

# Russians Relax Freight Controls In Austrian Zone

VIENNA, Austria (U)—Russia said Thursday night its control of freight traffic entering the Soviet-held zone of Austria will be ended immediately.

The announcement was made as Russian troops began to erase some visible signs of their occupation of Austria, apparently in expectation that this nation will regain independence soon.

Earlier Thursday, the Austrian Parliament approved unanimously a policy of neutrality for Austria after conclusion of an independence treaty.

Russia also announced two other concessions to Austria:

## Parents Told To Continue Vaccine Plans

(Story also on page 1.)

WASHINGTON (U)—A team of government polio experts Thursday arrived at Berkeley, Calif., to probe the polio vaccine produced at the Cutter Laboratories after 10 children had reportedly contracted the disease following inoculation.

The team is composed of Dr. Karl Rabel and Dr. John Tripp, vice adm. Ross T. McIntire, retired former surgeon general, said in a speech at Los Angeles that "parents should go ahead with the vaccination of their children with the Salk polio shots. The scattered cases reported after vaccination probably would have developed anyway."

Health and school officials of Oakland, Calif., abandoned plans for any mass inoculation this year. This did not preclude parents arranging for inoculation by private physicians.

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, in New York, had no comment on Oakland's decision.

Replacement Supplies

However, it was learned at least two areas where the Cutter vaccine was withdrawn—Los Angeles County and Hawaii—have asked and been assured of replacement supplies of vaccine so they can go ahead with their program.

Surgeon General Leonard A. Scheele reiterated here that withdrawal of the Cutter vaccine should not cause any change in plans of parents to have their children inoculated.

With the figure of officially reported post-vaccination cases of polio involving the Cutter brand of vaccine revised to 10, this was the tabulation:

California 6, including 3 in San Diego and 1 each in Ventura, Napa and Oakland; Chicago 1; Denver 1; and Idaho 2, including 1 fatal case. In addition, three cases at Los Angeles and 1 at Riverside, Calif., were reported to be polio but the Public Health Service had not yet been advised of them.

Dr. Scheele repeated his statement Wednesday that withdrawal of the Cutter vaccine from distribution does not imply there is any correlation between the vaccine and the occurrence of polio.

Effectiveness Told

"It cannot be expected," Scheele's statement said, "that vaccine would provide protection so soon after a first injection."

"According to the study of Dr. (Thomas) Francis, moreover, the Salk vaccine is 60-90 per cent effective after full immunization. Thus in any large group of children who have received the full course of immunization, it can be expected there will be some who will contract the disease."

"There is nothing unusual about the polio picture across the nation. It follows very closely to the five year median."

The spokesman, in relaying Dr. Scheele's reiteration of confidence in the Salk vaccine, said the surgeon general ruled against any comment at this time on:

What the investigation encompasses, how long it may take, whether batch numbers have been obtained for the vaccine used in the areas in which cases developed, and on progress being made.

However, a spokesman for the National Institutes of Health shed some light. He said that if it should turn out that the Cutter vaccine was involved in producing the disease — and "there is as yet no proof of this" — one of two mechanisms could be involved:

1. Either the vaccine accidentally contained some living polio virus, instead of being made up only of killed virus — or

2. Living virus may have been present in a dormant state in the children, and then the vaccination precipitated an active disease.

But he said it might also be true that the sickness of the children was a coincidence — that they may have already been actively infected at the time they were vaccinated.

INTERSECTION CRASH

Cars driven by Allen James Arnold, 2555 Cherry Ave., and Loomis O. Shewey of Portland crashed about 10 p. m. Thursday at Marion and Liberty streets, police reported. Nobody was injured beyond being shaken up, they said.

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## Capitol Open Mother's Day

The State Capitol will be open to public inspection on Sunday, May 8, which is Mother's Day.

The Capitol Guide Service will be on hand to greet visitors.

Beginning with Memorial Day May 30, the Capitol will be open every Sunday until Labor Day. This is the customary practice during the tourist season.

The Sunday hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## Rainmaker Blames Flood On Experiment

ALBUQUERQUE (U)—Dr. Irving Langmuir, who pioneered man's efforts to make it rain, said Thursday that rainmaking can be dangerous and experiments should be moved to the South Pacific.

