

Reds Threatening New China Purge

TOKYO (U) — China's Communist high command has set up a powerful watchdog committee over the party, Peiping radio said Wednesday, thus threatening new purges.

People's Daily, official party newspaper, laid down the law on the heels of the purge of Kao Kang, boss of the five-year plan. Jao Shu-Shih, party leader in East China, and seven minor figures. Peiping said Kao committed sui-

cide. Washington officials believe he was liquidated. Jao and others possibly are being saved for public trials as leaders crack the whip over party and people.

People's Daily admitted failures in the initial two years of the five-year plan.

Arduous Effort

"It probably requires three five-year plans to build a socialist society," the paper said, "but to build a powerful, highly industrialized socialist country requires decades of arduous effort, possibly 50 years."

"The emphasis has to be laid on heavy industry," said Peiping because of the alleged threat of "imperialist aggression." The people were told to tighten their belts in these grim words:

Must Be Mobilized

"The people of our whole country must be mobilized. They must put hard and creative work into every kind of job; they must raise output, practice the strictest economy, and work in close cooperation with one another so as to fulfill and overfulfill the first five-year plan."

And while party and people struggle to industrialize China, watchdog committees will guard against further Kao-Jao type "conspiracies" to seize "power in the party and state," Peiping said.

Salk Vaccine Said Success

DETROIT (U) — Harry J. Loynd, president of Parke, Davis & Co., said Tuesday he believes the Salk polio vaccine is a success.

Loynd told stockholders at their annual meeting, "I don't know what's in the (April 12) evaluation report, but I have some idea from our own clinical studies in Illinois."

Parke, Davis earlier stated that it had carried out very limited tests in one Illinois county. This test was in no way connected with the test of two million children carried out by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Parke, Davis is one of five major pharmaceutical firms manufacturing the vaccine for the national foundation.

Doctors to Hear Polio Report Via TV Broadcasts

INDIANAPOLIS (UP) — Eli Lilly & Co., pharmaceutical manufacturer, Tuesday announced a list of 61 cities where closed circuit television broadcasts of the Francis report on the Salk polio vaccine will be received by physicians.

Lilly will cooperate with the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in making a one-hour detailed technical report available to doctors between 3 and 4 p.m. PST April 12.

In most of the cities, theaters and hotels are reception points for the telecasts. The cities include: Beverly Hills, San Diego, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Phoenix, Portland, Salt Lake City and Seattle.

\$100,000 Given To Washington U

ILWACO, Wash. (UP) — Mrs. Margaret G. Meyers, Ilwaco, has given the University of Washington \$100,000 in securities, the largest undergraduate scholarship fund received by the university.

Mrs. Meyers, formerly of Iowa and more recently of South Bend, Wash., stipulated that the fund be known as the "Theodore F. Meyers and Margaret F. Meyers Scholarship Fund."

Similar endowments have been made to Yale University and a Seattle hospital by Mrs. Meyers, whose husband, a lawyer, died in 1934.

Deer Poisoned; Farmers Blamed

EUGENE (UP) — State police are investigating a report that farmers in the Marcola area have poisoned deer to protect crops from damage by foraging herds.

The complaint was filed by Elmer L. Shultz, Springfield, who said he had seen 10 dead deer in the woods in the area recently. He said a farmer had told him the animals had been poisoned to prevent crop damage.

Police officers said, however, deer frequently are found dead in early spring.

Hard-Pressed School Areas Air Problems

By ROBERT E. GANGWARE City Editor, The Statesman

Spokesmen for 20 hard-pressed school districts placed their building financing problem before the House education committee Tuesday night at a Capitol hearing and suggested everything from a sales tax to a metropolitan taxing district as solution.

The hearing was called by Education Chairman C. A. Tom, Rufus (R), to obtain ideas for, appropriate state help to the 24 school districts which have been labeled "distressed" by the State Department of Education because even bonding at maximum limits won't keep classrooms fast enough to build up with school population.

The education committee got no help from Stayton, the only Marion County district on the list, or from the five Linn County districts listed, for they had no representatives at the hearing.

Stories Alike

But just about every "Portland bedroom community" of the metropolitan fringes of Multnomah, Washington and Clackamas Counties was represented.

