

Harriman's Future Seems To Hinge on Public Judgment of Yalta Documents

Papers Possibly To Be Determining Factor in Career

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Washington—(U.P.)—Barring fewer than half a dozen, the major figures of the disputed Yalta conference are dead or in their declining years—their futures behind them.

But to one 63-year-old American with his eyes on the White House, the Yalta papers now published are so important to his political future as to be almost a determining factor. He is Averell Harriman, the first Democrat in 20 years to be elected governor of the state of New York.

To Support Stevenson

Harriman has announced he will support Adlai E. Stevenson for next year's Democratic presidential nomination. President Eisenhower liked Stevenson in 1952 and there is some disagreement among Democrats whether the loser wants to run next year, especially if he must run against Mr. Eisenhower, which would be likely.

Stevenson will be visiting Harriman in Albany, N. Y., Saturday, doubtless to talk 1956 politics although the meeting was tagged as social. Regardless of the circumstances of their meeting and Harriman's endorsement of Stevenson, visitors to Albany report the governor to be in the posture of a candidate.

Judgment Important

All of this makes very important to Harriman the public's final judgment on Yalta and, more specifically, his role in it. Next to Mr. Roosevelt and the late Harry Hopkins, Harriman then was the big man in U.S. relations with the Soviet Union. He was U.S. ambassador to Moscow, 1943-46. But the record is far from putting Harriman in the role of a stooge or sucker for the plots of Stalin, Molotov and company.

The books are not closed on the step-by-step means by which Generalissimo Josef Stalin came to agree to enter the war against Japan. But, on the record as so far revealed, it is possible that Harriman had made the deal long before the Yalta conference and without making any of the territorial and political concessions to the Russians which they finally obtained.

Harriman's Comment

Harriman's only comment on that and other phases of the papers now published was that he sent 1,000 or so telegrams and received as many during his ambassadorship. He wants to consult them before talking out loud, most of these did not appear in the published papers.

Wall Street

New York—(U.P.)—Stocks closed the week on a firm note with the non-average group making the best showing.

Depp Rock Oil soared 7 points and Crucible Steel nearly 2. Steels recovered from early lows but failed to duplicate their performance of yesterday. General Motors met support.

Today's closing prices on selected stocks:

American T & T	179 1/2
Anaconda	53 3/4
Chrysler	68
Curtiss Wright	22 3/4
General Electric	49 3/4
General Motors	94 1/2
Montgomery Ward	76 1/2
Penn. R. R.	27 1/2
Penney, J. C.	88
Radio	41 1/2
Southern Co.	20 1/4
Southern Pacific	56 1/4
S. Oil of Calif.	76 1/4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	40
Transamerica	40 3/4
Tri-Continental	26
United Aircraft	76
U. S. Rubber	41 3/4
U. S. Steel	78
Youngstown	76 1/4

Portland Livestock

Portland—(U.P.)—Cattle for week 2475. Choice fed steers \$23.50; good canner-cutters \$22.50; choice 1st butchers \$21.50; utility-commercial \$14.50-17. Calves for week 325. Good-choice vealers \$23-28; utility-commercial \$14-21.

Hogs for week 1635. Choice 1-2 butchers 180-225 lbs. \$18.50-19; choice 2-3 butchers 140-175 lbs. \$17.50-18; lighter weight to \$16.50.

Sheep for week 1210. Choice fall born and full woolled lambs \$21.50-22; good-choice slaughter ewes \$8-9.

Portland Produce

Portland—(U.P.)—Eggs—To retailers: Grade A large 30c; A medium 29c; A small 28c; B large 27c; B medium 26c; B small 25c; C large 24c; C medium 23c; C small 22c.

Butter—To retailers: AA grade 60c; A grade 58c; B grade 56c; C grade 54c.

Cheese—To retailers: A grade cheddar 42c; B grade 40c; C grade 38c; processed American cheese 35c; 3-lb. loaf, 39c-41c lb.

Farm Market

Pre-packaged salad was flown in from California today and quoted to retailers at \$2 a dozen for cabbage and carrot and \$2.15 for shredded carrots and raisins. There was little action at the East Side Farmers market.

