Truman to Stump For Nomination of Liberal Candidate

By JACK BELL

CHICAGO (AP) —Former President Harry S. Truman said Sunday he intends to work in the next few months for the nomination by the Democrats next year of a "liberal and progressive" presidential candidate.

Although he continued publicly to maintain neutrality in the contest for the party's 1956 nomination, Truman said--perhaps significantly --that Adlai E. Stevenson "made the best New Deal speech I ever heard him make" before a Democratic rally here Saturday night.

Truman voiced these views in an interview as Gov. Averell Harriman of New York told a news conference that to him "there is no such word as 'moderate' in the Democratic Party".

"Are we 'moderately' for the farmer"? No, we are for him all the way."

Harriman Agrees

Harriman, who kept open the door of his own availability for the 1956 nomination, said he agrees with Truman that the Democrats can't win if they desert what both called a "liberal" viewpoint.

The New York governor made it clear that he intends to make his weight felt when the time for drafting of a Democratic platform comes next summer.

"We in New York are going to have something to say about the direction the party takes and the issues it makes," he asserted.

Stevenson, thus far the only announced candidate for the nomination he held in 1952, told a nationally-televised party dinner here Saturday night that he agrees "moderation is the spirit of the times."

Fields Listed

But he said it must not be confused with stagnation.

He went on to list farm, school, health, social security, labor and civil rights as fields in which the government must seek progress.

This evidently pleased Truman, who beamed alike on Stevenson, Harriman and Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee, who may throw his hat in the ring for the nomination race next month.

Truman, who previously had said he favored Stevenson, explained that he was maintaining neutrality now in the intra-party contest because he regards it as his duty to do everything he can to try to unify the Democrats.

He made it clear, however, that he doesn't believe in unity obtained at the price of a compromise which would steer the Democrats on a "conservative" course. He was firm in the contention they must bear a "liberal" label if they are to win the presidency in 1956.

Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas, the Senate Democratic leader, has been telling party visitors to his Texas ranch he favors adoption of a "moderate" platform next year--presumably one that would not alienate Southern conservatives and stir new civil rights controversy.

U.S. Solons In England to See Commons

LONDON (AP)—Seven U. S. Congressmen, led by Sen. Mike Mansfield (D-Mont) flew here Sunday to watch the House of Commons work.

"We will study legislative processes in London, and we should like to have a word with Prime Minister Eden and Foreign Secretary Arold MacMillan," Mansfield said.

The Americans are guests here of the British section of the Inter-Parliamentary Union. Accompanying Mansfield were Sens. Frederick G. Payne (R-Maine), J. Allen Frear Jr. (D-Del) and Carl T. Curtis (R-Neb) and Reps. Homer Thornberry (D-Tex), Frank Ikard (D-Tex), and Patrick J. Hillings (R-Calif). They were met at the airport by Rep. William H. Ayres (R-Ohio) who has been in Switzerland.

Symphony to Offer Music To Swimmers

WASHINGTON (AP)—The national symphony orchestra will offer free music to the youngsters who swim into the national capital next spring —the height of the tourist season.

There will be afternoon and evening concerts given daily from April 27 through May 31. Out-of-town public, private and parochial schools have been invited to write in for free tickets.

The project, called "music for young America," is being underwritten by Mrs. Merriweather Post. After next spring the students will be asked to pay for tickets at an estimated cost of 82 cents each.

Early Northwest Newsman Dies Of Heart Attack

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — Robert A. Glen, who became a newspaperman in the Northwest nearly 75 years ago, succumbed to a heart attack at his home in Berkeley Saturday night. He was 89 years old.

Glen began his professional career on The Portland Oregonian as a printer. He soon became telegraph editor of the Oregonian.

He later went to The Spokane, Wash., Review as wire editor. The Review later was consolidated with The Spokesman to become The Spokesman-Review. When Glen retired as news editor of the paper in 1936 he had worked the night shift for 52 years.

