

Sen. Neuberger Forecasts Russian Advantage In Power Unless U.S. Policies Are Revised

Washington — Failure to use such sites as Hells Canyon "for the fullest possible development" could react to the advantage of Russia in the worldwide tapping of energy resources, Senator Richard L. Neuberger of Oregon said in a speech in the Senate recently.

Neuberger cited new hydroelectric projects, now under construction in the Soviet Union, which he said would be more

productive than any plants on earth except Grand Coulee. He declared that these huge Russian dams are a contrast with the Republican administration's "apparent willingness to surrender so mightily a site as Hells Canyon for the puny dams planned by the Idaho Power company."

Can't Afford 'Sacrifice'
While pointing out that the United States is still far ahead in the production of electric power, Neuberger contended that this country could not afford to "sacrifice" what he called its "premium" power sites. He reminded the Senate that the potential water-power output of the Soviet Union actually is greater than that of all of North America, even including such rivers as the Yukon, the St. Lawrence and the Athabasca.

Figures compiled by the Joint Committee on the Economic Report showed Russia has a hydro-power potential of 469,000,000,000 kilowatt hours and all of North America only 363,920,000,000 kilowatt hours, Neuberger said.

"If the Administration's policy of partial development at Hells Canyon is followed elsewhere, our full potential will never be reached and we will lag behind in this phase of energy resource use," he added.

'Ultimate Showdown'
"Water power is the ultimate showdown phase of the international contest," said the Oregon senator, "for water power can be generated without consuming such limited resources as oil and coal. Water power involves only a renewable resource, which is replenished with each winter's snowfall in the mountains, whether those mountain are

the Rockies or the Urals."

The Russians are known to be building "huge waterpower projects" at Kuibyshev, Kakhovka and Stalingrad with a total installed capacity of about 4,000,000 kilowatts, he said. The Kuibyshev, dam will eventually generate 2,000,000 kilowatts, Stalingrad 1,700,000 kilowatts, and Kakhovka 250,000 kilowatts. He said information from behind the Iron Curtain indicated the Gorky power station, a 400,000 kilowatt unit, was to be brought to full production this year.

'A Fact of Life'
Growth of Russian power potential was described by Neuberger as "a fact of life" which was "not something to be dispelled by political campaign speeches or Hoover Commission reports bawling the existence of TVA and the Bonneville Power Administration."

"The Soviet Union may not catch up with us in power production during our lifetime but no one knows how long the so-

called cold war will last, and we cannot abandon or neglect the interests of Americans of the future," Neuberger stated.

"The magnitude of the power developments now being undertaken by Russia are sufficiently impressive to give any patriotic American pause — and during this pause, that Americans might well want to review that attitude of the present Republican administration toward such power sites as Hells Canyon," he added.

"In the struggle between the free world and the Soviet world, energy reserves will play a decisive role in the ultimate production of nuclear weapons, as well as more conventional armaments. Energy also is decisive in the manufacture of the articles of peace, those manufactured goods which contribute to a nation's living standards. In the race to maintain leadership in the cold war, our nation should not be led down a course which will reduce the number of kilowatts needed for the future," Senator Neuberger concluded.



TO ANSWER SUBPOENA—Financier Louis E. Wolfson, shown in his car in Washington after his arrival by train from the West Coast for questioning about the eleven-day-old transit strike in the nation's capital. Wolfson, chairman of the board of the strike-bound Capital Transit Co., will go before Senate subcommittee in answer to a subpoena served on him in Los Angeles.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—FIVE

French Assembly OKs Austria Peace Treaty

Paris—(U.P.)—The National Assembly voted unanimously today to ratify the Austrian Peace Treaty.

The vote was 613 to zero, with no abstentions.

The vote came less than two hours after the Assembly met. It had not been expected until tonight.

The treaty next goes to the Senate Council of the Republic where ratification is only a formality. France's ratification will be completed when President Rene Coty signs the document. All the other signatory countries, Austria, the United States, Britain and the Soviet Union—already have ratified the treaty.

ON VACATION

Camp White—Special Services Chief Frank Glonning and family will head back to his home in Minnesota by trailer Wednesday, to be gone a month on vacation leave. Recreation Director Franklin Girard will be in charge of special services activities during Glonning's absence.

Court Records

POLICE COURT
Mary Helen Schuler, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Steven Gene Tipton, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Gary Wayne Huener, excessive noise, \$10.
Leo Shelby Calloway, failure to stop (light), \$5.

DISTRICT COURT
Robert E. Fowler, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10.
William M. Foran, no mud flaps, \$10.
David W. Byers, expired vehicle license, \$10.
Erwin R. Hollister, no tail lights, \$5.
Allen R. Hickey, overwidth load, \$10.
Lloyd K. Thorpe, overwidth, overwidth load, \$272.50.
Ronald D. McIntyre, failure to operate on right side of highway, \$8.
Virgil D. Jackson, passing school bus receiving and discharging children, \$15.
Wilfred Baudry, no overdrive permit, \$15.
Kenneth R. Fennell, overwidth, \$27.50.
Joan N. Farris, failure to stop at stop sign, \$15.
James D. Whitley, failure to stop at stop sign, \$15.
Leroy R. Bailey, four in front seat, \$7.50.
Howard S. Wilson, no clearance light, \$15.
Raldolph E. Baldwin, defective horn, \$5.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS
William Edward Bates, 20, of 1486 Allison st., Ashland, and Katherine Marie York, 19, route 1, box 42, Ashland.
Richard Theodore Hanson, 22, of 863 Marshall ave., Medford, and Edith Doreen McCarty, 18, of 2618 Table Rock rd., Medford.
Morgan Frederick Lutton, 54, route 2, Yreka, Calif., and Anna Lewis, 55, route 2, Yreka, Calif.

