

Lydda Airport Captured By Jews; New Truce Plea Meets Arab's Opposition

By Max Boyd
CAIRO, July 10 (AP)—Jewish troops stormed and captured Lydda airport, a major prize of the Palestine war, today, and the Arabs announced they would not agree to a new 10-day truce.



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Israel Was Willing

The Israeli government accepted the 10-day extension on condition that the Arabs would do likewise.

ed to be one of the main Syrian supply bases for an attempted drive into western Galilee. The Jews also said Israeli fighters had shot down a Syrian bomber near Mishmar Hayarden, an Arab-held village south of Lake Hula.

The Jews opened their main offensive against Lydda field on a five mile front in the early morning hours.

The airport was captured several hours later, less than a day after the four-week truce expired.

In Jerusalem, a furious attack by Jewish mortars struck at Christian convents and a hospital on the Way of Sorrows, where Christ carried His cross. A Jewish mortar shell killed one Armenian woman and wounded another when it hit the Armenian convent of Saint James near the Zion gate.

False Alarm Sends 3 Police Cars to Close Bank Door

Three city police patrol cars sped to the Salem branch of the U. S. National bank of Portland early Saturday afternoon in response to a ringing burglar alarm at the bank.

Yugoslavia's Reds Given Cold Shoulder

By Glenn Williams
LONDON, July 10 (AP)—Following Russia's cut, four European communist parties announced today they are refusing to attend Yugoslavia's communist party congress.

Marshal Tito and his Yugoslav Reds are in disgrace, suspended by the nine national communist information bureau, because they insist upon equality among Europe's communist organizations and not just a place in the queue behind Stalin's party.

3 Candidates In Sixth Ward Alderman Race

Three candidates were in the race for sixth ward alderman Saturday, with announcements from incumbent Robert DeArmond and from George Cadwell adding to the declaration of candidacy filed earlier by former alderman Tom Armstrong.

Truman Boosters in Action



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'I Ain't A-Runnin'-Douglas

Democrat Feuding Slackens

By Douglas B. Cornell
PHILADELPHIA, July 10 (AP)—The democratic clans, after feuding fiercely for months, closed ranks almost so lately tonight behind Harry Truman for president.

But they held the vice presidential contest wide open for the national convention beginning Monday and ending, it may be, as early as Wednesday.

First the running mate swing was toward Senator Scott Lucas of Illinois. Then it moved toward Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas, and then toward Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney of Wyoming.

Houses Set Afire When Air Force Plane Crashes

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., July 11 (Sunday) (AP)—An unidentified AT-6, believed to have been from Randolph Air Force Base, crashed and burned at 12:20 a.m. today in the 600 block on Quincy street, igniting three houses.

5-Ton Gun Gift Poses Parking Problem for Salem City Council

City officials Saturday were scratching their heads over a 155mm mounted gun the army gave Salem for free as a war trophy.

New Russian Order Limits Highway Use

By George Bla
BERLIN, July 10 (AP)—New Russian bars on the highway east from Berlin tonight all but marooned western allied nationals in the city.

Second Story Burns, Firemen Provide Roof

Fire destroyed the entire upstairs of the C. C. Wriglesworth home at 941 S. Liberty st. Saturday morning, but the family of seven has a roof over their heads last night, thanks to Salem firemen who put emergency covering over the rafters.

U. S. Expenses To Top Income In Fiscal Year

By Charles Molony
WASHINGTON, July 10 (AP)—Prospects are that President Truman will advise the country late this month that the government is going to run in the red this year, after two years solidly in the black.

Ford Unions to Vote on Strike

DETROIT, July 10 (AP)—The CIO United Auto Workers, who are negotiating a new contract with the Ford Motor company, today called on all Ford locals to take a strike vote as soon as possible.

Youth Admits Slaying Of Seattle Carhop Girl

SEATTLE, July 10 (AP)—Police said tonight that a 20-year-old youth confessed orally to the mutilation slaying of a 22-year-old refreshment stand carhop.

Weather

Station	Max.	Min.	Precip.
Salem	77	62	.00
Portland	77	62	.00
San Francisco	67	54	.00
Chicago	67	54	.00
New York	67	54	.00

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Releases Oregon Delegates

PENDLETON, Ore., July 10 (AP)—William O. Douglas put on his best cowboy hat today and in lighthearted mood removed himself from the field of democratic presidential candidates.

Portland, Ore., July 10 Supreme Court Justice Limits Highway Use

The supreme court justice said that he would also release Oregon's delegates to the democratic national convention.

Major Fighting In China Shifts To North Front

NANKING, Sunday, July 11 (AP)—Major fighting in China's civil war shifted today from the central plains into northern Hupeh province, where the government evacuated a strategic river city.

Fire Destroys 40 Planes at Teterboro

TETERBORO, N. J., July 10 (AP)—Forty planes were destroyed tonight in a fire that swept through a hangar at Teterboro airport, causing damage estimated at \$500,000.

Negligent Homicide Charged as Pedestrian Accident Victim Dies

Mrs. Mazie L. Myers, 52, of 2075 1/2 Fairgrounds rd., died at a local hospital early Saturday after she had been struck by an auto Friday night at Fairgrounds road and Hunt street at about 9:55 o'clock.

Animal Crackers

IT SEEMS TO ME
By Charles F. Sprague

Normally the season for musical performances and the theatre ends with the arrival of summer weather. But just as we have summer theatre in New England barn-rafts and on seaport wharves so musical festivals are held, often outdoors, in the summer months.

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Albany House Fire Fatal to Small Boy

ALBANY, July 10 (Special)—A four-year-old boy was burned to death this afternoon in a fire which completely destroyed the one-story home of Bernard Lee Krutzinger at 12th and Hill streets.

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