

# Tougher Talk, Less War Possibility Seen From Russia

## Administration Experts Rely on Zhukov Influence

Washington — (U.P.) — An important administration group expects tougher talk but less likelihood of shooting war from the Kremlin's new high command.

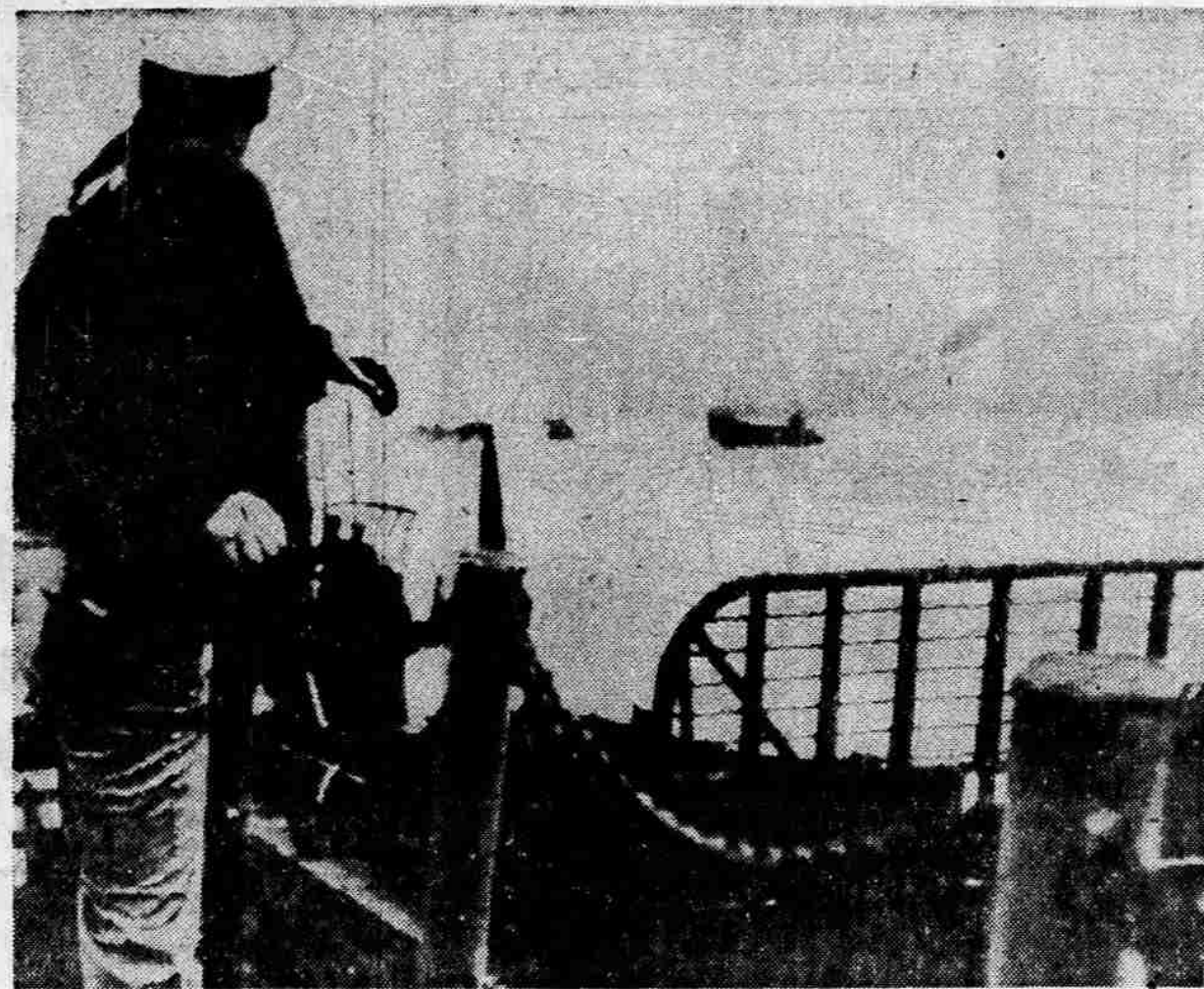
They bank heavily on the restraining influence of Marshal Gregori Zhukov, elevated to defense minister in this week's Moscow upheaval.

The World War II Soviet hero is an ardent Communist, but he also is a realistic, professional soldier. He knows first hand the part played by Allied might in internal German collapse as well as by the Red army.

Experts here say Zhukov is not likely to misjudge American abilities and intentions or go along with Moscow hot-heads who would kick off a war after reading their own propaganda on Russian might.

These quarters, however, look for a drumfire of war threats and blackmail, designed to frighten West Europe and wreck the German Rearmament drive.

