

Truman Names 6 Men to Top Defense Posts

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29—(AP)—President Truman virtually completed today his assignments in the nation's new unified defense establishment today with appointment of Maj. Gen. William H. Draper, jr., as undersecretary of war and selection of five other officials to be formally appointed later.

Draper will become undersecretary of the army next month when reorganization of the armed forces takes actual effect.

At the same time Mr. Truman will make these other appointments:

1. Arthur M. Hill of Charleston, W. Va., now chairman of the board of the Atlantic Greyhound corporation, as chairman of the national security resources board.

2. Sidney W. Souers, retired rear admiral and former director of the central intelligence agency, as executive secretary of the national security council.

3. Rear Adm. H. Hillemeier, director of the central intelligence agency under the present defense set-up, to take the same post under the service unification.

4. Thomas J. Hargrave, president of the Eastman Kodak company, as chairman of the munitions board.

5. Maj. Gen. Alfred M. Gruentzer as director of the joint staff of the joint chiefs of staff.

POLITICIAN DIES
BEVERLY HILLS, Aug. 29—(AP)—Frederick Lundin, 79, former republican leader in Illinois during the "Big Bill" Thompson era, died today of a heart ailment. Lundin came to California in 1939. After his retirement from a long career in Illinois GOP circles.

Diesel locomotives cut railroad fuel costs one-third to 75 per cent, according to type of operation.

Parks Advisory Board Selected; Meyers to Head

Appointment of an advisory committee on administration policy and development of public parks in Salem was announced Friday by City Manager J. L. Franzen.

On the committee are Milton L. Meyers, chairman, Elizabeth Lord and H. L. Staver. Meyers and Miss Lord had served previously on the city park board that was eliminated when the city manager government became effective last January 1.

Franzen said the committee would meet within a few days to formulate overall park plans and later would work out details of park development. The committee, Franzen stated, will go to work immediately on plans to eliminate the fire hazard in Bush's pasture because brush fires have been frequent in the area.

City crews, aided by bulldozers, have been at work on the pasture for several days removing brush.

Egypt Dispute Plan Rejected

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 29—(AP)—The security council failed again today to settle the Anglo-Egyptian dispute over British forces in the Nile valley and adjourned until Sept. 9 with the case still on its calendar.

A Colombian plan for settling the case was rejected through failure to get the necessary affirmative majority of seven votes.

For the first time in council history all voting delegates abstained on one section relating to "mutual assistance" which had been vigorously assailed by Soviet Russia and other speakers during a three-hour wrangle.

NEVADA SOLON ILL.
RENO, Nev., Aug. 30—(P)—Pat McCarran, silver-haired, 71-year-old Democratic senator of Nevada, was in a serious condition today as a result of an internal hemorrhage. His physician said the veteran legislator had been given two blood transfusions within the past two days.

WAA in West Nears Finish

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 29—(AP)—The war assets administration will be "sold out of business" in the west by the end of next March, Robert B. Bradford of San Francisco, zone administrator, said here today.

In an interview he said remaining surplus personal property in eight western states, worth about \$400,000,000, would be sold by December 1, and that \$1,000,000,000 in surplus real property "will take a few months longer."

In the rest of the country, Bradford said, WAA won't be sold out until "after the middle of 1948—and that's an optimistic prediction."

Grade School Pupils to Meet Teachers Sept. 12; Needs Told

Elementary grade pupils in new first graders of Salem district schools will report to their teachers on Sept. 12, to meet their new open the new year the following Monday from Superintendent Frank Bennett, who also called the year-opening faculty meetings for September 11 and said teachers will go to work the next day.

Bennett also released a list of school supplies which elementary pupils will need for the coming school year. By grades, the following were listed: First grade: Pencil tablet, pencil, crayolas or crayonex and the following Think and Do workbooks: "We Look and See"; "Fun with Dick and Jane" and "Our New Friends."

Second grade: Pencil tablet, pencil, crayolas or crayonex, Think and Do Workbook; "Friends and Neighbors" and "More Friends and Neighbors."

