ance princip of favorable claim cost ratios, 53 vent fund." ance principles and with a sol-The benefit increases voted by

But an AFL-CIO witness argued remained unchanged and 149 inthat the federal government should creased. have even more responsibility in Classifications which were re-Classifications which were re-duced include underground min-creases in the cost of medical the field and "we oppose any di-lution of this responsibility by ing, aluminum manufacturing, glassware manufacturing, applifarming it out to the states

ance repairing, veterinary hospitals and electric power plant operation. Major increases were announ ced in general farming to \$8.79 per \$100 payroll from the present



JORDYCE TAMERIS Elgin Stampeders



ELLA MAE DENTON Union Range Riders

the 1959 Legislature required a

care will require an additional two per cent increase. These, to-

gon Livestock Show at ceremonies at Union tomorrow night. A centennial setting has been prepared on the billy dance band will play at the Coronation Dance. The (Observer Photos)

#### Four Foreign Ministers Conference today and challenged Russia to come back with "constructive" moves. Steps were afoot that indicated the East-West talks might get down to real bargaining next week in secret. Secretary of State Christian Herter and his western part ers wound up their side of the ners wound up their side of the con-ference's opening stage with a flat **Violent May** and final rejection of the Sovie counter plan for a peace treaty that would divide Germany perm

Another Soviet Proposal

Storms Bring anently. As these views were presented Destruction here, it was disclosed in Moscow that Premier Nikita Khrushchev told the West German Ambassa-

United Press International A fatal bolt of lightning in Illidor that Russia would sign a peace treaty with East Germany if the present conference fails to noise, a swirling waterspout in Florida and overpowering winds n Texas prolonged the nation's reach agreement. Observers sav lion-like May weather Thursday. in this a possibility Khrushchev might act without waiting for a But the Weather Bureau saw re-lief for the battered midsection of summit parley.

the country today. The weather-men predicted a break in the hot, Herter warned in his speech a humid air that has gripped the Mississippi Valley all week but the start of today's session that there cannot even be "a reason forecast more showers and thunable degree of peace and security in Europe" while Germany re-mains divided. derstorms from the southern states through the East. John A. Hoblitt, 48, president of the Atlanta, Ill., National Bank was killed when he was struck by ightning while trying to bring in tractor during a thunderstorm. The water spout-a water-borne thread and a spontage water-oorne sorten the communist freaty plan Bay late Thursday, damaging keep its economic allainces with three Tampa homes, disrupting the West. pawer in the area and uprooting cereral trees. A U.S. spokesman said tonight A vicious squall bearing winds up to 87 m.p.h. whistled out of peace tr the Gulf of Mexico along 400 cussion."

miles of Texas coastline. Two teen-age boys at Gilchrist, Tex., were reported missing. The winds inflicted \$50,000 damage to Galveston, Tex., forced the tanker Maxton aground and shoved 16 railroad cars 16 blocks

down the tracks. Two other persons drowned Thursday at Liberty Center, Iowa. the Soviet delegation will put forward next week some constructive when the normally quiet Otter Creek flooded, stalling an auto which had tried to pass over a bridge.

**Medical School** Heaviest rain Thursday night fell from the western Mississippi Valley and the Texas Panhandle **Due For Pair** northward through into the cen-

gether with steeply rising loss ra-tios in many classifications, have tral Rockies. Vichy, Mo., report-ed 1.85 inches and Grangeville, Idaho, had 1.37 inches during a necessitated the sharp increases. Income from the registration fees and the annual fees has six-hour period

WEATHER

Partly cloudy today and to-night; risk of afternoon thundershowers in mountains; sunny and warm Saturday; high today 60-65 and Satur-day 63-68; low tonight 38-43.

