

Spanish Not Surprised at Potsdam Slap

MADRID, Aug. 2.—(AP)—The few Spanish officials reachable tonight said they were not surprised at the Potsdam conference slap at the Franco regime but they declined public discussion.

"If there is anything to say," Foreign Minister Martin Ariza said, "I will issue a communique," they said.

Ariza was not available at midnight when the report of the Potsdam pact reached here. He is scheduled to leave Monday for the "summer foreign office" at San Sebastian where foreign diplomats accredited to Spain already have gathered.

Observers here believe the Franco regime is concerned mainly over the possibility that the Potsdam statement may be followed by withdrawal of British and United States ambassadors and the severance of commercial relations, including army purchases in Spain.

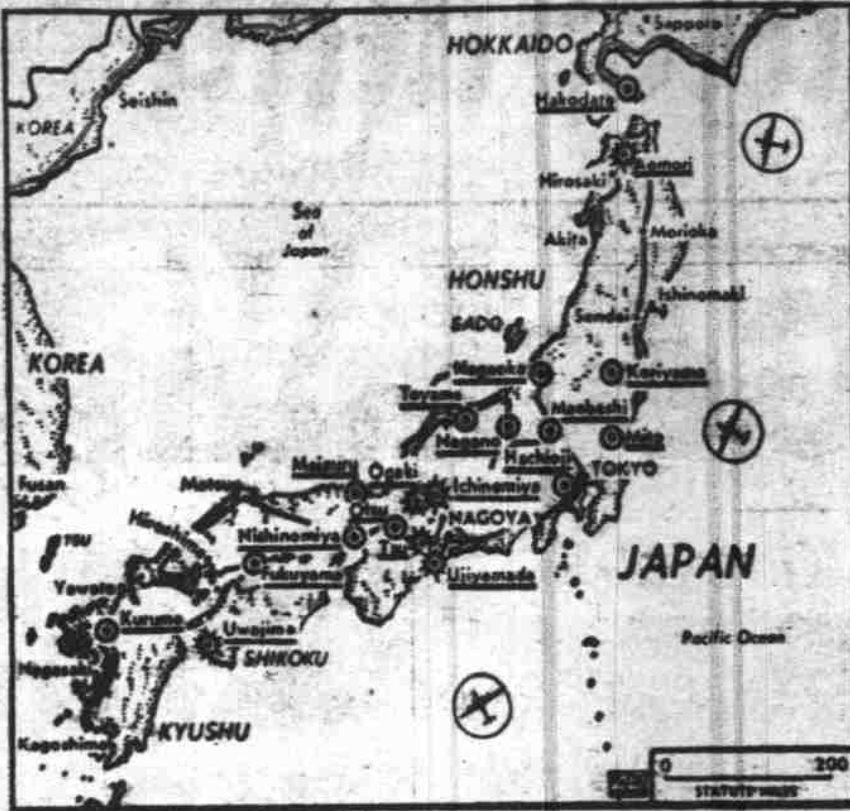
Franco was at his summer home, Pazo de Merias, Galicia, in extreme northwest Spain. Minor officials doubted that he would make any statement for several weeks.

Mining Engineer Dies

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 2.—(AP)—Frank Whaley Watson, former chairman of the Oregon section of the American Institute of Mining Engineers and widely known in the northwest, died today after a long illness.

A former president of Portland Vegetable Oil Mills, he recently was employed by the maritime commission at Oregon shipyard. His widow, Blanche, survives.

More Japanese Targets Told in Advance



Bullseye symbols locate cities that have been listed as future B-29 targets, including eight new ones added to a list previously announced by the 20th air force. Bomb burst symbols locate six cities on the original list of advance targets that have already been hit by the Superforts. (AP Wirephoto map)

On Salem's Playgrounds

By Donna Carr

Pet Day, the third annual event of Salem neighborhood playgrounds, was held Thursday, August 3, with over 300 youngsters present, more than half of that number having entries.

Prize winners of this event will participate in a city pet show to take place on Olinger field this afternoon. All interested children and parents are invited to attend this show which will start at 2:30 p. m.

Categories for judging and the winners in each group are as follows:

Englewood
Prettiest, Eddie French, Shirley Brewster, Neal Allen; largest, David Johnson, Darlene Fitzroy, Bobbie Cross; smallest, Bobbie Metzger, Dorothy Pepper, Jeanette Rooke; most unusual, John Lang, Mary Arnold, Charles Quarry; best trained, Neal Allen, David Johnson, Patsy Hembitt; ugliest, Judy Quarry, Sharon Boring, Sybil Westhouse; largest group, Eddie French, Dorothy Pepper, Bobbie Metzger.