Third grade: Pencil tablet, pencil, crayolas or crayonex, Think and Do Workbook; "Streets and Roads" and "More Streets and Roads."

Fourth grade: Pen, Pencil tablet, pencil and crayolas or crayonex. Fifth grade: Pen, pencil tablet, pencil and crayolas or crayonex. Sixth grade: Pen, loose leaf notebook, and filler, pencil tablet, pencil and crayolas or crayonex.

Russia Ratifies 5 Peace Pacts

LONDON, Aug. 29—(AP)—Russia ratified the long-delayed peace treaties with Italy, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Finland to night, bringing in sight the formal end of hostilities with five wartime allies of Nazi Germany.

Ratification by the Soviet union completed action by the four major powers on the treaties drafted last year in Paris. The victors in World War II still have to decide upon peace terms for Germany, Austria and Japan.

Formal ending of hostilities against Italy, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Finland will come when the instruments of ratification are deposited in Paris and Moscow. Withdrawal of some occupation troops is scheduled to follow.

FIRE HITS ROYAL HOME

LONDON, Saturday, Aug. 30 (AP)—A wing of Sunninghill park, the Windsor forest mansion given to Princess Elizabeth to serve as her home after her marriage to Lt. Philip Mountbatten, was seriously damaged by fire early today, the British Press association reported.

BRIDGE COLLAPSE KILLS 15

ZARAGOZA, Spain, Aug. 29—(AP)—Fifteen persons were reported killed and 21 injured tonight when a rain-weakened bridge collapsed under a passenger train near the town of Villaroya.

A. F. Parson Moves To Pendleton Job

Arvid F. Parson, 2350 Cherry st., bridge engineer with the state highway commission here since 1935, has been transferred to Pendleton as highway department district maintenance superintendent.

Parson will succeed Chester H. Armstrong, who was ordered transferred to Salem Friday as assistant state maintenance engineer. Armstrong served as superintendent in the Pendleton district for 12 years.

4-Power Talks On Korea Set

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29—(AP)—The United States today called a conference of the big four Pacific powers aimed at breaking a stubborn deadlock with Russia over Korea's independence.

In a toughly-worded note to Moscow, Undersecretary of State Robert A. Lovett invited Russia to take part in the conference with the United States, Britain and China, to be held in Washington Sept. 8. The object would be to hasten freedom for Korea, now split into two occupation zones administered by the United States and Russia.

Lovett proposed in his note that the four power conference consider a radical new procedure of granting freedom to be carried out under United Nations supervision.

Soviet Flays Atom Monopoly

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 29—(AP)—The Soviet union charged once more today that the United States is seeking a world-wide monopoly on atomic energy.

In a long-awaited declaration, Andrei A. Gromyko, Russian deputy foreign minister, also rejected a series of six papers approved by a majority of the United Nations atomic energy commission. These documents, which Russia refused to help draft and one which she had not committed herself definitely until now, deal with constituting and running an international atomic control agency.

Gromyko told the political committee of the commission that these papers seek to protect the interests of one country by securing a monopoly for that country in atomic energy.

Marines Trade Shots in China

TSINGTAO, China, Aug. 29—(AP)—U. S. marines, vainly seeking a downed marine pilot, exchanged shots with "hostile guerrilla groups" 50 miles northwest of Tsingtao last night, U. S. navy headquarters announced today.

The announcement said the search party landed at Cheng-shantao, otherwise known as Goose Point, where an unidentified airman had made an emergency landing in bad weather Wednesday afternoon.

The "guerrillas," which the navy identified as presumably Chinese communists, opened fire, which the marines returned. They suffered no casualties and were unable to ascertain if there were any on the other side.

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Wholesale, large	82
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EGGS Buying Price	
Extra large	63
Medium and standard	60
Pullets	59
Cracks	58
EGGS Selling Price	
Wholesale, large	64
Retail, large	75
Retail, medium	70
POULTRY	
Colored hens, No. 1	27
No. 2	26
Fryers	28
LIVESTOCK (By Valley Pack)	
Choice spring lambs	up to 13.00
Ewes	2.00 to 5.00
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