Turncoat

ter LIN — Otto John has re-turned from Communist East Germany, the government an-nounced in Bonn Tuesday. John, who fled to East Ger-many 16 months ago, has given himself up to West Germany's security police, the announce-ment said, adding that he is now being interrogated by the prosecutor of the German su-preme court. (AP Wirephote.)

Dr. Otto John

Back on Side

Of West Again

By GEORGE BOULTWOOD

munist camp to this West German

The former chief spy catcher of West Germany was brought to a house on a quiet side street is Bonn which is headquarters of the

Special Security section of the Federal Criminal Police, after slipping into West Berlin Monday,

There he was grilled by federal

attorneys who have been investi

gating his desertion ever since he

furtively drove into Communist East Berlin on July 20, 1954, and

announced he was there to stay

Officially branded a tratitor b

the Western German governmen

the tall blonde, 46-year-old former

security chief apparently made

carefully organized escape from

his Communists hosts in Berlin. Sources there said he had been lanning his flight for some time

He made contact with friends in the western part of the city, let his home in Potsdam and slipped into West Berlin. There the friend

rushed him aboard an America

It was revealed in London th

his wife left her home there tw

or three days ago, presumably keep a rendezvous with John i This made John a turncoat three

and escaped to Spain. He mad his way to Britain where he work

West Germany and was appointe

chief of the federal counteres

pionage organization early in 1950 Four years later he went over to the Communists and now he hadeserted them.

Not until he was in the hands of the Security Police in West Germany did Chancellor Konrad

ed for British Intelligence. After the war, he returned

Kept Rendezvous

capital where he formerly wa

chief of counterintelligence.

BONN, Germany & - Dr. Otto John, a triple turncoat, has come back from 16 months in the Com-

Dixon-Yates Repudiation

f Claims.
This is the firm with which the isenhower administration, at the ehest of the President; signed a ract to supply private power the Tennessee Valley Authority rea. The administration defended e contract for months, in the face Democratic charges that quesionable or illegal maneuvers were

Finally the administration repudiated the contract, agreeing in effect with the Democratic charges hat New York financier Adolphe enzell had sat on both sides of table in talks leading up to e contract. He was a budget ureau adviser and also vice presiient of the Boston Corp., which ecame financial agent for the

But Dixon-Yates interests took issue with the government contention that Wenzell's role represented a "conflict of interests." Acting through their Mississippi alley Generating Co., they asked \$3,534,778 for expenses incurred in getting ready to build the 107 million dollar private power plant at West Memphis, Ark.

The Dixon-Yates contract has been a raging controversy since President Eisenhower, in the spring f 1954, personally ordered the

Middle Southern Utilities, Inc., I which Dixon is president, and he Southern Co., of which E. A. lates is chairman, set up Mississippi Valley to build the big power lant on the edge of the Tennessee alley Authority's territory. It was e feed energy into the TVA sysem to replace power diverted to elled July 11, 1955. This was after own power plant rather than take on-Yates energy. The Atomic

The commission attorney said enzell, "while having a conflictg private interest, acted as one the principal advisors to the overnment in the negotiation of the contract." Eisenhower has been criticized for having defend-Wenzell's role in the negoti-

Moscow Radio Reports Soviet Forces Reduced

ported Monday that the reduction of Soviet armed forces by 640,000 men —promised in August — has now been completed.

ose of the troop cut was to aid the Kremlin's big drive to increase oviet agricultural output. The exliers have been "transferred to iculture," the radio reported. The original announcement said lose being demobilized would re-

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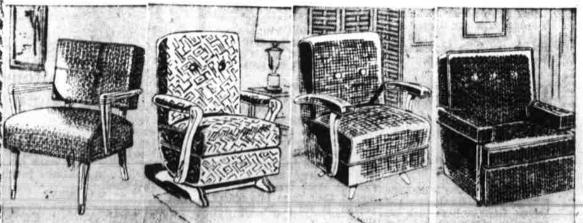
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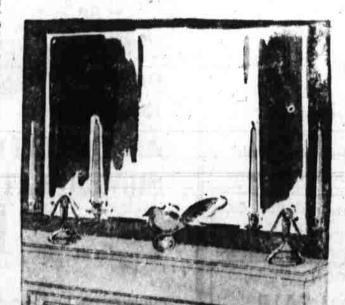
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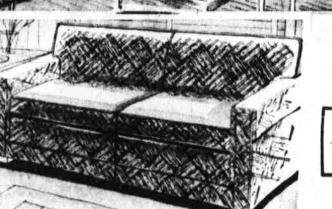
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