



## FARM BUREAU OFFICERS

New La Grande Farm Bureau officers elected recently are, back row, left to right, Ronne Sands, director; Ben Robinson, chairman, and Sylvan Rasmussen, director. Seated, left to right, Mrs. Guy Spence, women's chairman, and Mrs. Marvin Fager, secretary. Other officers not present when picture was taken are Harlow Speckhart, vice chairman, and Mrs. Harvey Bergeron, co-chairman for women.

(Observer Photo)

## Nehru Pledges 'No Battle' Against Reds

### India Will Not Give Up Border

NEW DELHI, India (UPI)—Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru said today India will not go to war over a Communist Chinese raid on the border state of Kashmir, but neither will she yield to "threat or intimidation."

The Kashmir area of Ladakh where 17 Indian policemen were ambushed and killed by Communist soldiers "is our territory and will remain our territory," Nehru said. "But even assuming it was a disputed area," he said, "this was not the way to settle the matter. Our country will not give up her path or territory under threat or intimidation."

He blamed the Peiping government for actions "which have poisoned our relations" and said the dispute was causing "grave anxiety."

Nehru, speaking at Meerut in Uttar Pradesh Province, begged the Indian people to control their emotions and not be swept away by fear or indignation over the latest border incident.

The Indian government today ordered fresh army reinforcements rushed to the northern frontiers in the wake of the Red raid into Ladakh in Kashmir. The raid put a heavy strain on already-tense relations between India and Communist China.

The Chinese were believed to be still occupying the site of the raid, Hot Springs, in the Chang Chueno Valley, but Indian troops were believed to be only a little south of there. Hot Springs is a mountain-top 18,000 miles above sea level.

The Chinese were believed to have moved up modern weapons and the personnel to man them at Hot Springs.

Indians were outraged and there was speculation that Nehru might be compelled to break off diplomatic relations with Communist China unless the Reds ended their aggressions and agreed to settle the border dispute peacefully.

The Indian government charged Friday that Chinese troops ambushed an Indian police patrol 40 miles inside India's "traditional" frontier in the disputed Ladakh Area Wednesday.

In addition to the 17 policemen killed, the government said three others were wounded and two captured by the Red Chinese raiders. Communist China immediately counter-charged that armed Indians encircled and attacked Red Chinese troops inside "China's territory." The Peiping foreign ministry said both sides suffered casualties in a fierce two-hour fight.

New Delhi and Peiping exchanged protests which contradicted one another on almost every detail of the latest incident in the long-smoldering border dispute.

The Indian government dismissed the Peiping protest, delivered to the Indian ambassador in the Red Chinese capital, as "not in accordance with the facts."

Peiping's protest accused the Indians of violating "chinese frontiers and provocation against Chinese frontier guards." It demanded New Delhi "Adopt measures at once to prevent the recurrence" of such incidents.

### Hour's Power Shortage Hits La Grande Area

Power trouble out of Bonneville and from cut-in substations caused more than one hour's loss of power to the La Grande area today. The failure lasted from about 11:50 a.m. until 12:58 p.m.

California-Pacific Utilities told The Observer that their information as to exactly what happened was sketchy. They said, however, that following the Bonneville failure further trouble developed from the McNary line.

"We switched over to Idaho Power at Baker and relay trouble developed there," they said. Partial power was restored to the East dams Avenue section of town. General power recovery followed shortly afterwards.

### COLLEGE FOOTBALL

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#### FRIDAY GAMES

Boston U. 8 Connecticut 7  
Auburn 21 Miami 6  
Oachita Baptist 20 Southwest of Memphis 10  
St. Thomas (Minn.) 12 Duluth Branch (Minn.) U. 12  
Morehouse 6 Tuskegee 0  
West Chester (Pa.) Tchrs 14  
Shippensburg Tchrs 0  
Eastern Ky. 21 Austin Peay 7  
Superior St. 9 Stout St. 0  
Air Force Academy 20 UCLA 7

#### SAURDAY GAMES

Princeton 20 Cornell 0  
Brown 6 Rhode Island 0  
Amherst 6 Wesleyan 0  
Lebanon Valley 6 Moravian 0  
Syracuse 44 West Virginia 0  
Delaware 30 Marshall 6  
Tufts 28 Williams 0  
Haverford 6 Hamilton 0  
Buffalo 22 Western Reserve 2  
Yale 21 Colgate 0  
Millersville State 20 Bloomburg 14  
Bowling Green 25 Kent State 8  
Worcester Tech 20 Coast Guard 13  
Rochester 27 Kingsport 9  
Scranton 19 Albright 6  
Junata 27 West. Maryland Col. 0  
Wooster 41 St. Lawrence 20  
Cornell College 33 Knox 0  
Northwestern 30 Notre Dame 24  
Duke 17 North Carolina State 15  
Oberlin 16 Kenyon 14  
Vanderbilt 33 Virginia 0  
Butler 27 Ball State 0  
Delaware State 38 Lincoln 13  
Davis and Elkins 6 Concorn 6

## Urges One Space Head

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Assistant Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield (Mont.) called today for a single civilian "czar" to direct all U. S. space and military missile projects.