McKinley
Prettiest, Dorothy and Judy Stewart, Deanna Schendles, Benny Ogen; largest, Dean Graham, David McIntyre, Bobby Geer; smallest, Carol Wiggins, David McCormack, Gwendolyn Russell; most unusual, Juddie Smith, Ann Poole, June Marie Wiggins; best trained, Mariene Halverson, Tommy Dunham, Jerry Wright; ugliest, Dean McCarger, Gary Crum; largest group, Mary Jane and Judy McLeod, Sandra Jean Smith, Tommy Barnett.

Richmond
Prettiest, Gary Lewis, Carol Thorne, Sylvia Watson; largest, Marian Thorne, Janet Thorne, Joan King; smallest, Jerry Rust, Judy Rust; most unusual, Roberta Martin, Katherine Hinkle, Dickie Simpson; ugliest, Jimmie Newton; largest group, Gary Lewis.

Washington
Prettiest, Charles Pease, Janice Pease, Jo Ann Zielinski; largest, Janet Davis, Sammy Duncan, Johnny Bartlett; smallest, Larry Osterman, Janet Donn, Darrel Rundhaug; most unusual, Kendrick Sims, Jimmy Epley, Evelyn Epley; best trained, Marjorie Simla, Kendrick Simla, Janet Davis; ugliest, James Johnson, Johnny Jacques, Jerry Jacques; largest group, Larry Osterman, Phillip Battey, Gale Klein.

Highland
Prettiest, Douglas Gregg, Darwin Whitney, Robert Young; largest, Donnie Pence, Claudette Coleman, Arlene De Hut; smallest, Billy Fleener, Mike Patton, Betty Zander; most unusual, Sigrid Converse, Billy Fleener, Bobby Metzger; best trained, Donnie Pence.

Vets' Affairs Discussed by Director

There are more than 135,000 Oregonians who at the close of the current war will rate as veterans, eligible for the various benefits offered by state and federal government. The first World War produced only 44,000 veterans in Oregon. Of the 135,000, some 13,000 have already returned and have begun the process of returning to normal civilian life.

Hugh E. Rosson, director of the state's office of veterans' affairs, told the Hollywood Lions club Wednesday noon. Paramount desire of returning veterans, he declared, is adequate care for all the disabled. They have fought for and want to live and work in a free America—they want no more war, no more secret treaties, Rosson maintained.

Rosson described efforts being made for establishment of various new veterans' hospitals, increase of medical personnel, development of more offices in smaller cities of the country and the preparation of physicians everywhere for best care of veteran cases. Educational and vocational training programs are already well started in schools, trade training centers and colleges, Rosson said. Loan provisions to aid veterans in securing homes, farms and businesses are not yet entirely practical, but will be adjusted as experience may indicate, he declared.

Wheat Harvest Is Underway

PORTLAND, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Harvest of winter grain made good headway in Oregon last week, the weekly crop-weather survey said today, but heat and drought cut the yield somewhat.

Some early spring grain was harvested. Irrigated corn was developing on schedule and some unirrigated fields looked promising.

No rainfall was reported for the week. Weather was warm, with the mercury in the nineties until the end of the week and a few spots reaching 100 degrees or more. At the close, temperatures fell to the thirties in eastern parts of the state, where some readings near freezing were recorded.

Buyer demand for apricots is hampered by the sugar shortage, but this fruit has been moving to market along with early peaches and apples.

Baksi Defeated
CAMDEN, N.J., Aug. 2.—(AP)—Joltin' Joe Baksi, second ranked wartime heavyweight, was beaten in a sizzling flint upset tonight by unknown Jersey Joe Walcott of Merchantville, N.J.

Suds 4, Seals 3
Seattle — 000 020 01 01—4 14 4
San Francisco — 020 020 02 11 2
Demoran, S. Johnson (9) and Suenne, Finley (9); Orzala, Sherman (11) and Spelz, Ogroski (11).

Thumbnail of War!

By the Associated Press

Japan—250 far east air force planes raid Nagasaki shipyards on northwest Kyushu home island.

Solomons—Australian light naval vessels shell Buka island north of Bougainville.

China—Japanese retreat from southern Kiangsi province in attempt to join with relief troops now 25 miles away.

Burma—British and empire troops repel Japanese attempts to cross Sittang river and escape into Thailand.

Man Excavated From Cave Near Bend
BEND, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Quick work by a companion saved the life of Leslie Friday while the men were digging agates on Trout creek Tuesday, they reported upon return from their expedition today.

A cave of dirt and rock completely buried Friday, but Roy Newell uncovered his face to prevent suffocation, then completed the excavation.

Col. Brooks to Command Klamath Falls Post

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Marine Col. Charles T. Brooks, 52, San Francisco, former member of the staff of Adm. William F. Halsey, takes command Saturday of Marine Barracks, Klamath Falls, Ore.

Colonel Brooks succeeds Col. Merlin F. Schneider, Clatskanie, Ore., who will report for duty at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Cal.

Sacs 1, Angels 4
Los Angeles — 012 100 000—4 13 0
Sacramento — 000 010 000—1 11 2
Osborn and Kreitner; Wood and Schuster.

