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A feature story on mementos of the Indian Wars peace signing, now being shown in the Jacksonville museum, is carried on Page 13 of today's issue of The Mail Tribune.

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Weather

FORECAST—Fair today, partly cloudy and cooler, occasional showers Monday. Low Monday 38-42, high today 48-52. Temp. Highest yesterday 48. Lowest yesterday 41.

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Critical Korean Plenary Session Cancelled by UN

Tokyo, Sunday — (U.P.) — The United Nations command cancelled the first high-level meeting on a Korean truce in more than two months today because of "unavoidable circumstances" an hour before senior negotiators were to meet at Panmunjom.

that progress would be made at the staff officer level until after the top delegates meet. Today's meeting was the 74th by staff officers on armistice supervision.

Strong indications existed prior to the meeting between senior United Nations Negotiator Vice Adm. C. Turner Joy and North Korean Gen. Nam Il, chief Red delegate, that the future course of the 22-month-old Korean war would have been at stake within the faded circus tent.

The plenary session — first scheduled in 67 days — was postponed indefinitely, although the U. N. said Allied liaison officers would inform the Communists when they were ready to resume the talks.

U. N. Liaison Officer Col. Andrew J. Kinney delivered the note to the Reds with the information that "unavoidable circumstances" forced the cancellation.

Armistice supervision negotiators at the staff officer level convened at the truce site after the full dress meeting was called off.

Search for Child To Continue Today

Shady Cove—Preparations for an extensive search of the Rogue river near Shady Cove were completed Saturday by sheriff's officers and Steelhead post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Shady Cove. They will seek the body of the three-week-old son of Russell Graham, Shady Cove storekeeper.

Settlement Hopes Become Brighter In Rails Dispute

Washington — (U.P.) — Government hopes for ending the three-year-old railroad wage and working rules battle rose Saturday as the White House announced that Acting Defense Mobilizer John R. Steelman has reopened intensified mediation efforts.

Cal-Ore Pipeline Company Files for Rights-of-Way

Four options were filed Friday giving the Cal-Ore Pipeline company, of Pier 14, San Francisco, Cal., a 15-foot right-of-way through a portion of Jackson county, according to the county clerk's office.

Portland Attorney Wins Speech Test

Bob Myers, Portland attorney, won the public speaking contest held here Saturday in connection with the 1952 convention of District 3, Active International, Winn Kelly, Coquille teacher, placed second.



\$4 MILLION FIRE ON VANCOUVER PIER—Huge columns of smoke rise over Vancouver, B. C., waterfront in one of the worst fires to strike the city. The fire spread so rapidly the 1200-foot pier was ablaze from end to end within 30 minutes after the first alarm.

Merchants Vote Early Opening For Stores Effective Here Monday

The Medford Retail Merchants association Saturday morning voted to open Medford stores one hour earlier, and close one hour earlier in the afternoon, effective Monday.

Defense Secretary Asks Restoration Of Military Funds

Washington — (U.P.) — Defense Secretary Robert A. Lovett asked the Senate Appropriations Committee Saturday to restore \$3,619,797,858 of the \$4,713,845,216 cut by the house from military funds for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Highway Hearing Slated Saturday

A public hearing on highway matters will be held here next Saturday, it was announced yesterday by State Rep. Robert W. Root, Medford, a member of the state legislative highway interim committee.

Mrs. Bereth Hopkins Campaigns in North

Mrs. Bereth (Curtis L.) Hopkins, Medford, Republican candidate for delegate to the national convention from the fourth congressional district, made two campaign trips north last week.

SPORTS BULLETINS

Portland — (U.P.) — The Portland Beavers revived in their half of the eighth inning of a Pacific Coast league baseball game here tonight to defeat the Los Angeles Angels 5 to 1.

Taft Gain Slight Edge As GOP Delegates Named

Strike Predicted If Steel Operators Win Court Contest

Washington (U.P.)—Steel operators faced the prospect Saturday of winning a court fight against President Truman's seizure of the industry—and inviting a strike by 650,000 CIO United steelworkers.



Five States Pick 63 GOP Delegates To National Meet

Washington (U.P.)—Sen. Robert A. Taft won a slight edge over Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower Saturday in a five-state selection of 63 delegates to the Republican presidential nominating convention.

ACCUSES STEEL OWNERS

C. I. O. President Philip Murray, testifying before the Senate labor committee, accused the steel industry of deliberately creating a wage crisis to "blackmail" the Government into approving over-the-ceiling price increases.

Musicians Slate First Conclave Session Tomorrow

The Northwest Conference of Musicians will open in Medford at 10 a. m. tomorrow, it was reported Saturday by J. Vernon Marshall, secretary and business agent of Medford Local 597, Musicians union, AFL, the host organization.

Mayor Will Give Welcome

Mayor Diamond Flynn will welcome delegates at the first session tomorrow morning, and Robert Padgett, president of the Medford local, also will make an address of welcome.

Russell Attacks Opponent Kefauver

Gainesville, Fla. — (U.P.) — Sen. Richard Russell of Georgia, in a fighting presidential campaign speech, accused Sen. Estes Kefauver Saturday of being a leader of a "super-state" movement that would "swallow" our constitution and subordinate the rights and liberties of Americans.

Ike Appears in Good Health For Luxembourg Farewell

Luxembourg — (U.P.) — Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower paid a farewell visit Saturday to this tiny Duchy whose population lined the streets and shouted, "Hurrah General Ike" and "Vive Eisenhower."

Loggers Invited

Loggers and representatives of the lumber industry are expressly invited, according to Root, and notices of the meeting have been mailed them. They are expected to tell their reaction to the weight-defining legislation passed by the 1951 legislature, and Root said that committee members, all of whom served on highway committees during the 1951 session, are anxious to learn the effect of the laws on the over-all economy of logging operation and the effect they have had on highway usage.

Glad To Leave Sickbed

"I've never been so glad to get out of bed in my life," he told newsmen before leaving Paris. "I really was sick. I had a temperature—sicker I've been in 20 years."

Police Estimated That 150,000 Persons, Half This Country's Population, Lined the 10-Mile Route

Police estimated that 150,000 persons, half this country's population, lined the 10-mile route from the airport to the capital where he and Mrs. Eisenhower were the guests of Mrs. Perle.