Mansfield said such a powerful space-missile boss would eliminate "waste, duplication and overlapping" and permit the country to get "more value" for the money it spends on rockets and satellites.

He said in an interview that all missile and space activities should be centralized "under one roof" in an organization like the Manhattan Project, the World War II atom bomb program.

Mansfield's proposal came on the heels of a suggestion by Rep. Victor Anfuso (D-N.Y.) that the Senate and House space committees meet early next month to try to put all space research and development programs under a single boss "to avoid unnecessary duplication and to surpass the Russians."

In a related development, Sen. Stuart Symington (D-Mo.), a member of the Senate Armed Services and Space Committees, said in a Louisiana speech that "waste and duplication in our defense and space programs exceed 100 million dollars a week." He did not elaborate.

Mansfield said the shift of Werner von Braun's team of rocket experts from the Army to NASA was a "good first step" toward a single missile-space agency. He said the German-born von Braun's favorable reaction to the move "augurs well" for quick congressional approval of the shift.



## QUEEN'S CROWN TO BEAUTY

Lovely Gail Fisher, Haines, wears the crown that is symbolic of Homecoming Queen at Eastern Oregon College here. She was selected Friday afternoon. Her equally lovely attendants are Marcia MacPherson, Union, left, and Judy Wardell, La Grande. Coronation exercises were held at 6 p.m. Friday.

## Store Lodges Protest On Traffic Sign

Attorney S. H. Burleigh, representing Albertson's Market, told the city commission last night they were entirely beyond their jurisdiction to place "no left turn" signs on Adams Avenue between Third and Fourth streets.

Burleigh, who investigated the action at the request of his clients, termed the action "unconstitutional and discriminatory." The attorney pointed out that two-thirds of the city is east of Albertson's and that the signs prohibit making turns into the parking lot. "Albertson's management feels they are handicapped," he said.

The commission had authorized the placing of the signs after Police Chief Oliver Ives had recommended the signs to prevent traffic congestion. Commissioners authorizing the placing of the signs and they were installed by the state highway department, according to Ives.

### No Law

Burleigh said that he could not find any law, city or state, that gives the commission authority to prevent left turns at that point. "There is no law that says you can't make a legal left turn across a double yellow line," Burleigh added.

"We feel it is discriminatory to prohibit left turns on one block in a town of 12-15 business blocks and we ask to have the signs taken down," Burleigh continued. If it was necessary to protect the public safety we wouldn't protest, he concluded.

## Castro May Seize U.S. Naval Bases

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The fate of the big U. S. naval base at Guantanamo, Cuba, was in doubt today because of Cuban Prime Minister Fidel Castro's increasingly bitter criticism of the United States.

In his latest attack, Castro charged in an angry five-hour television speech that an airplane leaflet raid on Havana Wednesday originated in this country. He made a veiled threat regarding the Guantanamo base.

The FBI said Friday night that Maj. Pedro Luis Diaz Lanza, former chief of Castro's air force, had told federal agents the flight took off from U. S. soil under his command and dropped anti-Castro leaflets on the Cuban capital.

Diaz Lanza, who fled to Florida after the revolution and said Communists held high posts in Castro's regime, denied in Miami that he made such an admission to the FBI. He refused to make further comment.

The State Department, meanwhile, tried to calm the angry Castro by ordering a vast alert of law enforcement agencies along the Florida coast to prevent rebel flights to Cuba.

Castro has called for a million-man demonstration in Havana Monday to protest the aerial raid in which two persons were killed and 47 injured by Cuban troops

firing on the planes. The flight led to anti-American demonstrations in front of the U.S. Embassy.

Some U. S. officials believe the Monday rally may turn into another embassy demonstration. The officials also think Castro may refer again to the Guantanamo base.

## Dr. M. Addy Of EOC Has Panel Topic

Dr. Martha Addy, professor of education and psychology at Eastern Oregon College, will be featured on a panel during the fall conference of the Oregon Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development in Pendleton Monday.

Dr. Addy, who will also be a group leader in the morning discussion session, is scheduled to talk on "Objective: More Understanding."

