

## Dulles Praises Red Army Cut, But Warns Inspection Needed

By EDMOND LEBRETON  
WASHINGTON — Secretary of State Dulles Tuesday welcomed the reported Soviet decision to trim the Red armed forces but said the United States still feels that effective inspection is the key to real international disarmament.

At present, he said, there is no real way to measure the effect of the 640,000-man cut the Soviets say they are making.

But he added: "So far as we

are aware this would be the first significant reduction in the number of Soviet armed manpower in the past eight years."

He told his news conference the Soviets have given no information on the total strength of their forces and reserves or the weapons they have.

However, he said the cut would still leave Soviet standing forces "much larger than those of the United States" and the U. S. S. R. also will continue to have "very large organized reserves of men and equipment capable of being mobilized rapidly."

Dulles said the United States has been able to make a similar cut during the past two years, from 3,500,000 men to 2,900,000. He implied this could be done without reducing overall military effectiveness because more modern weapons have become available.

"These factors indicate why full information regarding armed forces and effective inspection to verify the facts are necessary for any meaningful and effective approach to the problem of international control and reduction of armament," Dulles said.

At the Big Four conference in Geneva last month, President Eisenhower suggested the United States and Russia allow aerial inspection of each other's military installations.

The Russians said later they'd think about it.

Dulles said the United States would first study the problem of setting up an inspection system before making any proposal on disarmament to the United Nations disarmament subcommittee.

## South Koreans Stone Yank Army Officer

SEOUL — Riotous South Korean demonstrators stoned five U. S. Army vehicles at the Wolmi Island causeway in Inchon harbor Wednesday and one stone hit an American Army officer in the head.

The officer, 2nd Lt. Wayne N. Hanson, Augusta, Ga., was taken to a nearby hospital.

First reports said the injury was not serious.

AP photographer George Sweets, who was on Wolmi Island, said the Koreans blocked the causeway with four trucks. U. S. guards turned fire hoses and tear gas on the demonstrators. The Koreans fought back with a barrage of stones.

An Army spokesman said flying stones crashed two windows of an ambulance which sped onto the causeway to pick up the injured officer.

The situation was reported still tense more than an hour after the incident.

It was the latest flareup of violence in 12 days of demonstrations against Communist Czech and Polish troops inspectors, whom the South Koreans say are spies.

Wolmi Island is a base for U. S. troops, which also include Swedes and Swiss.

The U. S. 8th Army is guarding the truce team, stationed at five ports of entry.

## Hoover Says Demos Have Smeared Him

WASHINGTON — Former President Herbert Hoover Tuesday accused Democrats of "an infamous smear" against his commission on reorganization of government.

The Democratic charges that Hoover had "stacked" the commission's task forces in an effort to "turn back the clock" of government policy also brought replies from three Republican senators. They said the charges indicate the Democrats are "running against Hoover again."

Hoover himself said:

"Someone ignorant of the whole workings of the commission on organization of the executive branch of the government, of which I was chairman, has issued an infamous smear on the commission in the name of the Democratic National Committee."

The charges appeared Monday in the current edition of the Democratic Digest, official monthly publication of the Democratic National Committee.

"The statement implies that the commission was politically partisan, that I stacked the task forces, especially that on water power, and that the President does not approve of the work of the commission," Hoover added. He is in Palo Alto, Calif., but his statement was issued here through Neil McNeil, the commission's editorial director.

Hoover asserted the commission "never divided upon political grounds," and that all members, including the Democrats, certified when the life of the commission expired this summer that "my work was fairly and patiently conducted."

## George Baker Succumbs to Heart Attack

George Baker, 55, an employee of the State Industrial Accident Commission for some nine years, died Tuesday morning at a Portland hospital after suffering a heart attack. He had undergone surgery on Monday.

A late resident of 1405 N. 24th St., Baker had been in failing health for some time. He and his family came to Salem in 1945 and shortly after that he took the position with the Industrial Accident Commission.

He was born in Lincoln, Neb., May 28, 1900, and resided in Lincoln prior to coming to Salem. Baker was a member of Pacific Masonic Lodge No. 50 and the First Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Henrietta Baker, Salem; a daughter, Janice, Madison, Wis.; a son, Harold Baker, with the U. S. Navy at Whidbey Island, Wash.; and two grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Virgil T. Golden Mortuary.

## Surveyors Get Bill for Crop Damage

A Silverton area woman, Mrs. Althea Meyer, wants \$45 from Marion County for damages she says were caused by county surveyors who "trampled and damaged" her barley crop.

In a letter to the court Tuesday the woman said the surveyors entered her property without verbal or written permission on two separate occasions.

Surveyors were working in the area north of Evergreen School in connection with the realignment of the county road from the school to Silverton.

The county court requested Engineer John Anderson to investigate the matter and determine damage done to the crop. Anderson reported that survey work in grain fields, hereafter, will be held off until after harvest.

CAR KILLS MAN  
ROSEBURG — Merritt A. Dilley, 66, of Corvallis was killed outright Tuesday when struck by an automobile as he was walking down a highway.

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## City Council Of Woodburn Sets Salaries

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WOODBURN — The Woodburn City Council Tuesday night set salaries for city officials for the coming year. Temporary raises were approved for five positions.

Raises approved included marshal, from \$225 to \$250 per month; deputy marshal from \$275 to \$290; fire chief from \$300 to \$310; two paid firemen from \$275 each per month to \$285; street department assistant from \$275 to \$285.

