

Defense Department Gives Explanation of Special Planes for Three Senators

Washington — (U.P.)—The Defense Department Saturday said that the Air Force knew in advance that three senators—for whom special planes are being sent to Europe—had to be back

in the United States by certain dates. The department issued the new statement in the face of heated denials by the three senators that they had asked for special flights by two large Air Force transports to return them to the United States. The special flights will cost the Air Force more than \$20,000.

The three senators, who have been touring Europe and the Middle East to check on defense spending, are Democrats John L. McClellan (Ark.), John Stennis (Miss.) and Dennis Chavez (N.M.).

The Defense Department, ad-

mitting there has been "some misunderstanding" about the senators' trip, sought to "clarify the matter" with a "chronology of what happened."

To Return Today

One four-engine transport,

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which flew across the Atlantic empty, is now in Madrid and scheduled to return today with Stennis and McClellan and their wives. Another four-engine transport is scheduled to fly across the Atlantic to pick up Chavez and his wife in Paris on Nov. 3.

The chronology showed that the Defense Department escort officer accompanying the senators had been advised before the senators left this country on Sept. 20 that Stennis and McClellan desired to leave from Madrid on Oct. 23 and Chavez from Paris on Nov. 3.

The statement said that, "The

senators were advised that a way would be found to make suitable air transportation available on those dates."

On Oct. 10, when the senators were in Europe, the department said, a message was sent to the Defense Department escort officer Col. Ralph J. Watson, stating that aircraft in Europe on other missions would be available to pick up Stennis and McClellan in Madrid on Oct. 23 and Chavez in Paris on Nov. 6.

Requested Check

The message asked Watson to "determine if these arrangements satisfactory." The message continued:

"If these arrangements satisfactory, it will not be necessary to send two aircraft" from the United States to pick up the senators.

On Oct. 16, the department said, a message was received from Watson stating: "... Proposed plan not acceptable. Proceed with original schedule."

In "compliance with its original commitment to the committee to provide suitable air transportation for these parties on Oct. 23 and Nov. 3," the department said, the Air Force ordered two planes to leave from this country to pick up the senatorial parties.

Grants Pass Soldier Killed in Accident

Duchesne, Utah — (U.P.) — A 24-year-old Oregon soldier was killed Saturday when the car he was driving went out of control on a curve and rolled over on U.S. Highway 40 about 22 miles west of here.

The victim was Corp. Bob Allyn Cain, of 871 Grandview ave., Grants Pass, Ore. A passenger in the vehicle, Pvt. Glen J. Jellico, of Charleston, S.C., was taken to Roosevelt hospital with serious injuries.

Highway Patrol Trooper Howard Powell said the soldiers were stationed at Fort Belvoir, Va., and were believed traveling to Cain's home in Grants Pass.

During the year of 1827, the 2,000 residents of Wilbraham, Mass., consumed 8,000 gallons of rum.

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Oklahoma Jurors Set Death Penalty For Ex-Oregonian

Oklahoma City — (U.P.) — A jury has set the death penalty for Otto Austin Loel, former Sandy, Ore., police chief for the hunting knife slaying of a California woman.

Judge A. P. Van Meter, who will sentence Loel Tuesday, said he has not decided on the date of execution. Oklahoma law stipulates that the date must be "not less than 60 days nor more than 90 days from the date of sentencing."

The body of Mrs. Elizabeth Jeanne Henderson, 31, was found in a motel here on Jan. 12, 1954. Her body bore 19 stab wounds and was covered with cigarette burns. She had been slain two days earlier.

Nabbed in Florida

Loel, on the FBI's 10 most wanted list, was arrested almost a year later in Florida.

Loel at first pleaded insanity. But during his three-day trial he maintained he was defending himself from a perverted sex attack by the woman. He said he "went haywire" and did not know he was stabbing Mrs. Henderson until she was dead.

Assistant Oklahoma County Attorney Joe Martin Jr. said Loel killed the woman in a "fit of passion." He also suggested that Loel could have been the pervert.

Telephone Workers Stall Strike for At Least 8 Days

Portland — (U.P.) — Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company and the CIO Communications Workers of America have stalled for at least eight days a possible strike of some 5,000 PT&T workers in Oregon.

The present contract between the two groups was due to expire at midnight Sunday, but bargaining committees have signed a memorandum agreement extending the contract until midnight, Oct. 31.

Meet Monday

The agreement further provides that the contract may be terminated upon two days written notice after Oct. 31. The two groups will meet next Monday morning for another bargaining session.

The CIO union made its first specific wage demands from the company, asking raises ranging from \$3.50 to \$6.00 per week. A company spokesman termed the demand "unrealistic and unacceptable."

Since negotiating sessions began Sept. 19 the union had asked for a "reasonable wage increase" and improvements in certain working conditions. The company had offered increases of \$2 to \$3.50 weekly.

Piggy Bank Holding \$100 Reported Stolen

A piggy bank containing more than \$100 in coins was taken Friday night from the home of Barbara Ann Schroeder, 99 Motel, Cabin 6, 816 North Riverside ave., according to city police.

The victim reported that she had lost the key to her cabin while shopping Oct. 17. The lost key bore a descriptive postal return tag.

Police believe that the cabin was entered between 6:30 and 11 p.m. by someone with a key, who took the white porcelain piggy bank from a dresser. The door was locked after them.

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