Theme for the regional conference is "Concept of Self." Dr. Robert E. Bills, chairman of the department of psychology, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, is the conference consultant, and will address the meetings on "Developing an Attitude of Open-Mindedness," and "Human Needs in Relation to the Perceptual Self."

## Soviets Would Have U.S. Aid In Bering Strait Dam

MOSCOW (UPI)—A prominent Soviet scientist today proposed Russia and the U.S. collaborate on building a dam across the Bering Strait which he said would radically alter the climate of Alaska, Canada and Siberia.

Stalin prizewinner Peter M. Borisov, writing in the Literary Gazette, proposed linking Asia and North America by a gigantic concrete dam across the 50 miles separating Alaska from Siberia.

The dam would block the icy waters of the Arctic current from flowing south and allow warm gulf stream waters north into the sub-Arctic area, he said.

### Would Change Climate

Such a dam, he said, would reclaim hundreds of millions of square miles of territory on two continents from permanent frost and would also improve the climate of Europe and northern Asia.

Soviet engineers have proposed

similar projects before, but never so far as is known—had they urged Soviet-U.S. collaboration.

Now modern technology has made the project feasible, Borisov said.

The Literary Gazette appealed to scientists and engineers throughout the world to contribute comments and suggestions for the realization of such a project.

### Responsibility Of Russ-U.S.

Borisov said the dam should be the major responsibility of the Soviet Union and the United States, but since other countries like Japan, China, Germany, Poland and the Scandinavian nations will benefit, they should eventually be drawn into participation.

According to Borisov, 47 per cent of the Soviet Union is in the area of eternal frost, and 70 per cent of Alaska is similarly frost-bound.

## 386 Residents Of Elgin Given Chest X-Rays

ELGIN (Special)—Mrs. Rose Marie Stroeber reports that 386 Elgin residents had chest X-rays Tuesday when the mobile unit was in Elgin.

Helping Mrs. Stroeber were Mrs. Gladys Flinn, Mrs. Loretta Palmer, Mrs. Ethel Kennedy, Mrs. Irma Trump, Mrs. Mae Rasmussen, Mrs. Juanita Clum, Mrs. Betty Nelson and Mrs. Ina Townsend. Clarence Calder of the California-Pacific Utilities Company made the hook ups at the Western Stud mill and down town.

### NATIVES, POLICE CLASH

LEOPOLDVILLE, Belgian Congo (UPI)—An African was killed and three others wounded in a clash with gendarmes at Kigali in the Ruanda Trusteeship Territory, according to reports here today.

## Two Trial Cases Will Be Aired Before Circuit Court Jury Soon

Two jury cases will be argued before Judge W. F. Brown in Union County Circuit Court next week, one Tuesday and the other Thursday.

The State Industrial Accident Commission is being sued by Dewey M. and Shirley J. Kleng, husband and wife, this action to be heard Tuesday.

Louis J. and Elizabeth M. Dierks, husband and wife, are plaintiffs in the action against Velma K. Baker, this case to begin sometime Thursday.

### Water Source Gone

Kleng charges that a construction firm — the Durbin Bros. Construction Co. — employed by the State Highway Commission on a road job adjacent to their Upper Perry property damaged their

spring water source to the extent that they are unable to get enough water for domestic purposes.

The Klengs stated that the construction firm altered and reduced their spring water with repeated blasting and excavation. They are asking \$5,000 damages. Counsel for the plaintiffs is Helm and Neely.

The Dierks-Baker case stems from the plaintiffs (Dierks) having served an eviction notice on the defendant. The defendant, in turn, has filed a cross complaint based on a breach of contract.

The Dierks claim that the defendant has failed to pay rental money on their property since July 16 of this year and also refuses to vacate the dwelling.

The defendant, represented by attorney Richard Neely, claims that she tendered monthly rental payment of \$60 on July 15 to the Dierks but they refused the money and told her to vacate the premises. She also claims that she entered into an oral agreement of a year's lease on the property for \$720 to be paid at the \$60 monthly rental rate. She further claims that she mailed a certified check to the plaintiffs early in August and that the check was received by them.

The defendant is asking \$1,400 special damages and \$500 exemplary damages in her cross complaint.

Representing the Dierks are Ross E. Hearing and Cochran and Eberhard, attorneys.

## Ike Hopes Today's Talks Will Settle Steel Strike

AUGUSTA, Ga. (UPI)—President Eisenhower expressed hope today that resumption of industry-union peace talks in Pittsburgh this afternoon would lead to settlement of the steel strike.

The White House also disclosed that when and if an injunction in the steel strike is granted under the Taft-Hartley law, Eisenhower intends to reconvene the

special fact-finding board headed by Dr. George W. Taylor.