Cleveland — At least one out of 10 American school children is in need of special help in reading, according to vision tests.

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

I suppose you must have noted that the unconquerable strait of Juan de Fuca has been conquered at last. This thing that no one had ever been able to do before was done the other day by Bert Thomas, of Tacoma—a former U.S. Marine, incidentally.

He set out for Port Angeles, on the Washington side. Eleven hours and ten minutes after he slipped into the icy waters of the strait at Port Angeles he came out of the water at Victoria, some 18 miles away.

Thus the strait of Juan de Fuca joins the English channel and the Dardanelles. All of them challenged that strange instinct in man which leads him to seek to conquer the unconquerable.

FOOLISH, you say?

There are better things for men to do than risking their lives seeking to conquer the unconquerable?

Wait a minute.

Columbus was driven by that same urge when he set out to sail around the world—which men then believed to be flat. On the way around, he stubbed his toe on the Western Hemisphere—whose existence was not then even suspected.

GREAT GOOD TO THE WORLD has come of that accidental discovery.

WHAT will happen when all the earth's unconquerable have been conquered? I wouldn't know—but listen to this:

Lawrence Bell, founder of the Bell Aircraft Corporation, said in Buffalo the other day that aviation has taken one major step and has two to go. The first step, he pointed out, was taken when the Wright brothers proved that man need not be earthbound.

Our next step, he added, is to prove we can operate outside the earth's atmosphere.

The third step will follow when we can operate outside the gravity field of the earth.

LET'S leave it there.

That's far enough for man to go.

EMPLOYMENT in the United States passed the 64,000,000 mark in June of this year. That is to say, by the end of June more than 64,000,000 people had jobs in this country. That's more people than ever had jobs in our nation before.

And—

MORE MACHINES WERE BEING USED IN OUR COUNTRY THAN EVER BEFORE.

THERE was a time when we regarded the machine as an ogre that took men's jobs away. We didn't just think it. We KNEW it.

IT turned out to be one of the many, many things we know **THAT AIN'T SO.**

United Press To Have Large Corps At Geneva Parley

Geneva—(U.P.)—The United Press put two special bureaus into operation today to serve as headquarters for its news and photo coverage of next week's historic Big Four conference.

The two conference bureaus, plus the regular U.P. Geneva office, will be manned by a large corps of reporters, writers, photographers and technicians from U.P. bureaus in Washington, London, Paris, Rome, Frankfurt and Bonn.

Tatarian in Charge

The special news staff in Geneva will be headed by Roger Tatarian, U.P. general European news manager. Merriman Smith, U.P. White House reporter, will fly here from Washington to cover President Eisenhower's activities.

Other editors and reporters whom the U.P. is planning to send to the conference are Gene Patterson, manager of the London bureau; Joseph W. Grigg, U.P. manager for Germany; Karol C. Thaler and Kenneth Miller, diplomatic correspondents from the London bureau; Henry Shapiro, for 15 years U.P. bureau manager in Moscow; Rudy Wechmar, chief diplomatic correspondent in Bonn, and Gerard de Sede of the Paris bureau. The conference staff will also include Melville Mark, U.P. resident correspondent in Geneva.

Central Building
The main U.P. conference news bureau is located in the Geneva Electoral palace which has been designated by Swiss authorities as the central press building for the conference.

It will be linked with U.P.'s European leased wire network by a special teletype circuit that will carry conference news exclusively.

The U. P. newspapers bureau for the conference also will be located in the Electoral Palace. Special darkroom and telephoto facilities are being installed to enable the fastest possible transmission of newspapers by wire or radio to any receiving point in the world. The photo staff will be headed by Leo J. Stoeker, U.P. executive newspapers editor for Europe.

Soviet Drama Critic Cleared for Festival

Washington—(U.P.)—A Russian drama critic headed for a Shakespeare festival in Stamford, Conn. today through the "very pink of courtesy" (Romeo and Juliet) of the State Department.

Connecticut is off limits to Soviet citizens. But the Russian Embassy Saturday asked the State Department to "break the bitter bread of banishment" (Richard II) and allow Efvegeni V. Litoshko to cover the event.

The department agreed to do so—"no act of common passage, but a strain of rareness" (Cymbeline). But "lest too light winning made the prize light" (Tempest), it waited until late Monday to approve the trip.

Not wanting to "give dalliance to much reign" (Tempest), it gave him permission to stay for only "several" days.

In a note, Secretary of State John Foster Dulles told Russia he hopes it would relax its travel restrictions for Americans in similar circumstances.

JUDGE APPOINTED

Salem—(U.P.)—Gov. Paul Patterson yesterday announced the appointment of Kenneth A. Poole of Eugene as District Court judge for Lane county. Poole will succeed Chester N. Anderson who resigned.

MONEY BILL SIGNED

Washington—(U.P.)—President Eisenhower signed into law yesterday a bill requiring the inscription "In God We Trust" to be put on all U. S. currency and coins. The words now appear on coins but not on paper money.

LOOK

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