Ike's Grandson Poster Subject

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — President Eisenhower's grandson, Dwight David II, appears in a poster-type drawing copies of which are being distributed widely by the Ohio Highway Safety Department for use in connection with Safe Driving (SD) Day, Dec. 1.

Safety director U. C. Felty said copies of the drawing, depicting young Dwight driving a "soap-box" auto, are being sent to 419 television stations around the country. The 8 x 12 drawing carries the inscription,

"Grampa says we should make EVERY day Safe Driving Day."

Felty said J. W. Bethea, executive director of the President's committee on traffic safety, obtained permission for use of Eisenhower's grandson as the subject of the drawing.

SLAVS TO GET RICE

BELGRADE (AP)— An official broadcast reports Burma has promised to give Yugoslavia 20,000 tons of rice out of its exportable surplus. The radio pointed out that President Tito presented Burma military equipment for a brigade on his official visit there ten months ago.

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Nixon Urges Road Safety During Year

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President Nixon, in a statement on traffic safety, Sunday urged all citizens to "walk safely and drive safely 365 days of the year."

Nixon's statement was in connection with the start of a three-week tally of traffic deaths through out the United States for the second annual S-D Day — Safe Driving Day — observance Dec. 1.

"Thursday, Dec. 1, does not mean that we try to drive safely that day alone," Nixon said. "It should mean to all of us that we will not only avoid accidents on that day, but that we will try to avoid them every day."

President Eisenhower's committee for traffic safety, sponsoring the campaign, said the purpose of the three-week scorekeeping is to measure the success of S-D Day by comparing traffic fatalities for:

1. Thursday, Dec. 1, as against the corresponding Thursday last December, when 81 persons were fatally injured,

2. The three-week period of which S-D Day is the mid-point—Nov. 21 to Dec. 11—as against the corresponding three weeks in 1954, when the toll was 2,144.

Rear Adm. H. B. Miller (U.S.N., Ret), director of the President's committee, said S-D Day has two basic purposes:

"The first is 24 hours without a traffic accident. The second is stimulation of year-around public support for proven, year-around programs of traffic safety." He said:

"A weekday — Thursday — was chosen for S-D Day to emphasize that lives are lost every day, and not just on weekends and holidays when the death and injury toll is heaviest. Thus, the purpose is to emphasize to motorists and pedestrians that safety is a necessity every day, not only during holiday periods."

Riots Injure 100 in India

BOMBAY, India (AP) —About 100 persons were injured Sunday in rioting over a government proposal to make Bombay city a separate state.

Some 45 per cent of the city's three million population are Marathi-speaking people who want to be included in the proposed neighboring Marathi state.

Communists and Socialists, who support the Marathi claim, tried to break up a public meeting of about 200,000 staged in support of the proposal by Prime Minister Nehru's Congress Party.

Hoodlums threw stones, kerosene bottles and old shoes and broke electric light bulbs in an effort to break up the meeting. They wrecked chairs and set them afire A shoe hit Chief Minister Morarji Dsai.

But police arrested 200 of the demonstrators and the meeting went on.

The disorders Sunday followed up a demonstration by leftists over the issue Friday in which 10 persons were injured and more than 500 were arrested.

The Communist and fellow travelers called a one-day general strik for Monday and threatened to lead a march of a half million people on the State Legislature in defiance of a ban on processions.

The Communists are believed to have timed the trouble for the visit of Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin and the Soviet Communist Party bos, Nikita S. Khrushchev ,to India. The two are due in Bombay Wednesday.

Home of British Engineer Bombed On Cyprus Isle

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP)—Cypriot terrorists continued their bombing "war" against Britons Sunday. A grenade was thrown at the house of Robert Ashe, garrison engineer at Famagusta, while he and his family were inside. The explosion shattered windows but caused no casualties. A woman who was passing the house at the time was detained for questioning.

