

Russ Ignore U.S. Request to See Authoress

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—(AP)—The Russian government has ignored one American embassy request for an official to see the arrested writer, Anna Louise Strong, and the embassy today filed a new request.

This was announced by the state department which also released the text of a Russian note to the embassy stating that Miss Strong "will be deported from the soviet union within a few days."

The note gave no detail of the charge beyond saying she was held "for espionage—subversive activity." It said nothing about letting an American see Miss Strong.

State department press officer Michael J. McDermott told a news conference that the Russian government is bound by agreements made by the late President Roosevelt and former Soviet Ambassador Litvinoff to notify the embassy of the arrest of an American citizen and immediately permit an American official representative to see her.

McDermott stopped short of openly accusing Russia of violating its commitments in the case of Miss Strong. But he emphasized that the embassy request to see Miss Strong so far has been ignored and that the embassy got official notice of her arrest and intended deportation only after the embassy made inquiry.

Russia Agrees -- Too Late -- on Trieste Choice

LAKE SUCCESS, Feb. 17—(AP)—Russia proposed today that the security council name a Swiss lawyer as governor of Trieste. But western spokesmen said the Russians were being agreeable 18 months too late.

Jakob A. Malik, Soviet deputy foreign minister, asked in a resolution that the council elect Col. Hermann Fluckiger, former Swiss ambassador to Moscow, as governor of Trieste. He was nominated by Britain for the job months ago. Delegates of the United States, Britain and France told the council now, however, their governments wanted to give Trieste back to Italy.

Warren R. Austin, U.S. delegate, said Yugoslavia had extended "police-state" forms of government to the Yugoslav part of Trieste. He said this made impossible the proposed unification with the British-American zone in Trieste into an independent democratic territory.

Portland Asks Housing Units

PORTLAND, Feb. 17—(AP)—The Portland housing authority decided today that Portland needs at least 2,000 units of permanent low-rent housing.

The commission said even that number would only be a start. The entire demand for housing is expected to be learned in a survey later.

The commission voted to apply to the public housing administration for the 2,000 units so that Portland would be high on the administration list if congress passes the now-pending housing measure. The 2,000 units are expected to cost \$12,000,000.

LUMBER DECLINE FORECAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17—(AP)—A 10 per cent decline in lumber sales in the first quarter of 1949 was forecast today by Homer B. Jamison of Fresno, president of the Western Pine association. He was here to attend the group's annual convention.

SMELT CATCHES REPORTED

PORTLAND, Feb. 17—(AP)—The year's first sizable smelt catches were delivered here today. Smelt were selling at retail here between 55 and 60 cents a pound.

BEND CITY MANAGER NAMED

BEND, Feb. 17—(AP)—W. O. Cuthbertson, Abilene, Kans., was appointed city manager of Bend today.

Bull Invades Scotland Home

INVERURIE, Scotland, Feb. 17—(AP)—A bull crashed into a house today.

Mrs. J. J. Hines and her year-old daughter, Frances, huddled in a corner while the enraged animal smashed the furniture, ripped paper and plaster from the walls and trampled a baby carriage.

Finally Mrs. Hines managed to edge out of the room with her daughter. The bull, which had broken from a herd being driven to market, was subdued by the handlers.

Beef Prices Decline 20%

PORTLAND, Feb. 17—(AP)—Prices of many meat cuts are falling here.

Wholesale beef prices have fallen 20 per cent since last month, and 55 per cent below peaks of last summer. Retail prices are 18 to 45 per cent under last summer, and as much as 20 per cent below last month.

The general declines plus "loss leader" specials, resulted in such prices as 45 cents a pound for bacon and 39 cents a pound for beef potroast.

Mystery Voice Reports Theft

WHITTIER, Calif., Feb. 17—(AP)—Cops are looking for the "mystery voice."

She called last night to say she stole a car from a theater parking lot in Los Angeles.

"If you'll look behind the police station," she added, "you'll find it. I just wanted a ride home."

They did, and there it was. The owner, Russell de Palvo of Montebello, claimed the machine, said he hadn't had time to report it.

Armored Cars Used Against Italy Strikers

ROME, Feb. 17—(AP)—Armored cars were used against 1,000 entrenched factory workers today to break up the worst disorders in Italy in the last six months.