Langmuir, a Nobel Prize winner and researcher for General Electric, said he personally believed the Kansas River floods in the Missouri Valley in July, 1951, in which 41 died, were caused by an armed forces experiment in rainmaking.

Langmuir headed the scientific staff of the experiment, project Cirrus, but said he was unable to prevail upon the military administrators of the project to stop seeding the clouds until it was too late.

A hurricane which struck Savannah, Ga., Oct. 17, 1947, doing five million dollars damage also may have been pushed into the city by man, Langmuir said in an interview.

He said the hurricane swerved 120 degrees from its course off the East Coast and slammed into the city after being seeded by an Air Force plane. Langmuir said chances against such a change sharp, natural course were 7,000 to 1.

Another possible ill effect of rainmaking, he said, is that it may create drought in one area while increasing rainfall in another.

Tests with a single silver iodide generator in New Mexico in 1948 increased rainfall in sections of the Southeastern United States 220 per cent, while the Southwest had its driest period in 30 years, he said.

The physicist said the girl is suffering from the nonparalytic type of polio and is coming along well. The doctor, who requested that his name not be used, said the girl may have had the polio virus prior to being inoculated.

He said she became ill six days after the serum was administered and the common incubation period is 14 days.

He also said she may have been exposed to the polio virus and the vaccine may not have been sufficient to build up the required antibodies to ward off the disease.

Dr. W. R. Giedt of the State Health Department said in Seattle that the vaccine used for the girl was supplied by Cutter Laboratories in Berkeley, Calif.

This was the first case reported in Washington where anyone became ill with the disease after being inoculated with the Salk vaccine.

Star Returns to Role After Taking Sleeping Tablets

BOSTON (U)—Actress Diana Barrymore, felled Wednesday night by an overdose of sleeping pills, returned to her role in the play "Pajama Tops" Thursday night.

Miss Barrymore, who was released from City Hospital Thursday morning after an overnight stay, told newsmen earlier she took the tablets to "calm my exhausted nerves."

Milwaukie Man Falls to Death

PORTLAND (U)—Leo Rossiter, 76, fell to his death Thursday at the Methodist home for the aged at Milwaukie, where he was a resident. Officials said Rossiter lost his balance and fell from a third floor balcony.

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## Gen. Collins Reports to Ike On Indochina

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WASHINGTON (U)—Gen. J. Lawton Collins reported to the White House Thursday on the critical Indochina outlook, only a few hours after open war broke out between the Viet Nam government and rebel forces in the streets of Saigon.

Collins, who is special ambassador to Indochina, is back here for consultations. He is understood to have told President Eisenhower and the National Security Council that future American policy toward non-Communist Indochina could be drastically affected by the outcome of the bloody fighting.

Collins is expected to start back to Indochina Friday.

Top American officials here reported hoping that loyal army forces of the American-backed Premier, Ngo Dinh, would succeed in crushing the attempted rebellion by an opposition group known as the Binh Xuyen.

Order Pending

These officials were obviously dismayed and surprised by the action of Emperor Bao Dai, from his home on the French Riviera in order Premier Diem to hurry to France for urgent consultations with him on the crisis. This move, it was feared, would weaken Diem's position.

No official word came either from the White House or the State Department about the two hour National Security Council session which Collins attended. But Collins is understood to have given an account of the far-reaching issues involved in the fighting.

A victory by Diem's loyal forces could be expected to reinforce American determination to continue backing him as ruler, despite any French opposition.

Decision Unnecessary

A military defeat at the hands of the rebels, on the other hand, would make it virtually unnecessary to decide whether to continue supporting Diem.

One of the critical factors in the outcome of the war, it was believed, was whether the French would secretly support the rebels with whom they have worked closely in the past.

Since Diem's is the legally recognized government, American officials were hoping French authorities would stand by earlier promises to continue logistic support to his forces.

The Binh Xuyen were reported to have only enough arms and ammunition for some three days of fighting. If they continued to last beyond this, there would be a strong presumption among American officials that they had been supplied by the French.

Graham Ends Crusade in Glasgow Hall

GLASGOW, Scotland (U)—Billy Graham preached the last sermon in his current crusade in Glasgow's Kelvin Hall Thursday night and promised he would be back again.

The American evangelist drew a record crowd of 25,000 persons for his service Thursday night. Only 19,000 persons were able to crowd into the vast auditorium, but another 6,000 stood in the streets outside and listened to his address over loudspeakers.

