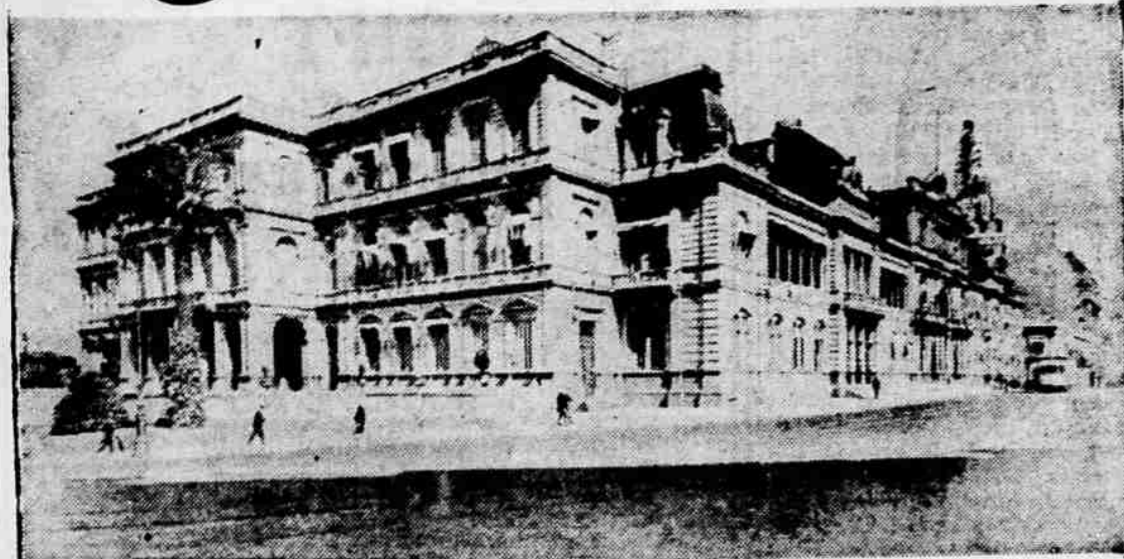


Argentine Churches Burned; 156 Lose Lives



Peron Ties Revolt With Campaign Against Church

Hundreds Injured; Appeal to Priests

Montevideo, Uruguay—(U.P.)—Roman Catholic churches in Buenos Aires were burned and the home of Santiago Luis Cardinal Copello was reported destroyed today in the wake of an abortive attempt to overthrow the government of President Juan D. Peron.

Peron, indirectly confirming the wave of arson that swept the Argentine capital after yesterday's outbreak, blamed Communists and said "they did not even respect religious buildings that are priceless relics of our historic heritage."

"The government deplures and condemns the excesses committed by Communist elements in various parts of the city," the President said in his second nationwide broadcast in less than 24 hours.

The revolt took at least 156 lives. Hundreds were injured. He appealed to both priests and workers to help maintain peace and to put down rumors.

Refers To Church

Dispatches reaching here through heavy Argentine censorship said that six churches and one basilica were fired in the heart of Buenos Aires where the heaviest fighting took place. One dispatch said the curia, which adjoins the Metropolitan Cathedral and which is the center of church activities in Argentina, was destroyed.

In today's broadcast, Peron for the first time linked the revolt with the government campaign against the church.

He said the church-state relationship must be settled by elections and he added:

"Yesterday's example should awaken the conscience of Catholics so that they too may await the elections."

Peron said that all rebels will be given a fair trial "because we must respect the law."

Meetings Prohibited

He stressed again the loyal behavior of the Army during yesterday's fighting and said that the "Army and the police are in charge of measures to prevent new excesses, but all within the law."

He reminded the populace again that the nation was under a state of siege, banning meetings and rallies.

Reports reaching Montevideo through the heavy Argentine censorship said 156 persons were killed in the revolt, 96 persons critically injured and about 800 persons less severely injured. Most of the victims died when rebel planes bombed and strafed the capital.

The official Argentine radio and all other radio stations in the country sent out bulletins throughout the night saying that complete calm reigned throughout Argentina, but observers in neighboring Uruguay said this indicated some resistance continued.