Poultry, Rabbits

Live Chickens—To growers: No. 1 quality f.o.b. Portland: Fryers, 2 1/2 to 4 lbs., 25c lb.; at farm, 26c lb.; roasters, 4 1/2 lbs., 25c lb. f.o.b. Portland, 28c at ranch; light hens, 17-18c; heavy hens, all weights, 19-21c lb.; old roosters, 10-11c lb.

Dressed Chickens—No. 1 dressed to retailers: Fryers, New York style, 39-40c lb.; roasters, 40-41c; hens, light-type, New York style, 38-39c; cut-up, 42-43c; hens, heavy type, N.Y. style, 32-33c; whole-drawn, 43-44c; fryers, cut up, all weights, 48-51c; whole-drawn, 48-51c.

Turkeys—To retailers: A grade hens ready to cook, 48-50c; N. Y. dressed, 44c lb.; Beltsville A grade hens, oven-ready to 32c; Beltsville toms, 47c lb.

A grade toms, oven-ready, 41c lb.

Rabbits (average to growers, f.o.b. killing plants)—Live, white, 34-41c; 15-21c up; 5-6 lbs., 15-16c; colored, 4c under; old does, 9-11c lb.; a few higher. Fresh dressed fryers to retailers, 55-58c; cut up, 61-64c.

Portland Cash Grain

Portland—Prices as reported by the USDA market news service: Wheat, No. 2 soft white, \$70.75 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, \$33 ton f.o.b. Portland; standard millrun prompt shipment, \$42-43.50 ton; cars prompt delivery Portland; No. 2 yellow corn, \$66.25 ton f.o.b. Portland.

Wholesale hay prices: No. 2 green alfalfa, baled, f.o.b. Portland, \$37 trucks, \$39 rail; Timothy mixed hay, \$36-38 a ton, f.o.b. rail car, Seattle.

Portland grain exchange: Thursday's close: Bid 2.28

Soft white, no rex 2.38

White club 2.38

An another front, Harriman helped put the brakes on a plan to give the Soviet Union large post-war credits.

He shows up, also, bucking the British and the Russians on giving huge areas of Poland to Russia.

It would appear on the face of the facts as so far developed that Harriman's close relationship to the Yalta conference would not greatly handicap his political career. It will be up to the Republicans to alter that situation, if they can.

Knowland Says Russia UN Charter Violator

New York—(U.P.)—Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland said last night the Soviet Union should have been expelled from the United Nations for failing to support U.N. action in Korea.

Knowland said Russia is an "admitted violator" of the U.N. Charter and the resolutions in support of the Republic of Korea.

The California Republican told a St. Patrick's Day gathering of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick that admission of Communist China into the United Nations would "violate the moral foundation upon which the United Nations is supposed to rest. It would be putting a premium on aggression."

Obituaries

ADELARD DALLAIRE

Funeral services are pending at Perl funeral home for Adelard Dallaire, route 1, Jacksonville, who died today.

NEWTON SHARPLES

Newton A. Sharples, 35, of 16 Chestnut st., died today. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of funeral arrangements.

LULU SAYLOR

Mrs. Lulu M. Saylor, 16, South Orange st., died today. Conger-Morris funeral home is in charge of funeral arrangements.

ORLANDO WALTER

Funeral services for Orlando Harvey Walter, 75, 823 Constant ave., Central Point, who died Thursday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel Monday at 10:30 a. m. with the Rev. Harry Heck officiating. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Pall bearers will be Arnold Bohner, Roy Colpitts, Benton Boyce, Roy J. Gish, J. M. Weidman and Delmar Smith.

The deceased was born Oct. 27, 1879, in Bascom, O. He had been a resident of southern Oregon since 1911, and lived at Talent for 18 years prior to moving to Central Point 13 years ago. He was a member of the Central Point Grange and the Zion Lutheran church.

Survivors include a son, Edward L., a brother, James E., and three grandchildren, all of Central Point.

LARRY BAYLOR

Private graveside services for Larry Dale Baylor, the infant son of David D. and Bonnie Baylor, Talent, who died Wednesday, will be held in Ashland cemetery Saturday at 1 p. m. with the Rev. Ross Knotts of the Ashland First Methodist church officiating. Ashland Mortuary is in charge of funeral arrangements.

Survivors in addition to the parents include a sister, Glenda, and the grandparents, Mrs. Jennie Baylor and Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Taylor, all of Talent.