At the close of the meeting, a record number of 842 persons came forward to make "decisions for Christ."

Construction in Washington of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, to be the second largest church in the United States, will require 250,000 cubic feet of stone, 170,000 bags of cement and 25,000,000 bricks.

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"LAND OF FURY" with Jack Hawkins.

CAPITOL

"TIMBERJACK" with Sterling Hayden, Vera Ralston.

"THE ATOMIC KID" with Mickey Rooney and Elaine Davis.

GRAND

"THE SON OF DAVE CROCKETT" with Bill Elliott and Iris Meredith.

"THE SILVER STAR" with Edgar Buchanan.

NORTH SALEM DRIVE-IN

"THREE RING CIRCUS" with Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis.

"DESTROY" with Audie Murphy and Marjorie Main.

HOLLYWOOD

"DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE" with Spencer Tracy, Lana Turner, and Ingrid Bergman.

"RICOCHET ROMANCE" with Marjorie Main and Chill Wills.

Crying Widow Arraigned in Bomb Slaying

PORTLAND (U)—Mrs. Marjorie Smith, 35, sobbed throughout the proceedings as she and Victor Laurence Wolf, 45, were arraigned Thursday on charges of killing her husband with a bomb.

The comely brunette kept her face buried in a handkerchief most of the time, and did not once look at Wolf, who has told police they loved each other and planned to go away together after killing attorney Kermit Smith, 34, and collecting the \$21,000 insurance on his life.

Wolf glanced at her only once, then looked quickly away.

They were led separately before the judge's bench as the first-degree murder indictments were read. Neither entered a plea.

Mrs. Smith's attorney asked for more time, and Wolf said he had no money to hire an attorney. The court appointed two for him. One of them was Charles E. Raymond, for 10 years a prosecutor in the district attorney's office here until a change of administration this year.

Wolf has talked freely to police and reporters, telling them he planted the bomb in Smith's car last week after Mrs. Smith hatched the plot.

Mrs. Smith has been more sparing in talk. In her brief interviews she has denied any part in the killing. She said he loved her husband, considered Wolf a "repulsive old man," whom she knew only as a roamer in a house she owned and as a handyman about the Smith yard. Neighbors have told police it was obvious Wolf had a "crush" on her, but that they never saw her treat him in any way but as a hired worker.

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## Dutch Final Nation to Sign Paris Treaties

(Story also on page one.)

THE HAGUE, Netherlands (U)—Approval of the Paris treaties by the Dutch Senate Thursday cleared the way for West Germany's enrollment in a seven-nation Western European Union (WEU) and in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO).

The nations in the alliance all signed one or more of the four Paris agreements. Spelled out in more than 30,000 words, this is what they will do:

Restore sovereignty to West Germany after 16 years of allied occupation.

Permit allied troops to stay on there for the defense of Europe.

Create the WEU as the framework for West German rearmament. WEU will consist of the Brussels Pact nations—Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg—plus Italy and West Germany.

Admit West Germany into NATO as the 15th member.

Give WEU political control of the Saar, a border state disputed between the French and Germans, until a German peace treaty is signed.

The process of depositing all the treaties is expected to be completed before the Paris meetings. After being formally welcomed into the Western family, West Germany will have "the full authority of a sovereign state over its internal and external affairs," with only a few strings attached until a peace treaty is signed for a reunited Germany.

In going about building up the armed forces, German and allied military experts figure it will take at least three years to bring them to combat readiness.

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NOTICE HEREBY IS GIVEN that the Common Council of the City of Salem, Oregon, deems it necessary and expedient and hereby declares its purpose and intention to improve West Vista Avenue, from Polk Street to the westerly terminus of West Vista Avenue, in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, by bringing said portion of said street to the established grade, providing drainage, constructing concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street with a 2 1/2 inch asphaltic concrete pavement 24 feet wide, at the expense of the abutting and adjacent property owners, except the street and alley improvements which expense will be assumed by the City of Salem, all in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor which were adopted by the Common Council April 11, 1953, which are now on file in the office of the city recorder and which by reference thereto are made a part hereof. These plans and specifications may be examined by any interested party. Any interested party who may ascertain their approximate share of the cost of making the improvement at the office of the city engineer. The