

Truman Confident of Victory At Demo Convention, Election

By D. Harold Oliver

WASHINGTON, July 1—(AP)—President Truman said today it is foolish to think he might withdraw his candidacy for the democratic presidential nomination.

He told a news conference he is in the race to stay, that he expects to be nominated on the first ballot, and that he will win in November.

Second place on the ticket to be selected at Philadelphia will be up to the convention starting July 12, he said.

Asked whether General Dwight D. Eisenhower would be welcomed as a running mate, the president replied that was up to General Eisenhower. The former army chief of staff is being boomed by some southern and northern demomats, despite his January letter saying he could not accept a presidential nomination "even under the remote circumstances that it were rendered me."

Another reporter wanted to know whether Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt would be acceptable as a vice-presidential nominee, after calling attention to the fact that Mrs. Clare Boothe Luce, former republican house member from Connecticut, had suggested her name.

"Of course, of course," the president replied, smiling. "What do you expect me to say to that?"

No Aspirations
At Hyde Park, N. Y., Mrs. Roosevelt's secretary said the president's widow had authorized this statement: "Mrs. Roosevelt says she has no intention of running for public office at any time whatsoever."

Told about the exchange later, Chairman J. Howard McGrath of the democratic national committee, told a reporter:

"I expect the president to be nominated on the first ballot. Any speculation about the possibility of his withdrawing is wishful thinking."

Many buildings in modern Spain are decorated with ceramic tiles which, after 400 years, still bear Arabic quotations inscribed by Saracen invaders of southern Europe.

Dr. W. J. Stone Back as County Health Officer

Dr. Willard J. Stone has resumed his duties as Marion county health officer after studying at the University of California for the past nine months to gain a master's degree in public health.

Dr. Frank Sisler, who served as county health officer in Dr. Stone's absence, announced Thursday that his future plans were indefinite. He said he would be here a few days longer, then would vacation a few weeks in Indiana.

He said he liked Oregon and especially Salem and hoped to remain here. He first visited here early last July and then returned to take Dr. Stone's place on November 1.

Tiniest, Oldest Republic
ROME, July 1—(AP)—San Marino, the world's smallest and oldest republic, has applied for Marshall plan aid, admission to the United Nations and war reparations.

The tiny country in the Apennines—population 13,380—claims 732,000,000 lire (about \$1,220,000) in war damages caused by Allied planes in 1944.

During the middle ages only sovereigns and princes were permitted to wear red.

Prelude to Death



NORFOLK, Va., July 1—Two policemen grapple with man in the union bus terminal in Norfolk, Va., shortly before one of them shot him to death. Patrolman J. P. Bordeaux (left) strikes at the head of the man tentatively identified as R. E. Howell of Roper, N. C., while Patrolman M. D. Edwards grapples him from behind. Three blows to the head failed to stop Howell, who jerked loose. Edwards then shot him fatally. Edwards quoted the man as saying "You'll have to kill me first" when told to put down a knife. This on-the-spot picture taken by Linwood Maddrey, Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch staff photographer, who was in terminal on another assignment. (AP Wirephoto to The Statesman).

Heat Features June Weather

Salem had only eight days termed as clear during the month of June, but the sun turned on the heat in five of those to run temperatures above the 90-degree mark.

The month's nine partly cloudy days and 13 cloudy days managed to produce only .38 inches of rainfall, or .83 below the normal for June. June's hot spot was the 28th when the temperature climbed to 95. Lowest temperatures were recorded on the 23rd and 24th with 44 degrees. Average for the month was a comfortable 65.

Henry Wallace Uses Video

NEW YORK, July 1—(AP)—Henry Wallace went on television tonight with a collection of model war weapons as his "props."

The third party candidate had his turn on the CBS "Presidential Timmer" television show. East coast viewers saw him at a desk, surrounded by the model weapons.

Wallace pointed to them one by one, listed their cost, then said: "The bi-party policy costs more than \$200,000,000 a year. For guns and ships and planes the reactionary republicans and democrats pour out money by the billions."

"But for housing, for federal education, for real old age pensions, practically nothing. Billions for death—so little for life."