The British army announced, meanwhile, that 100 Cypriot Greeks, held prisoner at Kyrenia castle, 16 miles north of Nicosia, were moved under heavy guard early Sunday to a new camp at Kokkini Trimithia, west of Nicosia. Many of the prisoners rioted at the castle last Sunday and were rounded up by troops and police after breaking down their cell doors and streaming into the courtyard.

Jewish Youth Center Established in France

PARIS (AP)— Dr. Jacob Tsur, Israeli ambassador to France, Sunday inaugurated a community center for Jewish youth, the first one in France set up in the American pattern.

The four-story building, not far from the Opera theater, houses meeting rooms, game rooms, class rooms and a snack bar. It was purchased with a special grant from the Ford Foundation.

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Monday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

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2 A	32 In	62 Approval
3 Old	33 Give	63 You
4 Stimulating	34 Sick	64 Of
5 Your	35 Could	65 And
6 Morning	36 Aim	66 Slow
7 Your	37 Approach	67 Today
8 Watch	38 There	68 Evening
9 Harmony	39 Especially	69 Moon
10 Have	40 Friends	70 The
11 The	41 Meet	71 The
12 Visit	42 Personality	72 Today
13 Personal	43 The	73 Afternoon
14 Day	44 You	74 And
15 Slow	45 Be	75 Obstacles
16 Should	46 And	76 Evening
17 Diet	47 For	77 Excitable
18 Loves	48 Wins	78 Asking
19 Ideas	49 For	79 Best
20 Bright	50 Refrain	80 Disturbing
21 Patience	51 With	81 Sea
22 Aspects	52 Gains	82 New
23 The	53 Face	83 Ideas
24 Desire	54 Pep	84 Friends
25 Don't	55 Hours	85 Ones
26 Steady	56 Fulfilled	86 Foods
27 Be	57 Afflicted	87 The
28 Carefully	58 The	88 For
29 Old	59 In	89 End
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CANCER JUNE 23 - JULY 23: 4-22-33-44 54-65-80-83

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Ex-Tractor Tycoon Ready To Unveil New Model Car

LONDON (AP)—Something's cooking down in Stow-On-The-Wold, the sleepy English village where a millionaire genius named Harry Ferguson is plotting revolution.

Ferguson is the former tractor tycoon who pocketed 9¼ million dollars from the Ford Motor Co., in a patent infringement action.

For two years now he's been putting his mind and his millions to what his aides have called "a completely new system of motor transport — something that will revolutionize transportation."

Until Sunday only rumors came out of Ferguson's hideout — travelers' tales of weird-looking vehicles flashing down west country lanes at night, talk of a "people's car," to be sold for peanuts, or of a fantastic new engine that uses no gears and less fuel.

Now Ready

Now, it seems, Ferguson is ready to put his brainchild before the world. A statement Sunday from his mansion home announced he has completed "the entire range of Ferguson inventions" and is ready to demonstrate them "in actual prototype vehicles ready for production."

"British manufacturers," the statement said "will be given the first opportunity to make them."

So far Ferguson, 71, has shown off his new baby only to a handful of men in high places. Among them were the Duke of Edinburgh and top industralists.

Full Approval

Signs are that the British government is intensely interested.

Sir Miles Thomas, dynamic chief of the state-owned British Overseas Airways Corp. (BOAC) has joined the Ferguson outfit as a director. A BOAC announcement said Thomas, an old hand in the motor industry, takes on his added responsibilities with full approval of the transport ministry.

Government interest apparently springs from two sources:

1. Britain is jealous of the success of Germany's Volkswagen car in lucrative export markets.

2. NATO authorities are reported eager to standardize their military vehicles used by European armies — and Britain would like standardization on a British model.

'Best of All'

Thomas, on joining Ferguson, said he had seen Ferguson prototypes in competition with "the best that Germany, Italy, Australia, America or indeed any country has produced."