In this segment of the administration, fear of German rearmament and failure to nip it are cited as likely prime causes of the Kremlin reshuffle that toppled Georgi M. Malenkov from the Premier's seat.



EVACUATION BEGINS—Lt. Jack Kendall, Kansas City, Missouri, waves a Chinese Nationalist LSM into well-deck of American LSD Colonial in Keelung Harbor, Formosa as ships complete preparations and sailed for evacuation of Tachen Islands.

### LAKE WALLULA

Olympia — (U.P.) — The Senate yesterday approved a bill calling for the Columbia river backwaters of McNary dam to be named Lake Wallula.

### WEATHER

By United Press  
Northern California: High cloudiness north portion and generally fair elsewhere today; patches of morning fog.

Although sugar ranks as one of the world's oldest as well as most necessary foods, its principal modern source — sugar cane — has been widely cultivated for less than 500 years.

## On The Side

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The number of "horn happy" autoists continues to increase. No matter what is blocking your progress, the "horn happy" motorist keeps bearing down on his horn. An old saying is, "The loud laugh bespeaks the vacant mind." I believe that goes double for the loud horn blower. Briefly, loud and unnecessary auto horn blowing is a moronic pastime.

### Quartettes

New Yorkers have always been the country's most enthusiastic amateur quartette singers. There was in Manhattan, in the days beyond recall, a saloon bearing the quaint name of Flaherty's Harp. At this place the quartette singing was continuous. All the patrons took a turn at singing in the non-stop quartette. If a stranger entered Flaherty's and refused to join the quartette singing he was promptly thrown out.

### Asking

Queries from clients. Q. I say that among the six husbands acquired by Arline Judge, the Bridgeport, Conn., beauty, were two millionaires, Dan Topping and Robert Topping. Right? A. Quite right. Dan Topping was Arline's second husband, his brother, Robert, her fifth husband. The husbands of Miss Judge in the order acquired were: 1—Wesley Ruggles, film director; 2—Dan Topping; 3—Capt. James Addams of the British Royal Air Force; 4—Vincent M. Ryan, advertising executive; 5—Robert Topping, and 6—George Ross, insurance man.

### Sidelights

"When Men Had Time to Love," by Baroness de Stoeckl, is a highly interesting book about the truly gay days in Paris and London. . . Now it is claimed an inventor has originated a

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way to make motorcycles noiseless. That would be really something . . . On the market in Britain, is a pocket sized dry shaver that does not require the use of electricity, soap or water. It claimed a man can shave anywhere with it.

### Horses & Women

It was that great Horses & Women expert, Ovid, who in discussing the best way to win the affectionate regard of a beautiful woman, said, "Employ soft flatteries and words which delight the ear? It was Byron, one of the most accomplished lovers of all time, who observed, "Brisk confidence still best with women copes; pique her and sooth her in turn, soon passion crowns thy hopes."

### Shingles

An unusual number of people are reported suffering from herpes zoster, which is the technical name for that painful affliction generally known as "shingles." They have my sympathy. I had such an attack about four years ago. Thought I would never get over it. It said a person rarely has more than one attack of "shingles" in a lifetime. How I hope that is true. Herpes zoster or shingles is caused by a germ that settles in one nerve and then it spreads to other nerves.

## Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS  
Medford and vicinity: Mostly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Occasional rain by early Saturday. Low tonight about 35. High Saturday 48.  
Western Oregon: Mostly cloudy tonight with rain beginning during night. Showers Saturday. Not so cool tonight. Low tonight 32-40. High Saturday 42-48.

### LOCAL DATA

Temperature a year ago today:  
Highest 35; Lowest 40.  
Total monthly precipitation .24 inch.  
Deficiency for the month 52 inch.  
Total precipitation since September 1, 1954, 6.17 inches.  
Deficiency for the season 5.46 inches.  
Relative humidity 4:30 p.m. yesterday 29%; 4:30 a.m. today 84%.  
Observations Taken At: 4:30 A.M., 120 Meridian Time 5.

|                  | High | Low | Prec. |
|------------------|------|-----|-------|
| Boston           | 31   | 16  | .02   |
| Chicago          | 37   | 20  | .00   |
| Denver           | 36   | -7  | .11   |
| Eureka           | 28   | 8   | .00   |
| Grants Pass      | 54   | 42  | .00   |
| Havre            | 54   | 29  | .00   |
| Klamath Falls    | 27   | 22  | .00   |
| Los Angeles      | 81   | 52  | .00   |
| Medford          | 37   | 29  | .00   |
| New York         | 57   | 37  | .01   |
| Omaha            | 67   | 37  | .00   |
| Phoenix          | 67   | 37  | .00   |
| Portland         | 48   | 40  | .00   |
| Reno             | 44   | 20  | .00   |
| Salt Lake        | 49   | 30  | .00   |
| San Francisco    | 62   | 41  | .00   |
| Seattle          | 46   | 37  | .00   |
| Spokane          | 50   | 16  | .00   |
| Washington, D.C. | 63   | 50  | .00   |
| Yakima           | 40   | 24  | .00   |

Sunrise 7:12 a.m. Sunset 5:39 p.m.