Their stories, from superintendents and school directors, were the same: Families moving into new residential developments by the hundreds; fathers working in Portland; children in the suburban schools with little property tax to pay the bills.

C. E. Zollinger, director on the Portland School Board, said the problem was recognized in the city school board and perhaps the answer lay in a new type of metropolitan taxing district so that Portland would pay a share of outlying educational costs.

This wouldn't mean consolidation, for administration can get out of hand if the district is too large, he said.

Knapp Comments

Gardner Knapp, Salem school board member and leader in Oregon School Boards Association, said he found much merit in a pending Senate bill which would set up county boards of education with power to budget countywide and to equalize a part of the tax support for schools so the most needy districts benefited.

Mrs. Clyde Gideon, speaking for the State PTA, said the organization of school parents favored out-right state grants to the districts considered most needy.

Several of the school leaders said they personally would favor a sales tax with revenues earmarked for local school support. Others favored county equalization; still others mentioned additional basic school support funds from the state for the express purpose of helping the distressed schools.

Several said the problem is so great that money is needed right now and apparently state grants would be the only answer.

Much of U.S. Uranium to Be 'Hard to Get'

SAN FRANCISCO (U) — The United States has millions of tons of uranium in its vast and far-flung ore deposits but much of it will be hard to get, a spokesman for the Atomic Energy Commission reported Tuesday.

How fast it is brought out of the ground will depend upon how much the government or industry will pay for it, said Jesse C. Johnson, director of the AEC Division of Raw Materials. He addressed an atomic energy conference sponsored by the Stanford Research Institute and the Atomic Industrial Forum.

Approval by the AEC of power reactor construction both in this country and abroad is the tipoff that plenty of the basic nuclear fuel exists, Johnson said.

U. S. Units Watch For Improperities

WASHINGTON (U) — The Budget Bureau said Tuesday "practically every government agency has taken some kind of action" to detect and prevent improper conduct by their employees.

The bureau last June 14 directed all agencies to review their inspection programs "concerned primarily with the detection and prevention of acts of impropriety, unethical conduct, and other activities short of criminal violations."

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William Richter, junior at South Salem High School, who will get a month trip to New York at the United Nations as the result of his winning speech in the Odd Fellows-sponsored United Nations Filmmage contest Monday night. (Statesman Photo.)

Hotel Claims Lanza Fails to Show for Show

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (U) — The hotel New Frontier said Tuesday it has canceled Mario Lanza's \$100,000 night club engagement because the tenor failed to appear.

At a press conference Tuesday afternoon, the hotel management declared Lanza broke his contract, which called for the biggest money ever paid an entertainer here. The singer did not show up at Monday night's premiere and there was a wave of rumors over the reason.

The confusion mounted Tuesday. Dr. J.R. McDaniel, who forbade Lanza's appearance at the last moment Monday night because of "acute respiratory infection and laryngitis" told a hotel official Tuesday that Lanza was physically fit to sing Tuesday night. The Las Vegas doctor examined Lanza early Tuesday morning, it was reported.

Zoning Draws Ire of Clergy

PORTLAND (U) — A proposed Multnomah County zoning ordinance was attacked Tuesday by the Catholic Archdiocese of Portland and the Portland Home Builders Assn.

A church spokesman asked changes in the ruling which would require that any proposed construction of church or school buildings be approved by the commission after public hearings.

The builders asked that the minimum size of building lots be reduced from the proposed 7,000 square feet to 5,000.

The commission took no action on the two protests.

Nationalists Strike Reds' Naval Forces

TAIPEI, Formosa (U) — The Nationalists Tuesday struck by air and sea at Red naval concentrations across Formosa Strait and around the Matsus, where Communist activity reportedly has quickened this week.

HEARING POSTPONED

ALBANY — Ivan Dale Hetland of Lebanon, who faces two charges resulting from the March 9 beating of his townsman Ernest A. Gall, Tuesday had his preliminary hearing postponed to 1:30 p. m. Friday by District Judge Wendell Tompkins. Hetland, former Salem ex-convict, asked for more time to consult with an attorney. None appeared with him in court.