The ministry of interior said 30 persons were wounded, some by gunfire, at Isola Liri. The workers had occupied a paper mill in an attempt to halt the dismissal of 50 employees.

Philadelphia Taxicab Drivers End Walkout

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17—(AP)—Striking taxicab drivers went back to work tonight after a three-day walkout, the first break in Philadelphia's week-old transportation tieup.

But the strike of 11,000 CIO subway, trolley and bus workers went on in the face of a demand by Mayor Bernard Samuel for quick settlement of a 14-cent hourly wage difference.

CZECHS, CATHOLICS CONFER

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, Feb. 17—(AP)—High level talks between government and Roman Catholic church leaders began here today, the Czechoslovak press bureau announced. Subject of the talks was not disclosed.

HILLSBORO APPROVES BOND

HILLSBORO, Ore., Feb. 17—(AP)—A \$225,000 school bond issue that will give Hillsboro a new high school gymnasium was approved by taxpayers here tonight, 364 to 189.

CANADA RAIL LINK

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—(AP)—Senator Magnuson (D-Wash.) introduced legislation today intended to push his proposal for a railroad to link Alaska with the United States, through Canada.

RACE TIPPERS NABBED

SEATTLE, Feb. 17—(AP)—A federal grand jury today indicted three men involved in a horse race tip scheme on charges of operating a radio transmitter without proper licenses. The three were Edward Pleska, a jockey; Ralph Casey, 33, and George LaClair, 33, who had been at liberty under \$1,500 bond each since their arrest in a raid Feb. 11.

Hoover Favors Postoffices on Business Basis

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—(AP)—The Hoover commission recommended today that the post office department be completely divorced from politics and put on a strict business basis.

In the fourth of a series of reports on its studies on reorganization of the government, the commission told congress:

1. The postmaster general should be barred from heading national political committees, as has occurred several times in the past.

2. Confirmation of postmasters by the senate should be abolished, with those officials selected from career men on a merit basis.

3. The postmaster general should be allowed to set the rates for registered mail, insured mail, CODs, money orders, postal cards and special delivery, to make each of those services self-supporting. Congress should continue to establish the rates on first, second, third and fourth class matter.

4. Payments to common carriers for transporting mail should not be used to hide a subsidy for aviation.

Tadpoles Aid In Developing New Drug

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17—(AP)—Thanks to tadpoles, drugs are being developed to relieve jittery, high-strung human victims of excess thyroid activity, a university expert reported today.

Dr. Richard Wenzler, biochemistry professor at the University of Southern California told the American Pharmaceutical Manufacturers association that these drugs, called anti-thyroid agents, are certain benzyl ethers of diiodotyrosine.

"They counteract excess secretions of the thyroid gland which causes nervousness, restlessness, excitability and unexpected emotional outbursts in people so afflicted," he said.

Tadpoles were used for experiments, he explained in preference to rats or guinea pigs because of their simple structural nature.

Mexico Phone Strike Ends

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17—(AP)—Mexico's telephone strike ended tonight after 66 hours without service on almost two-thirds of the country's phones.

Workers of Telefonos de Mexico, controlled by Swedish millionaire Axel Wenner-Gren—won a 23 per cent wage increase. They had demanded 30 per cent when they struck Monday.

The rival Mexican Telephone company, which operates the other two-thirds of the country's phones, was not affected by the strike.

Club Unanimous in Opposing Traffic Plan

Opposition to the proposed one-way grid traffic system and one-way bridge was 100 per cent at the meeting of the South Salem Progress club Thursday night.

Sixty persons in attendance voiced unanimous opposition to the plan. Members also viewed the movie "Scenes About Oregon" following a community dinner.

GOPHER GRIDDER HELD

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 17—(AP)—Gopher Griddler, 21, of Minneapolis, halfback on the University of Minnesota football team last fall, pleaded guilty to a third degree burglary charge in district court today. The complaint charged Griddler stole a wrist watch and radio from an automobile service station and disposed of them at a pawn shop for \$8.

