

Potato Farmers Protest At Being Whipping Boys

Washington, Aug. 2 (AP)—A spokesman for potato farmers told congressmen from potato producing states today that the growers are "tired of being whipping boys for the farm price support program."

W. M. Case of Grand Forks, N. D., executive secretary of the Red River Valley Growers association and member of the national potato council's legislative committee, told the potato bloc:

"We are tired of being held up to public scorn as the recipients of so many millions of dollars without any credit at all for the growers' own efforts over a period of three years to reduce costs."

"The record clearly shows that potato growers, on the whole, have done almost exactly what the government has requested of them under programs that have been in effect."

Today's Capitol Hill meeting was called by Senator Brewster (R-Me.), chairman of the informal congressional group from potato states. It was called to discuss a threat mandatory price supports might be withdrawn from potatoes, the only perishable crop in the price support program.

Last Friday Chairman Pace (D., Ga.) of a house agriculture subcommittee called a hearing on his bill to institute production and marketing restrictions on potatoes and to prescribe penalties for violators of such controls.

Grower representatives opposed the measure, saying they had not had time to study it.

They urged that potatoes be left alone for the present—supported at 60 per cent of parity and with acreage goals set by the secretary of agriculture. Parity is a figure calculated to give a farmer a fair return in relation to things he buys.

Pace said that the current program benefits non-cooperators more than cooperators and is costing the government "unjustified" amounts. He said the agriculture department estimates the potato support program will cost between \$50 and \$100 million this year.

This, he said, could endanger the whole price support structure. Case said the present "very low level of 60 per cent of parity" amounts to the equivalent of insurance "on the cost of production."

He said the record will show that under the present support price support and goals, acreages have been cut voluntarily to 41 per cent less than in 1943 and are the lowest in 70 years.

Under the decision, Morris can be held indefinitely. He can clear himself of the citation only by turning the Klan's records over to the jury.

The jury resumes its investigation of mob violence after a week-end recess. Eighteen men already have been indicted on flooding and related charges.

Morris has been out on \$500 conditional bond after previously spending 18 days in jail.

Circuit Judge George Lewis ruled that the Klan chieftain failed to clear himself of the contempt charge.

The decision followed a three-day hearing during which Morris testified he was now willing to produce the records but cannot because they were stolen from his home.

Morris, a Birmingham roofing contractor, was in jail at the time of the alleged burglary at his home.

Solicitor Emmett Perry asked Morris the Klan's numerical strength in Jefferson (Birmingham) county. Morris replied between 6,500 and 7,000.

When asked if he could recall the full names of any individual members other than the officers, Morris replied: "I can't recall the names."

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Police Surrender on Bribe Indictments—Two Los Angeles county grand jury, accept copies of their indictments as they surrendered at Los Angeles. Left to right: Sgt. C. V. Jackson, Lieut. Rudy Wellpot, Bail Bondsman August Nardoni and Court Clerk L. D. Hahn. Jackson and Wellpot are former members of the police vice detail. (AP Wirephoto)

Russian Protest Rejected by U. S.

Washington, Aug. 2 (AP)—The United States today emphatically rejected a Russian protest against Italy's membership in the North Atlantic defense pact.

Secretary Acheson termed the charges "utterly without foundation" in a note delivered to the Russian embassy shortly before noon.

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Lady Fan After Joe DiMaggio

New York, Aug. 2 (AP)—Joe DiMaggio, center field for the New York Yankees, has turned over to officials of the club the "problem of a lady fan who he thinks is bedeviling him by writing to columnists" about a show girl Junior Standish.

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Pickers Are Handy For Bean Harvest

Lebanon — Sufficient pickers to harvest the bean crop are in local yards, according to a report given through the Lebanon office of the state employment service, unless a prolonged heat spell causes a sudden maturing of beans, which will then require additional pickers.

Mills and logging operations in the locality are likewise operating fairly steady. In the event of higher temperatures and low humidity, work in the woods will be forced to shut down. There is believed to be an ample supply of cold decks on hand to meet this emergency, it was reported by the service.

To ease its unemployment, Eire is trying to reopen abandoned industrial plants.

Cohen is still suffering from a shoulder wound incurred when he and his party was ambushed at a Sunset strip night spot July 20. In that shooting Edward (Neddie) Herbert, Cohen's 35-year-old lieutenant, was injured fatally.