HOLLYWOOD

Phone 4-4713 Adults 50c Open 6:45

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"ROGUE COP" Robert Taylor, Janet Leigh

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Benson Eyes Changes in Wheat Control

WASHINGTON (U) — Secretary of Agriculture Benson said Tuesday the administration may ask Congress to make changes this year in the price support and production control program for wheat.

He told a news conference that the present program, requiring a 30 per cent cutback from post war levels, does not appear adequate to meet what he called agriculture's "most difficult" problem — an over-expanded wheat production capacity.

Benson's criticism was directed principally at a provision which requires him to reduce price supports to 50 per cent of parity if growers reject federal marketing quotas at a referendum.

Under quotas voted for this year's crop, the support will be 82.5 per cent of parity, the minimum permitted this year under the administration's new flexible support system. Parity is a standard for measuring farm prices declared by law to be fair to farmers in relation to prices they must pay.

Benson said a drop in supports from 82.5 to 50 per cent of parity would be "a rather severe adjustment."

He said legislation has been introduced in Congress which would give the secretary authority to set the support rate above the 50 per cent of parity level in event growers turned down parity levels. Some growers have expressed concern that farmers will defeat quotas for the 1956 crop at a referendum this spring or early summer.

"This legislation seems to have some real value," Benson said. "We may want to recommend some new legislation on wheat or urge the passage of some of the pending bills," he added.

Warren Heads John Marshall Commission

WASHINGTON (U) — Chief Justice Warren Tuesday was named chairman of the commission planning the celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of John Marshall, the famed chief justice.

Edgar Eisenhower of Tacoma, Wash., a brother of President Eisenhower, was chosen vice chairman at the bicentennial commission's organization meeting at the Supreme Court.

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FTC Refuses To Condemn Cigarette Ads

WASHINGTON (U) — The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) declared Tuesday a cigarette manufacturer is not just "puffing" when he claims his smokes are "milder, soothing and relaxing" and leave no "unpleasant after-taste."

The five-man trade regulating commission upset an initial decision by examiner William L. Pack in a case against Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. The firm has been charged with falsely advertising certain virtues in Chesterfield cigarettes.

Pack dismissed a portion of the complaint on grounds the phrases objected to were "laudatory, harmless or mere puffing" terms. "Puffing," the FTC explained, "refers, generally, to an expression of opinion not made as a representation of fact."

It called for further hearings to determine whether Liggett & Myers is advertising falsely when it uses the words in question. That issue was not settled by Tuesday action.

British, Canada Officials to See Nevada A-Test

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (U) — The Atomic Energy Commission announced Tuesday the arrival here of 24 British and Canadian military and defense officials, the first foreign observers to witness an atomic test in Nevada.

Meantime, the AEC scheduled a record high altitude atomic test at 9 a.m. Wednesday. It is to be a burst six miles high designed to wipe out an enemy air fleet.

The shot has been delayed four days by adverse weather, probably unfavorable winds aloft. The test is not billed as a big one.

The device, to be tested "at an altitude above 30,000 feet" will be dropped from an Air Force plane. The test will be about 20 times higher than the air-dropped device that opened the current series. That one exploded at 1,500 on Feb. 18.

There has been one other atomic air drop in the series. That was the tenth and latest explosion, detonated at around 5,000 feet over the test site last Tuesday.

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Two States Dig Out From Big Snowdrifts

SHERIDAN, Wyo. (U) — Snow-plows bit into drifts as much as 16 feet deep Tuesday in a mammoth digout operation after the worst blizzard to hit Wyoming and Montana in many years.

Motorists and bus travelers by the hundreds were stranded in towns and ranch houses. Many country schools were closed. Traffic accidents due to the storm have taken three lives in the two states.

Sheridan, a city of 11,500 not far south of the Montana-Wyoming border, was cut off from plane and bus transportation although trains began running Tuesday. Snow fell continuously for 44 hours, leaving a record 39 inches on the ground by Tuesday morning.

Billings, a Southern Montana oil and livestock city of more than 52,000, was pelted by 33 inches, deepest on record. Havre in the north had 27 inches and Bozeman 24.

Hundreds of automobiles in the two states were abandoned to the storm and were covered by drifts, some in the middle of streets and roads.

Between 400 and 500 persons were caught by the storm in Douglas in East-Central Wyoming. Persons stranded here and elsewhere were believed to have sufficient food and shelter.

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