PIERCE MITCHELL

Masonic funeral services for F. Pierce Mitchell, 70, of Gold Hill, who died Wednesday, will be held in Conger-Morris chapel Saturday at 9:30 a. m. with members of Central Point Lodge No. 135, AF&AM, officiating. Committal will be in Siskiyou Memorial park.

The deceased was born July 17, 1884, at Welch, W. Va. He had been a resident of the Rogue river valley for many years, making his home in Gold Hill for the past eight years. He was a member of the United Baptist church, Logan, W. Va., and of St. Helens Lodge No. 32, AF&AM. On Feb. 26, 1904, in Pike county, Kentucky, he was married to Elizabeth Mounts, who survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Jake L., Wolf Creek, Ore.; and Franklin P. Jr., Jacksonville; two daughters, Mrs. Polly Archibald, San Francisco, Calif., and Mrs. A. L. Bowman, Portland; three brothers, J. J. Mitchell, Gardena, Calif.; Gilbert, Freeburne, Ky., and Eli, Washington, D. C.; two sisters, Mrs. E. O. Raub, Highland, Calif., and Mrs. Ellen Goff, Jacksonville, Fla.; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Kindergarten Bill Receives Protests

Salem—(U.P.)—Operators of private kindergartens said yesterday a bill to regulate their schools would put them out of business.

The bill which would put State Health Department controls on all private kindergartens and other special schools for pre-school children was considered at a legislative hearing.

At present only day nurseries providing all day care are covered by Health Department controls.

Opponents of the measure said the additional requirements under the bill would make it impossible for them to continue operating their schools. Supporters of the legislation said the controls were needed for the protection of children against fire, health and safety hazards.

In one instance the committee gave the President more than he asked, putting up an extra \$750,000 to start research on mentally retarded children. It called this "a great and growing problem" with 3,000,000 to 5,000,000 youngsters accepted.

BLM Plans To Spend \$225,000 in Oregon

Washington—(U.P.)—The Bureau of Land Management plans to spend \$225,000 in Oregon during the next year on soil conservation projects.

Bureau Director Edward Woolley named this figure yesterday in an appearance before a House Appropriations Subcommittee. Woolley said the bureau wants \$2,680,000 for the agency's soil and moisture conservation treatment program.

The work in Oregon which the bureau expects to continue includes sand dune stabilization along the coast near Florence, range revegetation, protective fencing, stock water reservoir work in grazing districts and the conservation program in the Langell valley pilot soil conservation district.

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House Appropriations Committee Cuts Ike's Labor, Health Budget

Washington—(U.P.)—The House Appropriations Committee, taking its second Democratic whack at President Eisenhower's Republican budget, claimed today to have chopped about 10 per cent out of requested funds for the Department of Labor and Health, Education and Welfare.

Among other cuts in a \$2,337,522,261 money bill for the two departments and related agencies, the committee denied all funds for Civil Defense planning for such emergency activity as a labor draft in event of atomic attack.

It knocked out a \$200,000 item for "cooperative research" by the office of education and a \$120,000 request to finance a new National Advisory Committee on Education. It lopped \$100,000 off a \$200,000 request for the White House conference on education and said no more would be forthcoming for this purpose.

Record high this date 78 in 1934. Record low this date 23 in 1924. PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight, none. Midnight to 10 a. m., none. Total this month 19 in. .76 in. below normal.

Total since Sept. 1, 6.75 inches, 7.09 inches below normal.

HUMIDITY: Lowest yesterday 22%; highest this a. m. 99%.

CITY High Low Prec.

Brookings 62 38

Crater Lake 45 14

Grants Pass 61 27

Klamath Falls 59 27

Medford 63 27

Portland 54 36 T

Seattle 48 39

Spokane 45 30

Yakima 58 30

Eureka 51 38

Red Bluff 71 40

Sacramento 69 38

San Francisco 61 41

Los Angeles 70 32

Phoenix 69 44

Denver 35 20

Chicago 35 22

Miami 80 72

Honolulu, T.H. — (U.P.)—The Hawaiian Islands were on the alert last night because of a tidal wave that failed to develop.

Earthquake experts in Alaska reported that a strong quake had occurred off the Kamchatka peninsula on the Russian Pacific coast. And they said it presented great danger of a tidal wave that could roll across the Pacific toward the Hawaiian Islands. The islands went on the alert.

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