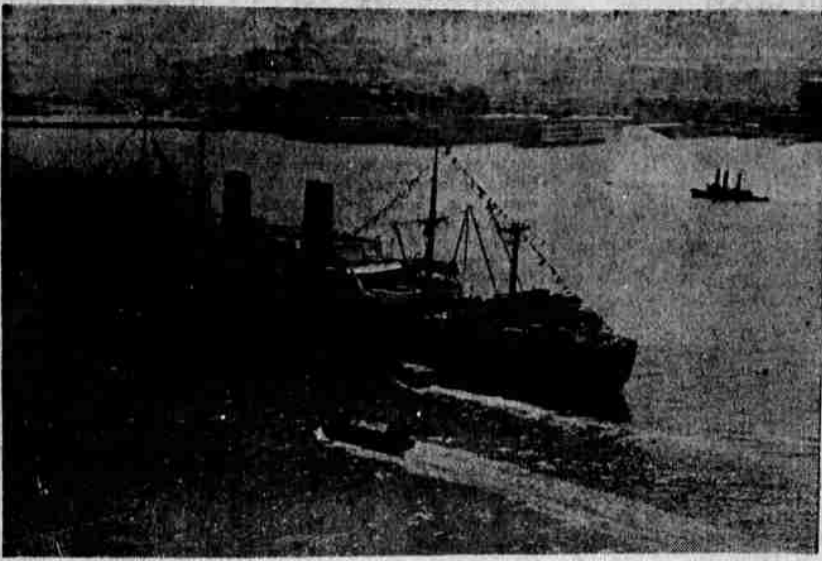


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The luxury liner President Wilson, flying the Japanese national emblem from her foremast, and bearing Crown Prince Akihito Tsugunomiya, enters San Francisco Bay. Welcoming launch cruises alongside as fireboat in background sprays a greeting. San Francisco skyline is in background. (UP Telephoto)

O'Malley Says Unnamed WU Teams Win Public Officials Profited At Missoula

Eugene (AP)—Public officials whom he declined to name—have benefited from prison labor, ex-Warden Virgil O'Malley told the Young Democrats' convention here Saturday.

O'Malley said he didn't understand why no one was fired after "all that serious trouble" before he came to the prison, and why he was fired after 19 months with "no major trouble."

O'Malley was fired by the State Board of Control March 31 after a group of out-of-state wardens had investigated the prison and submitted a report saying conditions there were extremely bad.

"It is my belief the warden's committee intended to frighten the board of control into precipitous action so that there would be no opportunity for a rebuttal to the absurd charges," O'Malley said.

He criticized Prison Supt. George Alexander "whose philosophy was in direct opposition to mine."

Alexander, formerly warden, became superintendent when O'Malley took over in 1951.

O'Malley said all the factors which lead to prison riots were present when he became warden. He listed them as: Poor diet, overcrowding, lack of a recreation program, severe and inequitable sentences, inefficiency, politically appointed personnel and lack of segregation. He said these conditions had improved during his administration.

WU Teams Win At Missoula

Both Willamette university debate teams competing in the annual Tau Kappa Alpha forensic tournament at Montana State university in Missoula late last week qualified to enter the semi-final round held Saturday.

The senior team of Tom Scheidel and James Wood was debating for the university for the last time. The sophomore team consisted of H. Paul Johnson and Fenton Hughes.

The four men were finalists in their individual events as well as debate. Scheidel took

the tournament's second place rating in extempore speaking; Johnson took fourth and Hughes fifth. In oratory Wood was ranked the tournament's fourth best speaker.

The four students competed in Missoula with 200 speakers from 24 colleges and universities in eight Rocky Mountain and Pacific Coast states. Attending the Montana event with them was Dr. Howard W. Runkel, Willamette's director of forensics.

SECRETARY DIES

New York (AP)—Malvina C. Thompson, 61, personal secretary to Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt for nearly 30 years, died in a hospital yesterday after an illness of several weeks.

Hoover Believes Ike Doing Remarkable Job

Cleveland (AP)—Herbert C. Hoover believes that "President Eisenhower is moving with great vigor and doing a remarkable job" in cleaning up what Hoover calls the "mess" in Washington.

The 78-year-old former President added in a news conference: "And he is going after reorganization and I am sure there will be reforms to eliminate waste."

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Strike Closes Ford Lines

Detroit (AP)—Assembly lines at 13 of the Ford Motor Company's 18 Ford, Mercury and Lincoln plants across the country were closed Monday because of a strike of 2,200 workers in a Monroe, Mich., parts plant.

The closing idled 47,000 of Ford's 130,000 production workers, and a Ford spokesman said that "the total idle could easily reach 75,000 as more of our plants run out of parts."

CIO United Auto Workers walked out at Monroe April 1, charging a speedup. Company officials denied the accusation.

TENTH VICTIM DIES

London (AP)—The toll in the London subway crash reached 10 Monday with the death of an injured passenger in a hospital. The accident occurred Wednesday night.

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Calm, Then Everything Went Boom

Manchester, England (AP)—Sob singer Johnny Ray was mobbed by British hooligans Saturday night and was carried to his car in a semi-conscious state, police said today.

Ray's chauffeur said the teenagers tried to tear off bits of the singer's clothing as souvenirs.

"I thought he would be trampled to death," the chauffeur said.

Eugene Man on Plane Feared Lost in Lake

Niagara Falls, N. Y. (AP)—Search planes today sought a trace of an F-47 Thunderbolt that disappeared over western Lake Ontario last Friday.

Air Force officials continued to list Lt. William G. Stephenson III, 24, Eugene, as missing but said that "it's 99 to 1 the plane went into the lake."

County PTA Council To Elect and Install

The Marion county council of Parents and Teachers will hold their final meeting of the spring at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, April 15, in the Salvation Army citadel, 241 State street.

Mrs. L. S. Shuford, president of the council, states that the meeting will include the election and installation of officers; the reading of reports from the 21 county and local units and discussion of the state P.T.A. convention to be held at Medford, April 21-23.

Installation will be in charge of Mrs. Fred E. Corn, regional vice president of Depoe Bay and entertainment will be provided by a women's vocal quartet from the Aumsville unit.

Officers who have served Dennis Patch, vice president; Mrs. C. R. Monk, secretary; Mrs. Evelyn Olsen, treasurer; Mrs. C. W. Wright, Mrs. J. E. Bunnell, Mrs. C. E. Calkins and Mrs. L. E. Marschat, committee chairmen.

EDEN OPERATED ON

London (AP)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden is in good condition after an operation for gall stones, his physicians announced, but he will be away from his desk for at least six weeks at a critical time in world affairs.



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