

Russians Getting Set To Grab All Germany, Japan, Dewey Claims

NEW YORK, Feb. 1—(AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey said today Russia "is getting set" to seize all of Germany and Japan as a prelude to attempted world conquest.

By grabbing all the industrial power of those two nations, the New York governor said in an article in Collier's magazine, Stalin "would no longer fear American manpower, he would be in a position to take the final step of conquering the world."

He said "there is good reason to believe" that either an internal coup or armed conquest of Yugoslavia by satellite powers is planned before an attack on Germany.

"I do not know how late the hour is," Dewey wrote. "Sources of information which have been excellent in the past say that following the attack on Yugoslavia this summer the Soviet will launch the grand assault on Europe when the ground is hard in the fall and the crops have been gathered.

"Until recently all our government planning has been based on Soviet attack in 1954. I believe that thesis has been finally abandoned and there is now a general belief that the attack may come in 1951 or at latest in 1952."

Dewey said it would be "national suicide" to abandon our efforts to contain the Russians and to retreat to our own frontiers.

The United States must, he said, immediately convert to large-scale war production and speedily develop overwhelming military forces.

Also, he wrote, this country must "shore up free Asia and use our European aid, as I urged three years ago, as the means for pushing, prodding and encouraging the nations of western Europe toward the goal of European union—and great military strength."

However, Dewey cautioned, American resources and manpower should develop the strength to defend themselves.

Dewey said the anti-Soviet nations, including Spain, could and should mobilize more than 150 divisions under Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

"Germany and Japan are the grand prize of Russian attack—before taking the world," he wrote. "At all costs and by whatever devices are necessary, we must stop haggling and arm Germany and Japan as rapidly as they are willing to be armed."

In Asia, Dewey said, "We must stop wobbling and vacillating and announce as a nation, for good, that we will defend Formosa, Japan and the Philippines, and provide arms to the British and French in Southeast Asia.

"If we do, a thrill of hope will go all over the Orient and resistance will be stiffened everywhere."

Dewey also called for an intensified propaganda offensive by the United States.

"Where the Russians send one organizer," he said, "we should send 10."

"Where the Russians send one lying movie we should send 10 truthful movies."

"Where the Russians spend \$1,000,000 for sabotage we should spend \$10,000,000 for sabotage." (This was not amplified.)

"Where the Russians now have the best spy system in the world, we should beat them at their own game will twice as good a spy system."

Mrs. Wright Reelected by Polio Chapter

Mrs. David Wright was re-elected president of the Marion county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis Thursday night. It will be her third term.

Mrs. Virgil T. Golden was elected to the new post of second vice president. Other officers re-elected: First vice president, Elmer J. Church; Mrs. Lucille Satter, secretary; Albert Arpke, treasurer.

Current funds on hand were reported as \$1,044 with bills due totaling \$4,070.

James Keys, chairman of the March of Dimes drive, reported that \$8,500 had been baked to date. He said he hoped the total would be more than double that amount. Half of the funds will remain in the county.

Dr. Willard Stone reported a total of 27 polio cases during 1950 in Marion county.

Two new applications for aid were received.

TOBACCO MARKET
MADISON, Ind.—(INS)—The Indiana river town of Madison is the largest tobacco market north of the Ohio river. Each year from December through February more than \$3,500,000 is bid at auction for Indiana's crop of burley tobacco, used mainly in cigarettes.

Tax Property Valuation at High in State

Total assessed valuation of taxable properties in Oregon reached a new high of \$1,607,876,262 in 1950, a 4.47 per cent increase over 1949, the state tax commission advised the legislature Thursday.

While this increase is impressive it is misleading unless considered in the light of modern day conditions," the commission report continued. The commission said actually, in relation to Oregon's standard of "true cash value" as defined by law, these assessed values are on a lower ratio than ever before.

"This is one of the principal weaknesses in the property tax," the commission averred.

"The fact is that assessed values have remained static for many years despite rapid changes in earning power and selling prices."

The tax delinquency as of Aug. 15, 1950, accumulative for all years, was \$12,614,760, an increase of \$1,409,405 over last year.

Arrest Totals For Last Year Listed by State

State police participated in 927 arrests for drunken driving during the year 1950, with fines aggregating \$123,207. H. G. Malson, superintendent of state police, reported to Gov. Douglas McKay Thursday.

Arrests in all categories of the motor vehicle division totaled 39,223 with fines of \$400,091.

There were 2,293 arrests for violation of the basic rule with fines totaling \$24,938.

In the law enforcement division there were 4,749 arrests with fines of \$83,927. This total included 20 arrests for murder and 130 for gambling. A total of 188 persons were held for other law enforcement officers.

Arrests under the game code totaled 2,757 with fines of \$113,859. There were 150 arrests under the commercial fisheries code with fines of \$5,908.

Complaints investigated numbered 5,898 with 3,083 reported as cleared.

Air Activity Slow at Salem During Month

Flying operations during January at Salem airport were the quietest of any month since the McNary field control tower began keeping an activity score sheet two years ago.

A total of 1,997 flights was recorded last month, according to Chief Controller Stanley Dilatush. This compares with 2,492 in December, 1950, and 2,230 in January, 1950.

Last month's operations at the field, according to the civil aeronautics authority records, include 316 commercial air carrier flights, 125 navy itinerant, 467 civilian itinerant, 928 civilian local, 154 navy local and seven air force itinerant.

