

# Adenauer Assails Latest Soviet Bid

BADEN BADEN, Germany (AP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer Saturday night denounced the latest Russian proposal for a Big Four meeting as an effort to bring Germany under direct or indirect dependence on Moscow.

"The integration of the free peoples of the West, including Germany, is the clear and understandable goal of our policy," the chancellor said in a nationwide radio address from his vacation retreat here.

"We are convinced that only when this has been achieved can we undertake fruitful negotiations with the Soviet Union."

This was Adenauer's first public comment on the Soviet offer to establish normal diplomatic relations with West Germany and to join in a Big Four conference on reunification of Germany if the Western powers abandon the Paris treaties for German rearmament.

His address was planned both

as an answer to the Soviet declaration and to the opposition Socialist anti-rearmament campaign. Socialist Chairman Erich Ollenhauer has called on Adenauer to give serious consideration to the Soviet offer.

## Freed Soldier Faces AWOL Investigation

BERLIN (AP)—The United States Army Saturday jailed Pvt. William A. Verdine while it investigates whether he was absent without leave during the six years he was in Soviet captivity.

Verdine, a soldier from Starks, La., was removed from the hospital, where he has been under guard since the Russians released him Thursday to the headquarters guardhouse.

Verdine is in protective custody, an Army spokesman said, until an investigation can be completed and the Army can determine whether it should try him on AWOL charges.

The soldier disappeared from his unit in West Germany near the Soviet border Feb. 3, 1949.

Another soldier released by the Soviets earlier this month is in the same guardhouse awaiting possible trial on the same charges. He is Pvt. William Marchuk, of Norristown, Pa., who was in Soviet hands for six years.

He was returned with John H. Noble, of Detroit, a civilian, who already has returned to the United States.

All three men had been held in Soviet labor camps in the Arctic.

## 5 Eugeneans Get Awards

Five Eugene students were among the 16 cadets in the Army Reserve Officers Training Corps of the University of Oregon who received awards last week for outstanding work during fall term.

Lt. Col William R. Thomas, assistant professor of military science and tactics, made the awards.

Honored in the Military Science I division were David Moursund, Eugene; Dale Carroll and Robert Easton, both of Portland; Norman Cole, Gold Beach; Alvin Denham, Langlois; and Richard Johnson, Medford.

Military Science II cadets who received awards were Carl Groth, Jr., Eugene, and Charles Huggins and William Mainwaring, both of Salem. John Keller, Portland, received the Military Science Leadership Award as the outstanding junior man in the Army ROTC program for last term.

Eight cadets on the ROTC rifle team were honored for their work. They are Carl Groth, Norman Silliman and David Goode, all of Eugene; Douglas Gill, Corvallis; Alvin Denham, Langlois; Lee Tucker, Port Orford; Gordon Nobriga, Hilo, T.H., and Benjamin Kahalekulu, Maui, T. H.



JAMES K. STOOP  
City's Future 'First Citizen'

## Kays Named 'First Citizen'

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tion Council, as chairman of District 4 of the Oregon Non-Profit Clubs, Inc., and many activities as a member of the Jaycees.

The first citizen is married, and has three children. He lives at 157 East Wood Lane, Eugene.

Judges for the event are Robert A. Finlayson, representing government; the Rev. Rector Johnson, the clergy; Frank Moir, business; Ray Hendrickson, education; and Day T. Bayly, professions.

None of them has been a member of the Junior Chamber. All were selected as judges because of their community leadership.

Ralph Cobb, first citizen last year, made the presentation.

'STOOP FOR FUTURE'

F. F. Montgomery, immediate past president of the Jaycees, made the announcement of Stoop's selection as future first citizen.

Stoop, 17, is senior class president, has been a president of the Willamette Lettermen's Club, is an Eagle Scout, and is a member of the National Honor Society for his scholastic efforts. He is an all-around athlete, participating in all sports.

The future first citizen of the year lives with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stoop, at 230 Alva Park Dr.

The awards were made after the principal address by O. Meredith Wilson, president of the University of Oregon.

Two Cars Collide, One Injured Here

A Eugene woman received minor injuries when two cars collided at the intersection of W. 12th Ave. and Tyler St. late Saturday afternoon.

Eugene police reported that Floyd O. Stone, 41, 1751 Wall St., was cited on a charge of failure to yield the right of way. Stone's wife, Mrs. Lula Stone, was taken to Sacred Heart Hospital. She was treated for a minor head injury and later was released.

The other car was driven by Darrell C. Stevens, 24, of 3147 W. 14th Ave.

## Ladd's Daughter Repeats Vows In Lavish Setting

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Alan Ladd's daughter, Carol Lee Ladd, walked over the family swimming pool to marry actor Dick Anderson at a star-studded outdoor wedding Saturday night.