FIVE-DAY FORECAST:  
Western Oregon — Temperatures near normal, turning colder again about Tuesday. Precipitation totals averaging 1 inch on coasts and 5 inch in interior, occurring mostly Monday and Tuesday.  
Northern California — Occasional rain, occurring mainly early in week. Snow in mountains. Temperatures below normal.

## A Nichol's Worth of . . . Comment On This and That

By HARMAN W. NICHOLS  
United Press Feature Writer

Washington — (U.P.) — Maybe the reason elephants don't remember so well is because their heart-beat is slower than human beings.

Anyhow, that was the way it was with "Jupiter's Darling," an 800-pound three-year-old pachyderm, who submitted to a test of an electrocardiograph machine. It was sort of a first.

But first, the results. A baby



Harman Nichols

elephant's heart beats something like 35 pumps to the minute. A human kicks it through veins at about twice that speed.

All of this was performed to kick off Heart Month—an appeal for money to finance research on the miseries of the human heart. The little elephant held up the works and also fouled things up.

"Jupiter's Darling," dressed in a red blanket ad hating newsmen and photographers, got off to a bad start. First she stuck her tongue out at Dr. John A. Reisinger, president of the Washington Heart Association.

### A Show Off

She stuck it out real far. And being a show-lady she did it again for pictures.

Dr. Reisinger didn't much like it, but what could he do with all of the movie people about in the lobby of the Loew's Capitol Theater—and not only the photographers.

The good doctor put some wires onto a complicated board and tried to get the little lady elephant to hold still for some tests.

All "Jupiter's Darling" did was wrap the business end of her trunk around the wires and other gimmicks and attract an audience. People were coming into the theater to see a picture. But before they purchased a ticket here was a free show. It was not about to be missed.

The man aboard to give the scientific data on the heart-beat of the elephant was a pleasant fellow named Dr. Paul D. White of Boston. He is an internationally known cardiologist.

### No Idle Sport

Dr. White let it be known that listening to the slow tick of the heart of the baby elephant was no idle sport.

The scientist, who is interested in the human heart and improvement thereof, also is interested in hearts of all sizes, including those of baby elephants.

"The bigger animals," he said, "usually have a lower heart beat. But you take the humming bird. His little heart may run along at a thousand beats per minute. But young Jupiter's Darling, she runs along—well look at the tape."

The tape on the complicated machine at the moment showed the young lady elephant heart pumping at something like 47 ticks per minute.

### It Isn't Nonsense

And what does all of this nonsense add up to? It isn't nonsense, really, according to Dr. White.

Way he looks at it, research through animals—the size of the heart in relation to the size of the body which it supports—one day may come answers in the study of heart disease in things like people.

This month is Heart Month throughout the country.

## Wall Street

New York — (U.P.) — Wide gains in individual issues sustained the stock market today.

Gains in these issues ranged to more than 5 points. The recognized leaders produced enough losers to temper the gains in the averages. However, industrials held around their best level in history; rails were at a high since Jan. 10, and utilities made a new high since 1931.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

|                    |         |
|--------------------|---------|
| American T & T     | 179 1/2 |
| Anaconda           | 53 3/4  |
| Chrysler           | 69 1/2  |
| Curtiss Wright     | 21 1/2  |
| General Electric   | 51 1/2  |
| General Motors     | 97 3/8  |
| Montgomery Ward    | 80 1/4  |
| Penn R R           | 24 1/2  |
| Penney J C         | 90 1/2  |
| Radio              | 41 3/4  |
| Southern Co        | 19 1/2  |
| S Oil of Calif     | 80      |
| Texas Gulf Sulphur | 41 1/2  |
| Transamerica       | 40 1/4  |
| Tri-Continental    | 26 3/4  |
| United Aircraft    | 85 3/4  |
| U S Rubber         | 43 3/4  |
| U S Steel          | 79 1/2  |
| Youngstown         | 82 1/2  |

## Portland Livestock

Portland — (U.P.) — Cattle for week 3100. Choice fed steers \$23.75; good \$20.50-22; commercial-low good \$18-20; good-choice fed heifers \$21; canner-cutters cows \$8.50-30.50; utility commercial bulls \$12.50-14.75. Calves for week \$10. Good-choice vealers \$22-24; utility-commercial \$13-21.

Sheep for week \$20.00. Choice 1-2 butchers 180-235 lbs. \$19.50-20; choice 350-550 lb. sows \$14.50-16; lighter \$12-14.