The council voted to offer the Southern Pacific railroad \$200 for its well pump house and pump located on railroad property in the heart of the city. The action was taken to augment the city's water system.

Mayor T. L. Workman was authorized to make a request of the State Public Utilities Commission that train speeds be restricted to 45 in the city limits. The council also accepted a bid from the P. A. Bernards Chevrolet Co. for a new police car. The bid was \$800 in addition to trade-in.

Other salaries set by the council for the coming year included: mayor and councilmen, \$1.50 per meeting; recorder, \$325 per month; treasurer, \$50 per month; city attorney, \$60 per month plus extra for extra services; health officer, \$85 per year; auditor, \$50 per month; street commissioner, \$325 per month; water superintendent, \$350 per month; water assistant, \$290 per month; meter reader, \$36 per month.

## Services for Mrs. Hansen Due Today

Funeral services will be held at Clough-Barrick Chapel at 1:30 p.m. today for Mrs. Grace W. Hansen, 77, a native and lifelong resident of Marion County. She died Sunday at a Salem hospital.

Ill for a long while, Mrs. Hansen had lived at 562 Mill St. She was born at Buena Vista in 1878 and had resided in Salem for the past 55 years. She was married to A. M. Hansen in 1902 and he survives her.

Mrs. Hansen was a member of the First Christian Church and the Knights of Pythias ladies organization.

Surviving in addition to the widower are a sister, Mrs. Addie J. Fritz, Turner; and two nephews, Capt. Wallace Howe, Washington, D. C.; and Claude Whiteman, Portland.

The Rev. Wayne Green will officiate at the services and private concluding services will follow at Mt. Crest Abbey Mausoleum.

## Salem Firemen Control Blaze After Ten Days

A stubborn, smoldering sawdust and trash fire at a former West Salem lumber yard apparently was under control Tuesday after a 10-day's battle, firemen reported.

A bulldozer was thrown into the fight Monday against the fire, located at the former site of the West Salem Lumber Co., Wallace and Tabin Roads. In the past 10 days the fire had broken out sporadically and required the services of equipment and men from both the West Salem and Central stations.

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## Princess Has Birthday



LONDON—Doll in one hand and rose in the other, dimpled Princess Anne poses for portrait in advance of her fifth birthday anniversary recently. The princess wore a pink linen dress. The picture was taken by Marcus Adams, frequent photographer of the British royal family. (AP Wirephoto.)

## Cake Accused In Operation Of Mill Plant

PORTLAND — State Rep. Richard Groener, a Milwaukie Democrat, Tuesday accused Ralph Cake of Portland of using "influence" in operating a lumber mill on national forest land.

Cake, former Oregon Republican national committeeman, said it was not so. "I have never sought to exercise improper influence on any government agency in connection with its (the mill's) operation," Cake said. "This attack is a new low in political maneuvering," he added.

The mill in question is on national forest land 26 miles east of Estacada. "If Cake is allowed to operate in the national forest, then any other operator should be allowed to set up a mill on the same terms," Groener said.

He added that the mill originally was set up by a special permit on a \$2-an-acre lease arrangement for the purpose of cutting salvage timber. Groener said that the mill, known as Acme Co., recently purchased a tract which included some green timber as well as salvage.

## WORKER PERISHES

SWEET HOME — An accident in the Santiam Lumber Co. plant here Tuesday claimed the life of T. Harold Hermans, 48, of Sweet Home.



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## Air Fair to Honor Pioneer Of Salem Aviation Sept. 18

A man who pioneered aviation in the Salem area will be honored when the annual Salem Air Fair is held at McNary Field Sunday, Sept. 18.

Officials of the sponsoring Salem Optimist Club, in announcing date of the fair Tuesday, said this year's event will be called Lee Eyerly Day. Eyerly is believed to have been the first person in this sector to build and own a plane and was first superintendent of the Salem Airport. Some 35 years of his life was spent in furthering aviation in this area and the state.

Presentation Due  
Tentative plans call for Eyerly

to receive a presentation from Gov. Paul Patterson during the program. Optimist officials said plans include a fly-in of some 150 private planes from Oregon, Washington and Idaho. Invitations have been made to the armed forces to put planes on display.

Last year's air fair, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, drew approximately 10,000 persons. Optimist officials hope to jump the figure to 15,000 for the coming event.

Crop Dusting  
Among features of the 1955 fair will be demonstrations of safety in flying, crop-dusting operations and use of parachutes in dropping equipment. Those in attendance will find airplane rides available and children will be given free air kits, according to tentative planning.

Walter Hartley heads the Optimist Club's fair committee. Other members include Al Pfeiffer, Lee Stewart, Russ Barker, Paul Everett, Wes Goodrich, Charles Terry,

Clare Kruse, Ed Savage, Fred Russell and Jack McConville. Earl Snyder, director of the State Board of Aeronautics, is chairman of a fair advisory board. Other members: Charles Barclay, airport superintendent; George Kreitzberg, flying service operator; Lt. Cmdr. Neal Bryant, Naval Air Reserve Facility; William Garrett, commander in the Civil Air Patrol; Chief Robert Elliott, Naval recruiting service; and Hal Sweeney, United Air Lines manager in Salem.

## Sky Glow Laid To City's Dump

A glow southeast of the city Tuesday night resulted in numerous calls to the Statesman and City Hall switchboard asking if it was a fire.

But the glow apparently came from the city dump in the Macleay area, said state police and the sheriff's office. At least they had no reports of any damaging fire.

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