Excitement High As San Francisco Waits UN Meeting

San Francisco — (U.P.) — San Francisco made final preparations today for the 10th anniversary meeting of the United Nations, with excitement over the historic conference mounting by the hour.

Leading diplomats from throughout the world were converging by train, plane and ship on this city by the Golden Gate where the U.N. was born in 1945.

Birthday Party

Several of the early arrivals agreed that the seven-day conference, which opens in the War Memorial Opera House Monday, would be more than a "birthday party."

Dr. Eelco Van Kleffens, president of the General Assembly who will preside over the sessions, said he expected "much constructive work" would be accomplished here next week.

Van Kleffens, who arrived Thursday night, said that in his position as assembly president he was unable to comment on possible "secret" conferences among the Big Four foreign ministers, but he indicated any such talks might steal the show from the main meeting.

Much Expected

Dr. Charles Malik, Lebanon's ambassador to the U. S., was another early arrival who predicted the Big Four ministers could accomplish much in preparation for the "summit" meeting among the United States, Britain, France and Russia at Geneva, Switzerland, next month.

Malik said he considered the meetings here a "milestone of history" and he hoped that one result of the conference would be an easing of the deadlock over admission of new members to the U.N., including Red China.

Russia's delegation, headed by Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov, was enroute across the United States by train and due to arrive here early Saturday.



REVOLT IN ARGENTINA — Planes with the revolutionary elements of the Argentine navy and air force strafed the government palace (upper photo) in Buenos Aires yesterday. They also bombed the adjacent Plaza de Mayo where civilians and ground forces loyal to the government manned anti-aircraft guns. Argentine President Juan Peron (lower photo) was excommunicated by the Vatican for the arrest and deportation of two prelates during turmoil between the Catholic church and the State.

Church Subcommittee Studies Presbyterian Church Site Request

A subcommittee of the Oregon Council of Churches has under advisement plans for a new Presbyterian church location in east Medford, following a hearing on the matter yesterday.

The area in question is a tract on the corner of Groveland ave. and Oakwood dr., which has tentatively been picked as the possible site of a new Presbyterian church if one is established in Medford. Representatives of the Presbyterian Synod of Oregon appeared at the hearing seeking approval for the location.

Three Members

The subcommittee is part of the committee on planning and strategy of the state council, and members included Dr. Charles Adelman, executive secretary of the Christian Churches of Oregon; Dr. Meredith A. Groves, Eugene, former Medford minister who is Methodist district superintendent for southern Oregon, and Dr. Dewitt Safford, United Presbyterian executive for Oregon and Washington.

No decision was made following the hearing yesterday. Presbyterians who are interested in the possible organization of a new church here, and Congregationalists who object to the location, which is adjacent to the local Congregational church, presented their views.

Two Sides Given

Dr. Henry Green, executive of the Presbyterian synod, presented the Presbyterian request for the allocation and the need which prompted the request, and Dr. Paul A. Davies, superintendent of the Congregational Conference of Oregon, voiced the protests of the Congregationalists to the location of another church so close to theirs.

Also participating briefly in the discussion were Dr. D. Kirkland West, minister of the First Presbyterian church of Medford; the Rev. Thomas McCamant, of the Congregational church, and lay members of both churches.

Prof. John Berry, of Pacific university, who is in charge of research for the planning and strategy committee, also took part.

To Make Recommendation

After considering the arguments presented at the hearing, the subcommittee will submit its recommendation to the full committee at the next meeting on July 6. It is expected the committee will make its decision at that meeting.

It was also announced at the hearing that the Methodists have requested an allocation for a church site where Barnett rd. and Murphy lane intersect southeast of Medford, near the proposed site of the new Rogue Valley Memorial hospital. Dr. Raymond Balcomb, minister of the First Methodist church here, was present to answer questions about these plans, although this discussion was incidental to the purpose of the hearing.

Imlah Resentenced To Die on August 18

Hood River — (U.P.) — Donald Duane Imlah, 20, was resented today by Circuit Judge Malcolm W. Wilkerson to die Aug. 18 in the gas chamber at Oregon state penitentiary.

He was convicted of the fatal shooting of Bruce Houck, Hood River chicken farmer, July 8, 1953. The original conviction was without recommendation for leniency and made the death sentence mandatory.