Sheep for week 1775. Choice-prime fed wooled lambs to \$21; good-choice feeders \$17-18.50; ewes \$8.50-7.50.

## Portland Produce

Portland — (U.P.) — Eggs — To retailers: Grade AA large, 51-52c doz.; A large, 48-49c doz.; AA medium, 48-50c; A medium, 47-48c; A small, 42c; cartons, 1-3c additional.

Butter — To retailers: AA grade prints, 66c lb. cartons 67c; A prints, 66c; cartons, 67c; B prints, 64c. Cheese — To retailers: A grade cheddar, Oregon sliced, \$7.50-8.45c; 5-lb. loaves, 48 1/2-49 1/2c. Processed American cheese, 5-lb. loaf, 39 1/2-41c lb.

### Farm Market

Cabbage, in short supply may go up to \$2.25. Heavy crates of medium and small sized heads to wholesale house buyers Monday; California cabbage to retailers was \$5.35 a crate with a few down to \$4. Willamette valley brussels sprouts brought \$2.00 a 12-cup lot and sold to retailers at \$2.50-2.75.

Western Oregon onions to wholesalers were \$2-2.25 a 50-lb. bag.

Poultry, Rabbits  
Live Chickens — To growers (No. 1 quality 1.0-b. Portland): Fryers 2 1/2 to 4 lbs., 25c lb.; at farm 24c lb.; roasters, 4 1/2 lbs. and up, 23c lb. f.o.b. Portland, 24c at ranch; light hens, 18-17c; heavy hens, all wts., 20c lb.; old roosters, 10-11c lb.

Dressed Chickens — No. 1 dressed to retailers: Fryers, 35-40c lb.; roasters, 38-40c; light hens, 27-28c; heavy hens, 30-31c; cutup fryers, all wts., 49-50c lb.; whole drawn, 44-45c.

Turkeys — To retailers: A grade hens, ready to cook, 48c; N.Y. dressed to 4 1/2 lb.; A grade toms, oven-ready, 40c; Beltsville A grade hens, oven-ready, to 52c; Beltsville toms, 49c lb. Rabbits (average to growers f.o.b. killing plants) — Live white, 3 1/2-4 1/2 lbs., 18-20c up; 5-6 lbs., 14-16c; colored pelts, 4c under; old does, 8-10c lb.; a few higher. Fresh dressed fryers to retailers, 54-57c; cut up, 60-63c.

## Portland Cash Grain

Portland — Prices as reported in the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, \$7.75 a ton bulk, prompt delivery f.o.b. Portland; No. 2 white oats, 38-lb. test, Coast delivery: \$37.50 ton; Portland delivery, \$35.50; No. 2 Western barley, \$34 ton f.o.b. Portland, Coast delivery; Soybean meal, \$39.07 ton, cars, prompt delivery; No. 5 yellow corn, \$6.25 ton f.o.b. Portland.

Wholesale hay prices: No. 2 green alfalfa baled f.o.b. Portland, \$35 trucks, \$37 rail. Timothy mixed hay \$36 a ton, f.o.b. rail car, Seattle.

Portland cash grain, Thursday close: Bid Offer Soft white, \$2.38 \$2.39 1/2 Soft white, no rex, 2.37 2.38 1/2 White Club, 2.37 2.39 1/2

## Synod President To Speak at Zion

Members of Zion Lutheran church, corner of Fourth st. and Oakdale ave., will have as guest preacher for the 11 a.m. Sunday worship service, the Rev. L. H. Steinhoff, president of the Pacific synod of the United Lutheran church in America.

Dr. Steinhoff, accompanied by his wife, will be en route to his headquarters in Portland from a preaching mission in the San Francisco Bay area. The Steinhoffs will be in Medford from Saturday evening to Sunday evening only. Persons desiring to greet the Steinhoffs will be given this opportunity following the church service on Sunday.

In the afternoon the Steinhoffs will be guests of the council of the local church at a dinner to be held at Mary's casa.

All members and friends of the church are invited to be present at the church services.

## Assembly Will Honor Women This Sunday

The Women's Missionary council of the Medford Assembly of God, 1108 West Main st., will be honored in the morning worship service at 11 o'clock Sunday. This is in cooperation with the nation-wide observance of WMC day by the denomination.

Various phases of the work of the organization will be presented in the service. A visual demonstration will be made emphasizing the avenues of service open to the women of the church through the council. The pastor, Rev. F. Wildon Colbaugh, will speak on the subject "Women at Work for Christ."

A dinner meeting of the Christ's ambassadors of the church will be held Saturday at 7 p.m. in the church annex.

Dead line Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday; 10 a.m. Monday for Monday; other days 5:30 previous day.

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