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2 Weeks

LINCOLN, Neb. (UPI)- Mass

daver Charles Starkweather won

a dramatic last-hour stay of ex-ecution today from a U.S. district

judge. The stay was announced 90 minutes before the execution was

Stay of execution was granted by U.S. District Judge Richard

E. Robinson of Ornaha. It was not announced to the Nebraska gov-

ernor's office until 4:30 a.m., cst, an hour and a half ahead of the

Robinson ordered the execution

tayed for two weeks-until June

to allow Starkweather time to

appeal to the District Court of

The federal judge acted upon

receipt of a telegram from Guy Starkweather, father of the con-

appeal from the denial, by anoth-

Starkweather, the 20-year - old nass slayer who committed Neb-

raska's worst criminal orgy in

slaying 11 persons had appeared resigned to his fate when he met

with his family for 31/2 hours

Clear Conscience He told them he faced death with

"clear conscience" and at peace

As a precaution, the state peni-entiary acting warden, John

tentiary acting warden, John Greenholtz, kept a telephone line

open through the night in case of a last-minute stay of execution. The call from Conrad came short-

Robinson's action was unexpect

ed by any state official, and it was presumed Thursday night that Starkweather's last hope to

evade the electric chair had gone. His father, Guy, said he would

to have taken place.

execution time

demned youth.

habeas corpus.

Thursday night.

ly after 5 a.m.

with God.

Appeals.

# Killer Cheats Death With 11th Hour Stay Execution West Challenges Reds IN HOME POT Stretched

The bloomin' flowers are bursting forth in all their glory once again on a pole at Greenwood and Adams. The pot of flowers disap-To Be 'Constructive' With Their Proposals

peared early in the week. It was one of 16 baskets of ar-GENEVA (UPI) — The western powers completed pre-sentation of their peace plan for Germany before the Big tificial daisies purchased by the Woman's Council of La Grande to bedeck La Grande streets durin gthe centennial

Four-hundred members of the council took up arms and even offered a reward for the capture of the varmit who vamoosed with the blossums. The brightly colored posies were found less than 24 hours later and were turned over, undamaged, to city po-

Tranquil tourists who wander through town this sum-mer, and who will view the peaceful posies reticently re-tiring on their lamp posts, will never know that the blossoms were once the cen-ter of a raging storm.

### Robinson said it appeared Stark-weather "is and has been without the services of an attorney" and that he might be held in custody Hoffa Denies 'in violation of the constitution. **Strike Threat** The stay was granted to allow Starkweather time to file a further

MINNEAPOLIS (UPI)- James er federal judge carlier this week, of his application for a writ of R. Hoffa's threat of a nationwide general strike was a "misquote" But Soviet Foreign Minister An "my numerous critics"

drei Gromyko came right back by hostile newsmen, the teamsters with a new maneuver to perpetu-ate this division. He offered to union boss said Thursday. Hoffa said the threat of a strike soften the Communist treaty plan to protest antitrust legislation against labor was taken out of context "to appeal to the public."

"What my numerous critics don't know is that there was a A U.S. spokesman said tonight "it is impossible to use the Soviet stenographer present at that Tex-as meeting and when I'm able to peace treaty as a basis for disget a transcript they will crawl "The western presentation of its under the covers until they can

peace plan is now complete," the spokesman said. "We have dis-cussed and explained the major aspects of that plan. "We have dis-cussed and explained the major aspects of that plan. But newsmen present at the Brownsville, Tex., meeting Tues-day said they quoted the bellig-"We hope that it is now better appreciated by the Soviet deleerent labor boss correctly. gation. . . It is now to be hoped that Earlier, in Chicago Hoffa an-

ounced teamsters' plan to cooperate with the International Longnew proposals that may serve as a basis for discussion." horemen's association in organizing all transport, maritime and clerical jobs in Great Lakes sea-

way ports. The ILA, like the teamsters, was kicked out of the AFL-CIO on charges of corruption within PORTLAND (Special)-Two stuits ranks.

PORTLAND (Special) -- I wo stu-dents from La Grande have been accepted for admission to the University of Oregon Medical School and will begin their stud-Hoffa scoffed at the AFL-CIO

ies next September, according te Mrs. Caroline Pommarane, reg

required and in some classifica-tions have helped the rate to re-main the same or even be re-duced. and they can never stand against the teamsters and the ILA." ELGIN (Special)-Elgin's In-dian Valley Centennial Days cele- Dulles Still the current foreign ministers held up through the ordeal of

International Brotherhood of Longshoremen, saying it "only has about 6,000 members in this area

It was presumed that Robinson's action would permit enough time for an appeal to the higher federal court. The elder Starkweather said he

marvelled at how well his son had