The youth was first sentenced to die Feb. 23, 1954, but his attorneys, John Moore, Hood River, and Lloyd Hamilton, Portland, appealed the case to the state supreme court. The appeal was rejected earlier this year and Imlah was sent back to Hood River county for resentencing.

Baseball

NATIONAL	Philadelphia	3	5	1
	Chicago	2	8	1
	Simmons and Lopata; Rush and Chiti.			
AMERICAN	Cleveland	5	11	0
	Boston	6	13	0
	Wynn and Hegan; Naragon; Brewer, Kiely (8), Hurd (8) and White.			

Many Roosters Due In Crowing Contest

Rogue River — More than 100 birds are expected to be entered in the annual Rogue River Rooster Crowing contest, which starts at noon here tomorrow.

Entries will close at 11 a.m. for the contest. A total of \$250 in cash prizes will be awarded, including \$100 and a trophy for first place. Second place will get \$50 and the other \$100 will be divided among other places.

Also featured tomorrow will be a free barbecue of beef, and Saturday night, the 12-week dancing season of the Rogue River Boosters club will start.

Shade Combs is general chairman of the contest.

South American Bike Rider in Portland

Portland — (U.P.) — A 28-year-old scoutmaster from the South American republic of Colombia who had pedaled a bicycle all the way from home en route to the international Boy Scout jamboree in Canada said today he thought he would find another way to return home.

Israel Alfonso Acevedo Valderrama stopped off here to rest his weary legs and say a few words through an interpreter about the Pacific Northwest. He plans to head through Canada to the scout jamboree at Niagara-on-the-lake, Ont., August 18-28.

"I'm tired," he said. "If I can't buy a motorcycle, I think I'll work my way back on a ship."

Valderrama, with a smile, said Oregon has too much rain. But he said he was impressed with the beauty of the Pacific Northwest.

Valderrama has ridden his bicycle more than 35,000 miles.

Forest Grove, Ore. — (U.P.) — Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bryant, foster parents of Bill Wilson, said they had been notified of his death in Korea from the explosion of a faulty hand grenade.

Oil Cartel Suit Ready Within Year

Washington — (U.P.) — Asst. Atty. Gen. Stanley N. Barnes told press today he hopes to have the government's oil cartel suit ready for prosecution within the next year.

The suit, filed by Atty. Gen. Herbert Brownell Jr., in 1953, accuses five major U.S. oil companies of a conspiracy to control and split up world oil production and markets.

Barnes also said the department may be ready within a year to start prosecution of a second case involving monopoly charges against oil companies in the Pacific Coast area.

He said the cartel case against Sococo Vacuum, The Texas Co., Gulf and Standard Oil of New Jersey and California is "far and away the most important action" the government has brought against the oil industry.

Cave-in of Rock Quarry Wall Fatal To Eugene Man; Another Saved from Rocks

Eugene — (U.P.) — A rock quarry wall caved in 12 miles southwest of here yesterday, burying two workmen under tons of sandstone.

Killed by the slide was Earl Allison, 45, Eugene, a power shovel operator at the L. P. Stubblefield rock quarry.

Rescued by Workmen

Wilton Endicott, 34, Springfield, was buried for 30 minutes under six feet of rock, but was rescued by other workmen. He suffered a broken tailbone and severe bruises.

Sheriff Ed Elder said the accident occurred shortly before noon as Allison was loading En-

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Adenauer C. Into Big Three Strategy Meeting

Attitude Toward Moscow Bid Sought

New York — (U.P.) — The Western Big Three foreign ministers today called West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer into their strategy meeting to learn his attitude toward Moscow's bid to open diplomatic relations with their country.

Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, British Foreign Secretary Harold MacMillan and French Foreign Minister Antoine Pinay met for the second day to form a united front for next week's San Francisco meeting with Soviet Foreign Minister Viacheslav M. Molotov.

To Meet Monday

The four foreign ministers were scheduled to meet Monday, concurrently with the United Nations' 10th anniversary commemorative session, to arrange for the July 18 "summit meeting" of the Big Four heads of government at Geneva.

Meeting for two hours and 40 minutes Thursday at Wave Hill, the official residence of Britain's ambassador to the U.N., the Western Big Three ministers agreed that they would present no agenda for the summit meeting to Molotov.