Officers L. L. Lance and John Hasko reported the bomb exploded in a driveway of the home of Mrs. Maria Wilkes, about 50 feet from the bedroom where Cohen was sleeping.

Cohen, shaken and white, told officers: "I was sleeping soundly when I heard something. I thought it was a dream—a nightmare, sort of—I can't understand what it could mean."

'Acrojets' Feature At Air Maneuvers

Portland's Columbia airport will be the scene next Sunday afternoon of the third annual Northwest Air Maneuvers, with the famous "Acrojets" from Williams field, Arizona, taking top billing.

In addition to the performance by the "Acrojets" the Air Force will have many planes in the sky. Besides the air force maneuvers the plans for the show include a flight of National Guard and Air Reserve aircraft; an all-girl air race; and a display of Air Force and civilian planes.

Funds realized from the air show will be used to carry on Civilian Air Patrol cadet training for the year, at the 15 Oregon Wing air units of which Salem is one.

Palace Theatre

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IT'S THRILLING to watch a woman fight when her man's in trouble!

M-G-M presents JAMES JUNE STEWART-ALLYSON The Stratton Story FRANK MORGAN - AGNES MOOREHEAD BILL WILLIAMS

A METRO-GOLDWYN-MAAYER PICTURE A SAM WOOD PRODUCTION Screen Play by DOUGLAS MORROW - Directed by SAM WOOD Story by DOUGLAS MORROW - Co-Produced by SAM WOOD Produced by JACK CUMMINGS

And: HENRY THE RAINMAKER LAYMON WALSHORN - MATTY CALLETT Color Cartoon - Warner News

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Czech Red Paper Strikes Vatican

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Aug. 2 (AP)—Rude Pravo, the Czechoslovak communist organ, today accused the Vatican and the Roman Catholic hierarchy of trying to provoke civil war in Czechoslovakia over the state-church strife.

The newspaper sought to implicate Francis Cardinal Spellman of New York and what it called the "American organization" in the alleged plot.

The charges were made in a long article by Andre Simone, the paper's foreign commentator. It was entitled "The Vatican Fifth Column."

The attack appeared after a week's lull in press assaults on the church.

Simone claimed the Vatican was working in cooperation with the "American organization" whose task, he said, is to organize espionage and diversions in those countries which have deserted the capitalist system.

"To this organization belongs Cardinal Spellman, who is the Pope's Schacht, because he raises 80 per cent of the Vatican income and is potentially the mightiest man of World Catholicism next to the Pope," the article declared.

Allen Dulles, brother of Sen. John Foster Dulles (R-N.Y.), was named as director of the alleged organization.

(In New York, Dulles said he knew nothing about the report. He pointed out he is chairman of the executive committee of the national committee for free Europe. The purpose of that organization, he said, is to further the cause of liberty and peace and to support in this country political leaders who have been driven out of their own homes by communism.)

Trinidad and Tabago have drawn up plans to provide the colony with 27,000,000 gallons of water a day.

Patronize the Salem Blundell's Kanning Kitchen, South 13th and Wilbur streets this year. Previously many Salem home gardeners patronized the Silverton plant.

Silverton Community Canning Plant Closed Silverton — The Silverton community canning plant is not to be opened to the public this season it was announced today by members of the executive board of management of which Mrs. Carl Specht is chairman. Home canners are planning to

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JAMES MASON BARBARA BEL GEDES ROBERT RYAN Caught PATRICK MARSH MILLIONAIRE

LIBERTY ENDS TODAY! 6:45 P. M. Betty Hutton "DREAM GIRL" Dana Andrews "DEEP WATERS" TOMORROW! TYRONE POWER Captain from Castile Lulabelle and Scotty "Swing Your Partner"

Westinghouse Night! See the New Westinghouse Laundromat! THE SALEM DRIVE-IN Theatre 1015 1/2 Galbraith - Hwy 99 - 2-6249 Tonight Only! Free Shelland Penny Rides for the Kiddies Starting Daily at 8 P. M. Paulette Goddard James Stewart Henry Fonda "On Our Merry Way" Charles Starrett Smiley Burnette "West of Sonora" See a show from your car! Open Rain or Shine!

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