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Synopsis of Annual Statement for the year ended December 31, 1947 of the Zurich Fire Insurance Company of New York, in the State of New York, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law: INCOME
Net premiums received, \$1,332,574.93.
Total interest, dividends and real estate income, \$63,461.53.
Income from other sources, \$101.31.
Total income, \$1,396,137.77.
DISBURSEMENTS
Net amount paid for losses, \$470,119.83.
Loss adjustment expenses, \$23,429.14.
Underwriting expenses, \$397,899.21.
Dividends paid to stockholders, none.
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders, none.
All other expenditures (including investment expenses, \$4,016.25) - \$11,297.28.
Total disbursements, \$1,071,544.53.
ADMITTED ASSETS
Value of real estate owned (market value), none.
Loans on mortgages and collateral, none.
Value of bonds owned (amortized), \$2,218,597.27.
Value of stocks owned (market value), \$261,040.00.
Total in banks and on hand, \$491,280.14.
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1947, \$164,971.50.
Unpaid and rents due and accrued, \$10,077.88.
Other assets due (from) affiliated companies, \$3,408.57.
Total admitted assets, \$3,143,438.18.
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND FUNDS
Total unpaid claims, \$244,525.00.
Estimated loss adjustment expenses for unpaid claims, \$3,600.00.
Total unearned premiums, \$360,717.46.
All other liabilities, \$44,508.33.
Total liabilities, except capital, \$744,348.85.
Capital paid up, \$1,000,000.00.
Special surplus funds: none.
Unassigned funds (surplus) \$1,168,500.00.
Surplus as regards policyholders, none.
BUSINESS IN OREGON
FOR THE YEAR
Net premiums received, \$15,653.97.
Net losses paid, \$2,000.00.
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders, none.

HOLLYWOOD
Opens 6:45 P.M.
★
Groucho Marx • MIRANDA
Andy Russell • COCHRAN
★ Gloria JEAN
★
COPACABANA
2nd Feature
"BLONDIE IN THE DOUGH"
with
Fanny Singleton • Arthur Lake

Reds Formally Quit Berlin Kommandatura

By George Bria

BERLIN, July 1—(AP)—The Russians formally withdrew from four-power rule of Berlin today, adding political boycott to their 11-day food blockade of the city's western sector.

"The kommandatura no longer exists," the Russian representative announced to his French, British and American counterparts at today's meeting of the allied body. It had governed Berlin for three years.

The first reaction from an American official was to suggest that the three western allies run their sectors on a three-power basis, leaving the Russians to take care of theirs. This, in effect, is what has been happening for many months.

The American deputy commander of Berlin issued an official statement which said "so far as we are concerned, there still is quadripartite government of the city and we are ready to maintain it."

Statement Needed
"Before the Russian action can become official the statement of a very low level officer (the soviet chief of staff, a colonel) will have to be confirmed by Marshal Vasiliy D. Sokolovsky, soviet military governor, to General Clay," the American military governor said.

The Russians gave their reasons for the withdrawal the actions of Col. Frank Howley, the American commander of Berlin, the currency reform of the western allies. They got angry when Howley failed to leave a kommandatura session June 16 after 13 hours of meeting.

Group 'Not Finished'
But Howley said today "the kommandatura is not finished. The Russians just left it. There is no legal reason why it cannot continue on a three-power basis."

In London, informed Whitehall sources said Britain, the United States and France had drafted a joint note to Russia demanding an end to her blockade of Berlin and restoration of four-power rule over the city.

They said the note would emphasize that the three western powers place all the responsibility on Russia for what happens to western Berlin's great population if the blockade is not lifted at once.

Planes Still Flying
Overhead, meanwhile, British and American planes continued to pour in supplies for the 2,500,000 Germans living in west Berlin. Since last midnight, U. S. army transports landed 132 times at Tempelhof airport and unloaded 375 tons of supplies.

Britain's Royal air force had made 70 flights up to 4 p.m., but officials invoked secrecy about amounts carried.

personality development, public speaking, sports, entertainment and music.

The test is whether a course is vocational. If it is, Uncle Sam will pick up the check for properly qualified veterans. If it's vocational or recreational, he won't. The VA determines which is which.