Press Secretary James C. Hagerty labeled as incorrect a story that Taylor had requested White House permission to re-enter the efforts to mediate the steel strike.

Hagerty said in the President's behalf: "He sincerely hopes that when both sides renew their negotiations this afternoon in Pittsburgh, that they realize fully the obligation that they owe the United States, and that they remain in consultation and negotiation until they settle it."

The White House also said the President plans to return to Washington tomorrow, taking off from Augusta at about 3:30 p.m. e.s.t.

The persistent rain that has marred the President's vacation continued on and off this morning but did not deter him from playing golf. After working briefly at his office at the Augusta National Golf Club, Eisenhower began playing shortly before 11 a.m. e.s.t. It was not raining at the time.

Hagerty, in his morning meeting with reporters at White House press headquarters in downtown Augusta, said the President was keeping in touch with the steel situation through his special counsel, David Kendall.

Explaining the situation as it applies to the board of inquiry created originally by Eisenhower under the Taft-Hartley Labor Management Act, Hagerty said the same law provided that the chief executive should reconvene the board once a restraining order against a strike is granted in the courts.

The U.S. court of Appeals in Philadelphia has stayed the enforcement of an injunction against

the strike which was granted in a lower federal court.

Hagerty said the story about Taylor wanting to re-enter the case at this point was not correct, but that the President did expect to follow the law and reconvene the board of inquiry if an injunction is granted.

Eisenhower neared the end of his five-day golfing holiday in Georgia still dogged by bad weather, but playing when he could. His putting was improving Georgia's golfing immortal, Bobby Jones.

## Al Capone TV Picture Basis For Lawsuit

CHICAGO (UPI)—Descendants of Chicago mob king Al Capone laid plans today to sue producers of a recent movie and television show based on Capone's life.

The first move came Friday when Capone's estate was reopened and letters of administration were issued in probate court naming the late gangster's sister, Mrs. Mafalida Maritote, Chicago, as administrator.

Attorney Harold R. Gordon said the Capone family plans to sue Allied Artists, producers of the movie, "Al Capone," and Desilu Productions, producers of the television drama, "The Untouchables."

Neither company received permission to use Capone's name and likeness from either Mrs. Maritote, Capone's widow, Mae, or his son, Albert, Gordon said.

### POSSIBLE PERJURY CHARGE

## Quiz Whiz Van Doren Under Close Investigation From DA

NEW YORK (UPI)—District Attorney Frank Hogan today studied the possibility of seeking a perjury charge against Charles Van Doren in connection with the TV quiz whiz's testimony to a Grand Jury.

Hogan said he would take no action against Van Doren in any event until the \$129,000 "Twenty One" winner who became a \$30,000-a-year network consultant has testified before the House Special Subcommittee on Legislative Oversight next month.

Another big money show, NBC's "Tic Tac Dough," was cancelled Friday when network officials "clearly established" that it was rigged as much as 75 per cent of the time before Barry took over production from the NBC and Enright firm a year ago.

daytime show will be replaced by "Truth or Consequences" beginning Monday.

The District Attorney interviewed Van Doren Friday and said the suspended NBC consultant had made "substantial changes" in an earlier statement to Hogan in which he denied that he was fed questions and answers on the now defunct quiz show "Twenty One."

Hogan noted that Van Doren gave sworn testimony last spring to two grand juries and emphasized that "corrections" in Van Doren's story "had to do with his appearance before the Grand Jury."

At no time did Hogan say Van Doren had lied but he admitted that a perjury presentation to the four grand juries now sitting is "a question we will have to decide."

"It requires some reflection and whether it would serve any useful purpose," he said.

Hogan said Van Doren had undergone a "harrowing ordeal," which he further defined as "a mental struggle."

"There might be any number of persons who might wish to correct statements made to this office which may cause me to reflect on their Grand Jury testimony," he said, adding that a number of other quiz show contestants had called his office indicating a desire to change previous statements.

Van Doren, who still has his job as a \$4,400-a-year instructor at Columbia University, told newsmen Friday that he did not tell Hogan he gave false answers. He said he would tell his "whole story" when he appears before the Congressional subcommittee.

## LONG EARS? GOOD SIGN

TOKYO (UPI)—Got unusually long ears? Don't let it trouble you.

A municipal official in Isezaki City, northern Japan says it's a sure sign you'll live to a ripe old age.

The official, Fusakichi Igarashi, said he surveyed all 19 persons in his city who are at least 90 years old and found that all of them have ears that are two centimeters (four-fifths of an inch) longer than the average person's.

"I am not a doctor so I cannot explain scientifically the relationship between long ears and longevity," he said. "But from the survey I conducted it appears to be a fact."