He was reported "convinced that the Ferguson car can outstrip them all, not only on roads, but in sand, mud, snow and ice."

Ferguson's aides likewise are convinced they are on a winner. Said J. M. Thompson, managing director of one of the Ferguson organizations:

"It is not just a car which Mr. Ferguson and his company has produced, but a new principle on which all road vehicles, cars and trucks, will be manufactured in the future."

Realtor Sends 1,081 Turkeys To Friends

NEW YORK (AP)—A prominent New York City realtor shipped 1,081 turkeys Sunday via parcel post to friends throughout the world. They average 20 pounds each.

Charles F. Noyes began the custom back in 1924 with a dozen turkeys and has added to the list each year.

"It's just a good will gesture, nothing else," he explained.

Among those who will receive the free turkeys this year are President Eisenhower, former Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, novelist Fannie Hurst, President Walter O'Malley of the Brooklyn Dodgers and Gov. Averell Harriman of New York.

"I have friends in practically every state who are getting them," said 77-year-old Noyes. "Others are being sent to Cuba, Mexico and South America."

For the first time since starting the custom, Noyes personally supervised shipment of 850 of the birds from the New York post office today. The rest went out from Norwich, Conn.

Rotterdam Sets Shipping Record

ROTTERDAM, Netherlands (AP) —Rotterdam and "the new water way" set a couple of annual records for shipping Sunday.

The 20,263rd ship this year entered the new water way that connects Rotterdam, Dordrecht, Vlaardingen and Schiedam with the North Sea. The previous record was set in 1926 when 20,262 ships entered the water way.

The 18,000th ship this year entered Rotterdam harbor, a new high for the port.

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Court Martial Starts Today For Colonel

FT. LEWIS (AP)—A court martial starts here Monday for Lt. Col. Paul V. Liles, the first West Point Military Academy graduate to be charged with collaboration with the enemy while a war prisoner in Korea.

Liles, 39-year-old Birmingham, Ala., career soldier, said he would plead innocent.

Released from a North Korean prisoner of war camp more than two years ago, Liles said in an interview he was "glad to see the trial come" so he would have a chance to explain incidents that happened five years ago.

Liles, now a special service officer at Ft. Lewis, was captured by the Chinese Communists Oct. 28, 1950.

Liles said the Army accused him of advising prisoners to give military information to the enemy to avoid being starved, and of taking part in Communist indoctrination and propaganda programs and making disloyal statements.

The Army trial will be before a board of 12 officers. About 80 witnesses are scheduled to testify in the trial, which is expected to last four weeks.

25 Families Flee Blaze in Brooklyn

NEW YORK (AP) — About 25 families fled to safety early Sunday when a five-alarm fire swept through eight frame tenement buildings in Brooklyn.

Several firemen suffered minor injuries but none of the residents was hurt. The fire was brought under control in an hour and a half.

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Eastvold Force Holds Governor Rally in Seattle

SEATTLE (AP) — Eastvold-for-governor forces held a statewide rally Sunday. More than 160 persons from around the state attended.

Attorney General Don Eastvold told the gathering he is in the fight all the way for the Republican gubernatorial nomination in 1956.

Floyd C. Oles, Tacoma, said Eastvold-for-governor clubs have been formed in 29 of the state's 39 counties.

Oles also disclosed formation of a "Hundred Thousand Club" for Eastvold, at which each member will be asked to contribute $1 to the campaign. Oles said headquarters for the group would be established in Tacoma Monday.

7-Nation Transport Conference Held

ROME (AP)— A 7-nation conference of transport delegates from both sides of the Iron Curtain ended this weekend with a declaration that their sessions had "an atmosphere of sincere collaboration and frank talk." They were concerned with the future of Trieste port, and the visiting delegates agreed Italy should reduce charges to boost traffic from their countries: Austria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Switzerland, Yugoslavia and West Germany.

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