Your Chef is William Wong when you dine at 99 Cafe Chinese - American Dishes 1/2 mile So. on 99E

Colored Oleo Battle to Be At 11 Monday

A bill to allow sale of pre-colored oleomargarine will be considered by the senate in a special order of business Monday at 11 a. m.

The proposal, introduced by Sen. Thomas Mahoney, Portland, would repeal the present act which forbids sale of colored margarine. The same bill was defeated last session.

The measure was reported out "do not pass" Thursday by the senate agriculture committee, but Sen. Richard Neuberger, Portland, a member of the committee, will attempt to persuade the senate to adopt his "do pass" report instead.

Dr. Weizmann Heads Israel

JERUSALEM, Feb. 17—(AP)—Dr. Chaim Weizmann was inaugurated today as the first president of the young state of Israel in a ceremony filled with ancient Hebrew symbolism.

Thousands of spectators lining Jerusalem's streets cheered and wept for joy as they viewed the procession held for the 74-year-old scientist who has devoted a lifetime to the Zionist cause.

Weizmann took the oath in the Jewish agency building before the recently-elected Israeli parliament. The 120-member parliament named him president last night on the first ballot after adopting a new constitution.

DETROIT ENGINEER NAMED

PORTLAND, Feb. 17—(AP)—The army engineers today announced the appointment of Lt. Col. John W. Miles, Portland, as resident engineer at Detroit dam on the North Santiam river. Miles has been in charge of flood control design and construction programs in Portland.

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Glass Company Truck in Crash

There was enough broken glass for a major accident in the collision of two vehicles Thursday night at Chemeketa and Liberty streets, but no one was injured.

Vehicles driven by Kenneth William Ames, 480 Evergreen st., and Donald Andrew Brown, 2490 Maple st., were involved in the crash.

Brown was driving a loaded truck for the Capital Glass company. Both vehicles were damaged but the truck load accounted for the abundance of broken glass.

Filibuster Bill Debate Near

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17—(AP)—The bitterest of all senate filibusters is set to start February 28. Democratic floor leader Lucas (Ill.) and republican floor leader Wherry (Nebr.) agreed today on that date for a try at calling up proposed rules change which would put a permanent damper on filibusters.

Twenty or more southern democrats are set to oppose the anti-filibuster rule — by filibustering. That means they will talk day and night, if necessary, in an effort to prevent action on a motion to consider the new rule.

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Marshall Plan Nations Organize Permanently

PARIS, Feb. 17—(AP)—Belgian Premier Paul-Henri Spaak announced tonight that the Marshall plan nations are putting their organization on a permanent basis, thus laying one of the foundations of a future European union.

He said the 19 countries affected had agreed "the organization should continue to exist" after the end of the Marshall plan in 1952.

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PRUNES Dried Oregon Italians or Petites 2 lbs. for 25¢

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BLACK FIGS Dried 2 lbs. for 39¢

DATES Pitted lb. 29¢

APPLES Dried, makes 1 quart of apple sauce, reg. price 20¢ pkg—24 pkgs. for 1.00 Pkg. 5¢

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46-oz. Standby Per doz. 2.39 Ea. 20¢

CHICKEN FRICASSEE 16-oz. tin Per doz. 5.75 Ea. 49¢

CATSUP 14-oz. Garden Brand Per doz. 1.75 Ea. 15¢

HOT SAUCE 8-oz. can Tasty Pak Per doz. 55c Ea. 5¢

BEANS 'N HAM or Beans 'n Bacon, Per doz. 1.15 Ea. 10¢

PEAS No. 2 can Roly Poly Per doz. 1.15 Ea. 10¢

SWEET POTATOES 15-oz. tin Blu Plate Per doz. 1.75 Ea. 15¢

TUNA FISH 1/2 size tin Per doz. 3.25 Ea. 29¢

SALMON 1/2 size cans Columbia River Per doz. 3.25 Ea. 29¢

POP CORN Little Buster white hullless 10 lbs. for 1.39 2 lbs. 29¢

RICE Louisiana Blue Rose 10 lbs. 1.39 2 lbs. 29¢

BEANS dried, small whites, large whites, pinks, reds, pinto, blackeye, baby limas, 10 lbs. \$1.39 2 lbs. 29¢

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