Strike Totals Climb Above 45,000 Again

The nation's idle labor total crept past 45,000 again yesterday, the highest mark in a week, with about two-fifths of those off their jobs belonging to strategic metal working industries.

Nearly 1375 open hearth workers removed a walkout began a week ago at the Republic Steel corporation, Cleveland, Ohio, to enforce a "hiltcrew" demand.

All departments of the Youngstown, Ohio, Sheet and Tube company were closed except the coke ovens in a walkout of 32 maintenance employees which idled 1300 persons in a dispute over a change in a line shift.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—(AP)—C. J. Potter, deputy solid fuels administrator, said tonight that "Mine strikes have cost us over 12,000,000 tons of coal since April 1."

"That is twice the amount of American coal necessary to give Europe a fighting chance for permanent peace," he added, "and, now, continuing wildcat strikes are costing a million tons per month."

Potter spoke in a program of the American Broadcasting system. He has recommended the armed forces discharge 30,000 miners at once.

Industrial users will have to bear the brunt of the shortage, Potter declared. Home owners won't be cut, he said.

Montana Cherries Invade Salem Stores
Oregon's capital must guard its "cherry city" of the world title, King Bing Sidney McNeil of the Salem Cherries declared Thursday. In his business capacity with the Salem branch of the Pacific Fruit and Produce company, McNeil said he had noted large quantities of fine quality Bing cherries arriving in the Salem area recently from Kallispell, Mont.

Kritch New Manager
NEWARK, Ohio, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Joe Kritch, 29-year-old scout for the St. Louis Browns, today was named manager of Newark's Ohio state league baseball club by President Harry Arnold. He succeeds Mickey O'Neill.

Oaks 1-8, Padres 3-6
Oakland — 100 000 0—1 2 0
San Diego — 003 000 0—3 2 1
Chelini, Chetkovich (6) and W. Raymond; Dangler and Ballinger.
Oakland — 001 202 003—8 14 2
San Diego — 003 002 001—6 9 1
Loiz, Chetkovich (5) and Raymond; Brillhart and Ballinger.

Tourists Tell Of Distress In War's Wake

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Aug. 2.—(AP)—First passengers off the exchange liner Gripsholm, which docked today with 1496 repatriates and students from China, India and the Mediterranean countries, brought stories of distress in the wake of the European war.

"In Greece there is very little food, practically no clothing and many people are still living in cellars," said Ulysses Paros, 17, New York, who arrived with his brother, Clarence, 15.

Only a few passengers were released from the Gripsholm, a motor ship flying the blue and gold colors of neutral Sweden, in the first hours after she docked. More than 915 missionaries and 244 Chinese and Indian students, here to enter schools and colleges, were aboard.

Dairy Co-op To Be Given Building Permit
Change of zone to permit erection of garages for the Dairy Co-operative association's fleet of trucks on property abutting the co-op's new plant on Fairgrounds road will be recommended to the city council by the planning and zoning commission. The property now lies in a strictly residential district.

The commission's decision followed a public hearing Thursday night at which no opponents to the change appeared. A petition protesting such a change, carrying 15 signatures of property owners in the neighborhood, had been filed, but before last night's session, five of the signers had asked that their names be withdrawn.

Planners and zoners also decided Thursday night to recommend a change of zones to permit W. W. Hawkins to operate a business at 1197 Chemeketa st.

Turkey Feed Shortage Felt
PORTLAND, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Expansion of Oregon's turkey industry has forced some feed mills to refuse supply contracts with producers. Leon S. Jackson, secretary of the Oregon Feed & Seed Dealers association, said today.

He blamed most of the trouble on growers who failed to arrange for feed before ordering young birds. Jackson warned that some producers may have to finish their turkeys on wheat or liquidate them as fryers.

One feed agent estimated this year's crop at 20 per cent above last year's 2,084,000 birds.

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Food Processors Plan Labor Camp

MILTON-FREEWATER, Ore., Aug. 2.—(AP)—Farmers and food processors in this area have set up a permanent community camp for transient harvest laborers.

The farm labor committee plans to expand the camp to 100 frame houses and facilities for 50 trailers, accommodating 500 visiting workers. The camp now has an administration building, 25 tent houses and trailer facilities.

Fishermen Protest Cut

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 2.—(AP)—The recent cutback in the price of troll-caught salmon drew protests today from fishermen here, following complaints from Ilwaco and Grays Harbor.

Both Grays Harbor, which asked to be put on a parity with Astoria and Seattle, and Astoria now have a price of 1 1/4 cents a pound below Seattle.

Stewart-Lytell Mix

BALTIMORE, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Deacon Ellis Stewart of Baltimore and Bert Lytell of Fresno, Calif., both front ranking middleweights, will box the 10-round main bout on the Century club's card next Monday night at Baltimore's coliseum.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE: 1941 Ford pickup, 1 ton, dual wheel, with stock rack, 2556 Cherry, Ph. 6442.

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