The United States accepted the "no agenda" idea favored by Britain and France. The argument was that if an agenda is put before the Geneva conference, time will be wasted in debating its adoption.

Crisis Discussed

The ministers spent much of their time discussing the Far Eastern crisis and disarmament, both topics which Russia was considered certain to raise at the summit session.

The U. S. position was that the Geneva conference was not the place to discuss either topic. Washington has held that the Far Eastern crisis should be settled in direct talks between the U.S. and Red China with direct or indirect participation by Nationalist China. Disarmament is under exhaustive discussion by the U.N., with the five major atomic powers—the U.S., Russia, Britain, France and Canada — having recently interrupted 13 weeks of secret talks to consider at length a "new" proposal put up by Russia.

Soviet Moves Aired

The three ministers talked at length Thursday about Russia's recent moves, apparently designed to ease the cold war, such as the agreement to an Austrian treaty, the reconciliation with Yugoslavia and the overtures to West Germany.

Dulles, a highly-placed informant said, doubted Russia's sincerity in these moves and said the U.S. maintained a "Missouri attitude — you've got to show me."

Annexation Facts Due at Meeting

An explanation of the proposed annexation of a large area east, south and west of the present Medford city limits is scheduled at a meeting to be held at 8 p.m. today in the courthouse auditorium.

The meeting is being held for residents of the area west of Peach st. Similar meetings for residents of other parts of the proposed annexation area are being arranged by the Jackson County Public Health association.

Speakers at tonight's meeting will include Mayor Earl Miller and City Manager Robert Duff.

Gem and Mineral Show Opening Here Saturday

The third annual Southern Oregon Gem and Mineral show will open at the boys' gymnasium of the Medford Junior High school at 10 a.m. tomorrow. It will run until 10 p.m. that day, and reopen at 10 a.m. Sunday.

Slide and fluorescent shows will be given during the day, in addition to a wide range of exhibits of worked and polished stones.

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Last Germans Scan Revolt Possibility

Salem — (U.P.) — The State Emergency Board today approved a plan to give merit raises to state employees who merit them and to enable the State Civil Service Department to adjust salaries to eliminate inequities.

But the action was not taken before the members had been assured by Charles W. Terry, civil service director, and Harry Dorman, director of the state Department of Finance and Administration, that no money would be spent on hiring new help or in granting an overall raise.

Cushion for Emergencies

Terry said there would be a "cushion" of at least \$500,000 to meet such an emergency as a sharp rise in competitive wages for such key workers as engineers and appraisers.

Biggest merit raises for state employees will go to these and other technical workers, Terry told the board. R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, said the two vast highway building programs now before Congress might result in a critical shortage of engineers, with a resultant increase of competition between the states and between the states and private contractors for such help.

Terry said some 15 engineers in the highway department already have offers of higher salaries in California.

Differentials Considered

Philip Joss of Portland, chairman of the Civil Service Commission, said area differentials were being considered for the lower paid jobs retaining a minimum pay scale for the low pay

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area allowing increased steps in ratings to areas with higher scales.

In those cases where maximum rates for classifications have been reduced, workers earning more than the new maximums will have a year to transfer to some other state job.

City Paving Bids Opened; All Over Original Estimates

Warren Northwest company of Portland submitted the lowest of three bids opened today for paving projects at municipal airport and on four Medford streets. All bids were higher than estimates.

Northwest's bid totaled \$110,266.75 on the five projects. It was \$11,431.25 over engineer's estimates of \$98,835.50 for the projects. Bids, which were opened this noon, were being checked regarding project items.

The city council Tuesday night will consider the bids.

Other Bids

Other bids were submitted by J. C. Compton company of McMinnville, \$111,626.75; and by United Contracting company of Portland, \$119,162.75.

The airport project includes paving about 3,500 feet of the main north-south runway and about 1,600 feet of taxiway.

Street paving projects include Hamilton st. between 13th st. and 106 feet south of 11th st.; Jackson st. between Minley ave. and Berkeley Way; Capital ave. between Sunrise ave. and Valley View dr.; and Park ave. between Catherine st. and Stewart ave.

The projects were approved by the council recently.