The 21-year-old bride stepped down an avenue of candles and across a bridge built over the huge pool to repeat her vows as hundreds of celebrities watched on the lawn behind the Ladd mansion in Holmby Hills.

Among the 500 guests invited to the lavish affair, one of the big Hollywood social events of the year, were June Allyson, Dick Powell, Elizabeth Taylor, Michael Wilding, Joan Crawford, Betty Hutton, Pier Angeli, Vic Damone, Jack Benny, George Burns, Gracie Allen and many more.

The Rev. A. J. Soldan of the Lutheran Church in Westwood Village conducted the ceremony in the patio which was covered by a huge tent in case of rain.

The bride, wearing a white raw silk wedding gown with pearl-trimmed mandarin collar and a long train, was given in marriage by Ladd, resplendent in white tie and tails.

Maid-of-honor was the bride's sister, Alana Ladd, while ring bearer was her brother, David Ladd. Ushers included Cary Grant, Alan Ladd Jr., Lance Rentflow (son of Barbara Hutton) and producer Arthur Loew Jr.

For "something old and something borrowed" the bride wore her grandmother's pearls.

Following a champagne supper the young couple left for a honeymoon at an undisclosed place. Anderson, 25, is under contract at MGM studio.

KNIGHT TO SPEAK

PORTLAND (AP)—Principal speaker at the Republican Party's Lincoln Day banquet in Portland Feb. 11, will be Gov. Goodwin Knight of California.

## Guided Missiles Near 'True Accuracy' Stage

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States was reported Saturday to be near to achieving effective results in developing atomic missiles that may be guided from this continent to Communist Russia.

A high defense official said, "We are today at the pay-off stage in the development of the missile art that far exceeds anything anybody known to me has yet done."

Difficult problems remain to be solved, but the official's words indicated that great advances have been achieved toward fashioning projectiles that can cover the space between the hemispheres.

AT 9,000 MPH  
One type includes rockets which would attain an early burst of speed of about 9,000 miles an hour and would drop like bullets.

The other advanced type of missile is jet powered, and travels more slowly. It has built-in guidance mechanisms capable of taking bearings from the stars.

The missile scientists say that the accuracy of strategic weapons should be such that half of those launched should explode within a target circle of no more than 20 miles in diameter.

5,000-MILE LIMIT  
Guided missiles already are in the nation's arsenal, but American defense engineers say that none with a range of more than 5,000 miles will be fired, even in

tests, until they are accurate enough to be delivered with a fair probability of success.

To achieve this degree of accuracy, the scientists are developing more effective propulsion, for both rockets and jet powered missiles. Simultaneously, they are pushing the refinement of mechanisms to enable the missiles' electronic brains to find their way to their targets precisely.

Officials say that equal emphasis is going into the task of protecting the United States against the threat of missiles from Russia.

Convicts Face Added Terms After Mutiny

BOSTON (AP)—Four mutinous convicts already doomed to spend most of their lives in prison now face possible new sentences of 40 years each for holding 11 men hostage more than 81 hours after an escape attempt collapsed, authorities said Saturday.

Massachusetts Attorney General George Fingold said the men who mutinied at the state prison would go on trial by March 15. They face new sentences for assault, attempted escape and violation of the state hostage act, he said.

The rebellion, second longest of its kind in the nation, collapsed Friday when a citizens committee convinced the rebels to surrender.

Authorities said there might be other defendants in the trial. An investigation was under way to determine how the rebels got the guns they used to menace their 11 hostages, including five guards.

"We'll prosecute anyone responsible for getting contraband into the prison," Fingold said.

The convicts, bank robber Theodore (Teddy) Green, 38, gunman Walter H. (Super Trooper) Balben, 37, rapist John H. Fishery, 32, and cop-killer Fritz Swenson, 32, were locked up in separate cells.

They were removed from the Cherry Hill solitary confinement section, where the revolt broke out.

Parked Car Struck  
A hit and run driver Friday night struck a parked car on Patterson St. between E. Broadway and E. 11th Ave., Eugene police reported Saturday. Damage to the vehicle was estimated at \$50.

George K. Hemphill Jr., 1975 Sunrise Blvd., owner of the vehicle, discovered the damage shortly before noon Saturday.

Toots' Cartoonist Ill  
LOS ANGELES (AP)—Cartoonist James E. Murphy, 62, creator of the "Toots and Casper" comic strip, was reported in serious condition Saturday with uremic poisoning.

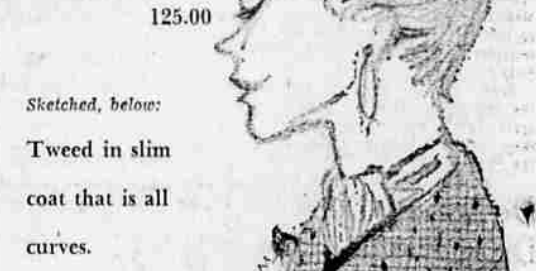
His doctor said that Murphy, who lives in Beverly Hills, entered a hospital Thursday.