Instructions went out today under the 1949 VA appropriation law which specifies that none of the money can be used for vocational or recreational courses.

War Dead from Local Area to Be Returned

Names of four World War II dead from this area whose remains are being returned on the U.S. Army Transport Lawrence Victory were released by the army Thursday.

Lt. Roger W. Kellogg, B-17 navigator killed in action over Europe July 29, 1944, was a graduate of Salem high school in 1934 and worked for the First National bank in Salem for eight years prior to entering the service. Next-of-kin: Frank R. Kellogg, Box 128, Rt. 9, Salem.

Pfc. Kendall C. Helgeson, son of Clifford P. Helgeson, Dallas, died of wounds received April 8, 1945 in Germany.

T.Sgt. Walter R. Denton, survived by his wife Mrs. Carol L. Denton, Lebanon, was killed in action in the European theater in March 1945, and Pvt. Lawrence R. Randall, whose next-of-kin is Robert A. Randall, Albany.

Projects to Aid Bean Growers

WASHINGTON, July 1—(AP)—Money has been allocated by the agriculture department for two projects to aid Northwest bean growers, Senator Dworshak (R-Idaho) said today.

Both studies will be conducted at a laboratory operated by the bureau of entomology at Twin Falls, Idaho.

The bureau of plant industry will conduct one in cooperation with state agencies. It will aim at increased seed production of dry and snap beans through breeding and multiple resistance to insect damage. The department has allocated \$20,000 for the year's work.

In the other, the bureau of entomology and plant quarantine has been assigned to study of means for control of the leaf hopper or white fly which is the cause of curly top virus. It was given \$40,000 for the work.

Georgia Demos To Support Ike

MACON, Ga., July 1—(AP)—A stampede toward Dwight Eisenhower for president developed tonight as hundreds of Georgia democrats — Talmade variety — poured into Macon for the state democratic convention tomorrow.

High sources predicted the assembly of 5,000 or more partisans definitely would endorse the former chief of staff for the presidency. They said the convention's choice for a vice presidential running mate would be Senator Richard B. Russell of Georgia.

If General Ike makes a new statement positively turning down a democratic draft, Georgia delegates to the national convention would swing behind Russell for president.

Resolutions to carry out this program were ready for submission.

There are an estimated 3,000,000 habitual golfers in the United States.

Soviet Talks of Opening Korea Power Switch

SEOUL, Friday, July 1—(AP)—The Russians made a tentative offer today to restore power to South Korea from their zone in the north.

The offer was made by Maj. Gen. S. P. Merkulov, the new Russian commander in the north, in a letter which was read over the radio station at P'yongyang, soviet headquarters.

Lt. Gen. John R. Hodge, the American commander in the south, said the letter had not yet reached him and he had no comment.

According to the broadcast, the Russians would turn on the power they cut off weeks ago if the Americans will pay up the old bill by turning goods here over to the puppet North Korean government.

These goods have been held here to pay for power previously delivered, but the Americans have refused to deal with the North Koreans direct.

Merkulov's letter said the puppet government, the North Korean peoples committee, had decided to send representatives to Seoul to negotiate.

DAV Installs New Officers

New officers of the Salem Chapter No. 6, Disabled American Veterans and auxiliary were installed Thursday night at the Salem Woman's club. Installed as commander of the DAV was Donald E. McCall. Eva Bennett was installed as auxiliary commander.

E. E. Benner, Klamath Falls, state department commander and Mrs. Gladys Lawton, Grants Pass, state department auxiliary president were installing officers.

Attending the ceremonies were David King, state department adjutant; Dorr Qualle, Portland, state department treasurer; Lyle Dalley, Portland, national service officer, and Larry Allen, commander of the Albany chapter. Representatives of the Salem

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Robert Lowery
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VA to Restrict GI Bill Classes

WASHINGTON, July 1—(AP)—Ripping out frills from GI training courses, the Veterans administration announced today it won't pay for any more courses in such subjects as ballroom dancing and bartending.

The same goes for photography,

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FACTUAL, GRIPPING! EXCITING!
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