Two inches of asphaltic concrete, plus curbs and gutters were included in bid prices, except on Capital ave., where curbs and gutters have been installed.

Individual Offers

Bid totals on individual projects are:

Airport—Northwest, \$62,545; Compton, \$61,874; United, \$67,885; estimate \$55,349.

Hamilton st. — North west, \$8,229.50; Compton, \$8,413.50; United, \$9,111; estimate \$7,340.

Jackson st.—Northwest, \$21,997.50; Compton, \$22,802.50; United, \$23,474; estimate, \$20,880.

Capital ave.—Northwest, \$7,205; Compton, \$7,700; United \$7,692.50; estimate, \$5,847.50.

Park ave.—Northwest, \$10,289.75; Compton, \$10,836.75; United, \$11,000.25; estimate, \$9,439.

Citizens' Arrest Made Yesterday

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Jittery Leaders Assign Guards To Key Points

Commies Clash With West Berlin Police

Berlin — (U.P.) — East German Communists mustered full forces today against any recurrence of the workers' revolt that rocked the Soviet satellite empire on this date two years ago.

Jittery Red leaders alerted their entire security forces, including the 120,000-man police army, and placed guards on all government buildings, railway stations and other key points.

Evidence of the tension appeared Thursday night when several hundred Communists crossed into West Berlin and clashed with police. Authorities said 129 Reds were arrested during the club-swinging demonstrations.

West Police on Alert

West Berlin police stood by today to prevent further riots which they believed were aimed at disrupting memorial services for victims of the 1953 uprising.

A police spokesman said the riots broke out without warning at three points in West Berlin, but were put down before they could get out of control. Police clubs were broken on the heads of the rioters in a series of sharp clashes before some 1,000 demonstrators were driven across the border.

East German government and party officials were warned not to travel in the zone except on urgent business. Rail journeys to Berlin were banned.

The June 17 anniversary is a public holiday in both West Berlin and West Germany and has been officially named "The Day of Unity."

Giant Rally Tonight

A giant rally was scheduled for tonight outside West Berlin City Hall. It was feared Communist "goon squads" may be sent across the border to create disorder.

Sparked by a work quota issue, the revolt, the first such mass action against Communism ever recorded, turned into a general strike against all Communist restrictions. Government buildings were sacked, police barracks burned, Communist banners destroyed.

Soviet troops and tanks were called in to battle the rebels. Eight persons were known to have been killed in East Berlin alone. Thousands were arrested. West German officials estimated 42 were sentenced to death immediately after the uprising.

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Radio Prize Winnings Ruled Not Taxable

Portland — (U.P.) — A Portland couple was notified today that they need not pay \$2400 income taxes on the \$1125 in cash they received as a prize from a radio quiz show.

The Bureau of Internal Revenue had attempted to collect the tax, claiming the prize was part of their taxable income. But the federal tax court ruled that the cash and merchandise prize, totalling more than \$12,000, was to be considered a gift and not income.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. Campeau, Portland, won the prizes in 1949 when a Hollywood quiz show called and asked them two questions. They provided correct answers to both and the prizes were sent to them. The tax court decided that since the Campeaus did not solicit the prizes nor enter the competition voluntarily, their winnings should be considered a gift.

Oil Drilling Effort Near Astoria Fails

Astoria — (U.P.) — Standard Oil Company's exploratory well in the Lewis and Clark valley near here has failed to produce and the site will be abandoned within a week, according to a company representative.

L. B. McMichael, head of Standard's oil explorations in the Pacific Northwest, and the Pike Drilling Co. went down to a depth of 7101 feet before Standard decided to abandon the effort. He said deposits proved to be "nothing commercial."

McMichael said Standard has no present plans for further exploration in Clatsop county.

Patterson Addresses Girls State Session

Salem — (U.P.) — Sandra Karls of Beaverton was inaugurated as governor of Girls State here today.

Gov. Paul L. Patterson spoke on the importance of citizenship participation in government.

Speaker of the House Judge Kessler of Cottage Grove welcomed the Senate, then turned the joint meeting over to Senate President Sue Higdon of Cottage Grove.

Weather

FORECAST: Considerable cloudiness tonight and Saturday. Possibility of scattered light showers early this evening. Little change in temperature. Low tonight 46. High Saturday 79.

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