

# Reds Stalling At Geneva, Dulles Says

## Secretary Curtails Travel Program

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Dulles said Tuesday the Communists were dragging their feet on peace negotiations at Geneva while intensifying their war effort in Indochina. He said this gives the lie to their talk of loving peace.

Dulles told a news conference he thought developments in the discussions at Geneva, on both Korea and Indochina, might come to a head in the near future.

For that reason, he said, he has arranged to spend a minimum amount of time away from Washington on a Western speaking trip beginning Wednesday and may have to further curtail his travel program.

### NO PRESENT PLANS

Dulles told reporters the administration has no present plans for asking Congress for authority to intervene in Southeast Asia.

He said the reaction to the Eisenhower administration's call for a united front of Allied nations has not reached the point of general acceptance that would make an appeal to Congress a matter of practical politics.

The United States, he said emphatically, has no intention of dealing with this problem single-handedly—unless the Chinese Communists launch a new military aggression.

Dulles also said on other matters:

1. During the past six months there have been more high level defections from the Soviet Union than ever before in Soviet history. He declined to amplify this comment in any way.

### TRIESTE PROBLEM

2. Very considerable progress, in Dulles' opinion, has been made on narrowing differences between Italy and Yugoslavia over Trieste, in the course of negotiations under way at London.

3. The United States favors a special meeting of the American Republics' foreign ministers to consider measures to deal with the Guatemalan situation in which the Red-tinged government received arms from Communist Europe. But Dulles said the government is delaying a final decision on what it will do until it hears from other American governments.

### Landscape Student Awarded Certificate

Edmund T. Ames, Eugene, has received the certificate of merit of the American Society of Landscape Architects at the school of architecture and allied arts at the University of Oregon.

The certificate is presented in recognition of high scholarship and design ability, and is presented upon recommendation of the faculty in landscape architecture and the dean of the school, Sidney W. Little, who made the presentation.

Ames is a fifth-year student in landscape architecture. He is a graduate of Washington High School in Portland.



**COMMUNIST HOOPLA**—Female members of the Communist Free German Youth (FDJ) swing hoops as they march into Walter Ulbricht stadium in East Berlin to attend a rally described by Communist leaders as a mass protest against the European Defense Community and a call for conclusion of a peace treaty with Germany. More than 500,000 youths, including at least 15,000 from West Germany, attended the rally.

# Californians Cast Primary Ballots

By UNITED PRESS

Attorney General Leo Hoegh won a six man race for the Iowa Republican nomination for governor on a "dry" platform as primary elections got under way in California and South Carolina Tuesday.

The battle for the Democratic nomination in California's 28th congressional district held the major interest. There James Roosevelt was fighting for a congressional seat despite his widely publicized marital troubles.

### GUBERNATORIAL RACE

In South Carolina, Lt. Gov. George Bell Timmerman and insurance executive Lester L. Bates fought it out for the Democratic nomination for governor, tantamount to election. A record vote was expected.

Hoegh won a solid victory with a campaign against illegal liquor sales in the dry state of Iowa Monday. Hard liquor can only be sold in state package stores in Iowa.

Trailing were former Lt. Gov. William H. Nicholas with 39,107 votes, State Rep. Ernest Palmer with 30,210 former Des Moines Mayor A. B. Chambers with 28,210.

### COLORFUL BATTLES

Democratic Sen. Guy M. Gillette won unopposed nomination, as did his GOP opponent, Rep. Thomas E. Martin. Six incumbent Republican congressmen were unopposed and Rep. H. R. Gross won renomination.

The California races featured a number of colorful battles, headed by Roosevelt's congressional bid. They were also complicated by the State's cross filing system.

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# Rhee Says U.S. Wasting Funds

## Wants to Take Over Rebuilding Program

SEOUL (AP)—President Syngman Rhee Tuesday accused the United States of wasting Korean aid funds on "unnecessary administrative expenses" and proposed that he take over the U. S. financed rebuilding program.