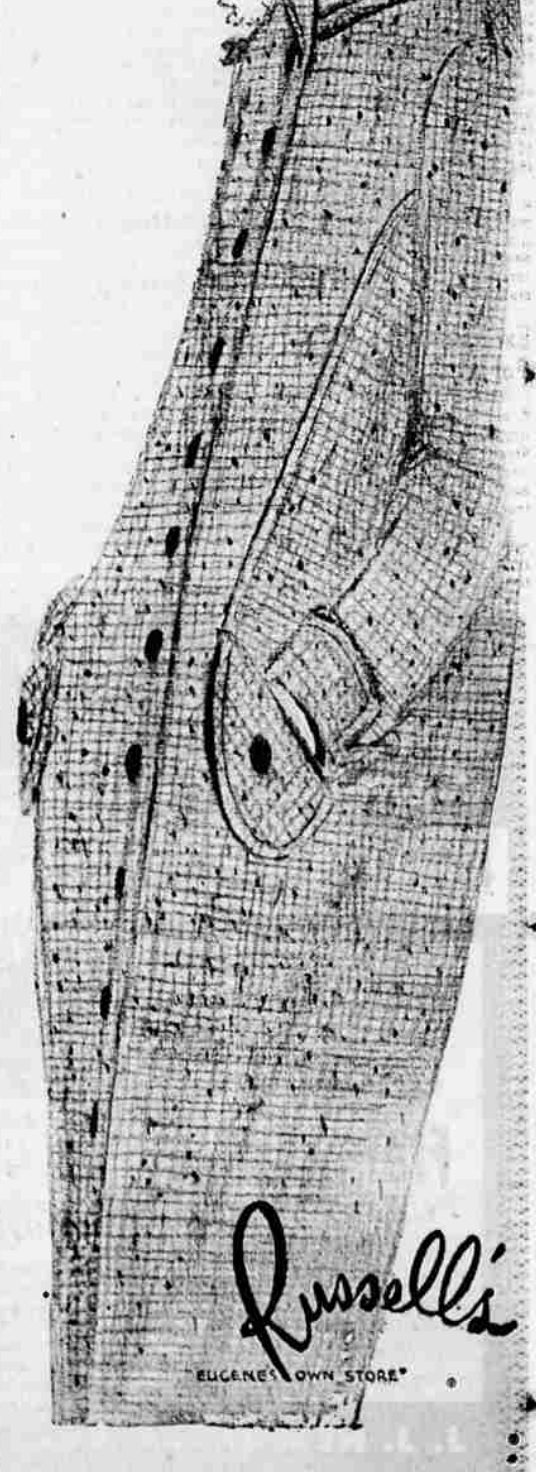
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## Morse Hints: 'I May Tell How I'll Run'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen Wayne Morse, Oregon Independent who was once a Republican, said Saturday night he may disclose within two weeks whether he will run for re-election in 1956 as a Democrat.

Morse said he did not quit the Republican party but was "kicked out of it" because he was too liberal for the GOP.

He said the people in his state would give the final verdict on his action in 1956 and he added, "I just got a little hunch as to what their verdict is going to be." His statements were made on a Columbia Broadcasting System radio program, Capitol Classroom.

Morse said he thought Oregonians would support his efforts to represent them in the Senate by exercising an honest independence of judgment on issues, and not have any party machinery tell him how to vote.

## Junior Chamber Names 'Best 10'

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—The United States Junior Chamber of Commerce Saturday night honored its 10 outstanding young men of 1954 at a banquet attended by 1,500 people.

The principal speaker, Radio and Television Commentator Edward R. Murrow, said, "A dormant democracy is on the way to becoming a tyranny. Democracy cannot be kept alive by putting it to sleep."

Murrow said, "We must have a strong moral ground on which to stand and fight, if fight we must."

Among the group of honored guests chosen from hundreds of nominees were:

Notre Dame Football Coach Terry Brennan, South Bend, Ind.; Tennis Star Ham Richardson, Baton Rouge, La.; Lt. Gov. Ernest F. Hollings, Charleston, S.C.; Research Scientist J. Herbert Holloman, Schenectady, N.Y.; Sculptor Arthur M. Kraft, Kansas City, Kan.; Transylvania College President Frank A. Rose, Lexington, Ky.; Archeologist Wendell Phillips, Concord, Calif.; Jet Test Pilot Charles E. Yeager, Hamlin, W.Va.; Polio Specialist William A. Spencer, Houston, Tex.; and Senate Committee Counsel Robert Kennedy, Boston, Mass.

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