Albany Youth Charged With Draft Evasion

PORTLAND, Feb. 1—(AP)—A 20-year-old Albany youth, Van Arbon Wilson, was in the county jail here today in lieu of \$1500 bond.

He is accused of failing to report for induction. U. S. Commissioner Robert A. Leedy ruled today there is sufficient grounds to hold the youth for grand jury investigation.

Some Taxpayers Prepare Returns Early



A month and a half may seem a long time before federal income tax deadline, but smart taxpayers are getting their returns in early. Here is a group in the internal revenue department office in the Salem postoffice getting income tax forms filed far ahead of the March 15 date. Seated, from left, Carl Jungkeit, Lebanon; Mrs. Harvey Page, 3225 Fisher rd., and T. A. Hubbard, deputy collector. Standing is F. J. Heinrichs, Dallas. (Statesman photo.)

Overseas Mail One War Late

EUGENE, Feb. 1—(AP)—It took a long time for Sgt. Phil Campbell, now in Korea, to get a letter from his mother.

He wrote his family that he re-

ceived a letter saying they were "thinking of buying" a house.

The letter was addressed to him on Tinian, an island in the Pacific where he had served in World War II, six years ago.

The family has occupied the house since the end of the war.

LUCY PHILLIPS DIES

SILVERTON — Mrs. Lucy Phillips, a long time resident of Silverton, died in a Portland hospital Thursday morning. She was a widow of Charles Phillips. Her home was at 833 S. Madison st., before moving to Portland a year ago.

Revocation of Parole Ends Senate Career

OLYMPIA, Feb. 1—(AP)—The tragic legislative career of Sen. Don B. Miller was interrupted today when court papers were signed returning him to Eastern State hospital at Medical Lake.

The 39-year-old Spokane democrat has been on parole from the state hospital since last June. The parole was revoked late today by Thurston County Superior Judge Raymond Clifford.

Judge Clifford found Miller was unsafe to be at large. He made his decision after hearing four witnesses testify concerning a disturbance in which Senator Miller was involved last night.

Witnesses included Joseph Mehan, the state senate sergeant-at-arms, two Olympia police officers, and Hewitt Henry, deputy prosecutor for Thurston county.

They testified that Senator Miller had been loud and boisterous at a dinner in downtown Olympia for lawyers and again at a later hour in the evening while talking to Canadian soldiers at the Olympia Union Bus depot.

Miller appeared without counsel. He acted as his own attorney, cross-examining witnesses one-by-one as they were called by Prosecutor Ralph Swanson.

GUARD SQUADRON ACTIVE

PORTLAND, Feb. 1—(AP)—The 123rd fighter squadron of the air national guard took part today in the four-day test of western air defenses. The squadron was placed on active duty with the air force shortly before being alerted for maneuvers.

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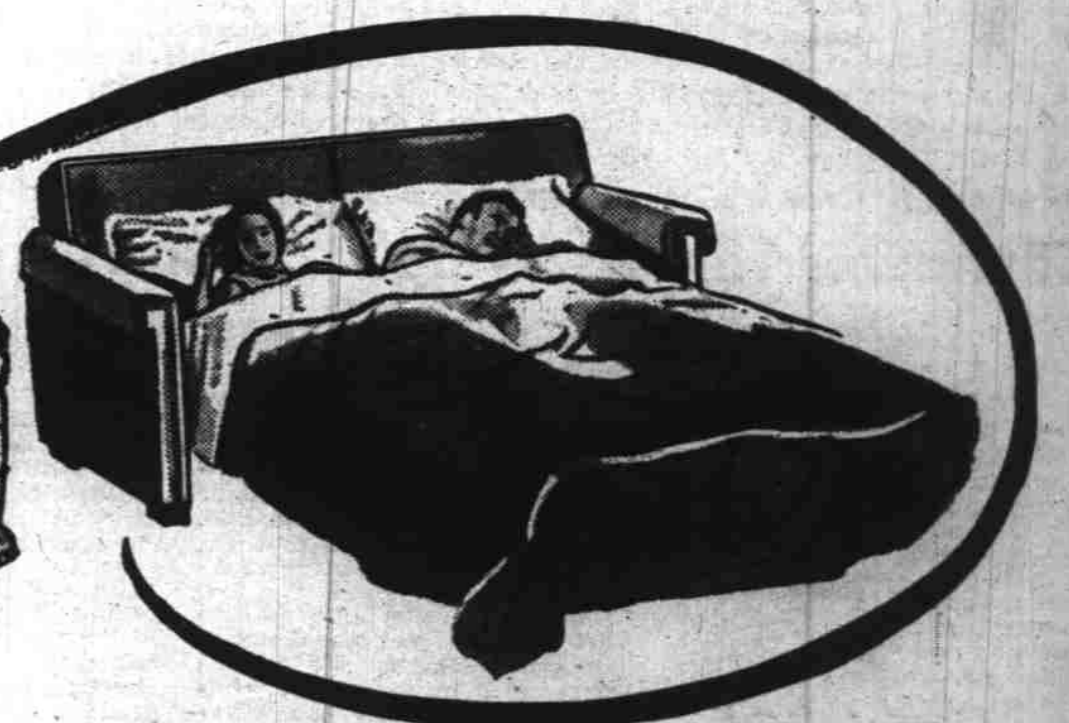
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