Rhee said the ruins of Korean factories "stand gauntly for anyone to see, with few signs of reconstruction or rehabilitation despite the millions of dollars that supposedly were earmarked for that purpose."

"China received billions of dollars worth of goods and materials, but most of it was wasted," Rhee declared in an interview. "Whoever may have been responsible, we do not want Korea criticized as China was."

### ASKS DOLLAR CREDITS

The ROK President suggested that the United States "grant dollar credits to the Republic of Korea, as has been done in the past with France and Great Britain, supply a small staff of financial and procurement advisers and provide for strict accountability."

"We want to make sure that every dollar is spent honestly . . ." Rhee declared.

Informed of Rhee's criticism, a highly placed U. S. official said he was mystified by recent statements of South Korean government officials attacking the aid program.

He said joint approval of expenditures for all aid measures is required by law and the South Koreans have approved all major projects.

### "MAKE HASTE SLOWLY"

"The hardest job we have had here is to make haste slowly and try to advise Korea to spend the money wisely," he said. "They expect factories to spring up overnight."

Rhee said the United States and South Korea should withdraw immediately from the Geneva conference.

"The world knows that we never had the slightest hope that the Communists would consent to the unification of Korea at Geneva or at any other conference," he declared. "That was why we opposed the truce and why we continue to insist that all negotiations with the Communists are futile at best and dangerous at the worst."

### REGISTER-GUARD WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

Democratic Rep. Robert L. Condon, who was barred from atomic tests on security grounds, faced a stiffer fight in the sixth district. His main opponent, John F. Baldwin, almost beat him two years ago and the Democratic committee has dealt Condon the same refusal of support it gave Roosevelt.

Interest also centered on the fight between Republican Sen. Thomas H. Kuchel and his Democratic opponent, Rep. Samuel Yorty. Kuchel was appointed to fill the post vacated by Vice President Richard Nixon and the last two years of Nixon's term are now at stake.

Yorty has charged that Kuchel forces "smeared" him with attempts to link him with Communism. Kuchel accused Yorty of sending franked copies of a campaign speech to more than four million voters, costing the government about \$119,000.

### STUDENTS VISIT CAPITOL

SALEM (AP)—Twenty-seven Georgia high school students on a 30-day tour of 23 states, visited Oregon's Capitol here Monday.

# Couple Married After 50 Years Of Separation

VANCOUVER, B.C. (AP)—A 72-year-old Philadelphia woman, cheated of romance in England 50 years ago by a stern father, sailed for New Zealand Tuesday as the bride of the ex-farmland her father forbade her to love.

John Edgecombe of New Zealand, a 70-year-old wealthy dairy farmer, married Prudence Coker Monday in a civil ceremony here shortly after they arrived from opposite sides of the globe.

Their romance started on a Devonshire, England, farm. Miss Coker's father ordered Edgecombe to leave the farm. Edgecombe prospered in New Zealand. Miss Coker went to Philadelphia.

Edgecombe, whose first wife died in 1932, learned Miss Coker's address last January and proposed after a short exchange of letters. They met here for the first time since 1904.

# Magsaysay Wins Victory

MANILA (AP)—President Ramon Magsaysay of the Philippines won a major political victory Monday night when all but one of the administration Nacionalista Party Old Guard recognized his leadership.

The notable exception was Sen. Claro M. Recto, who refused to attend the majority party dinner caucus. Recto opposed Magsaysay on foreign policy, particularly relations with the United States.

The Nationalista leaders, in a five-point declaration of principles, said Magsaysay is the titular head of the party and its spokesman "on all major policies."

The statement also said the administration "is committed to the maintenance and strengthening of traditional ties of friendship and cooperation with the United States."

This was taken to mean that Recto had been removed as the party's foreign policy spokesman. Magsaysay's program for strong ties with the United States got a boost.

Recto had no immediate comment. But his position was considerably weaker. Senate President Eulogio Rodriguez Sr., Sen. Jose P. Laurel and Sen. Cipriano Primicias, three of the top men in the party, rallied to Magsaysay. They wield powerful influence in the upper house.

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