

Ike, George Fail To Heal Breach On Aspects of Foreign Policy

Washington — (U.P.) — Democrats and Republicans remained split over some aspects of foreign policy today despite the President's effort to heal the breach at a meeting with Sen. Walter F. George.

The influential Georgia Democrat, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, declined to discuss details of his one-hour talk late Monday with Mr. Eisenhower and Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, who was present most of the time.

But observers gained the impression that George, chief Democratic foreign policy spokesman in Congress, had not softened in his determined opposition to the President's proposal for putting foreign aid on a basis

of long-term commitments. Reporters planned to question Dulles about the White House meeting at the secretary's news conference today.

George said he was only paying a "private, social call" on the President and that any comment on what they discussed would have to come from Mr. Eisenhower.

But it was obvious in advance that the goodwill visit was aimed at trying to enlist George's support of a long-term foreign aid commitments and at softening Democratic criticism of Dulles' "brink of war" statements.

Knowland Renews Support
Senate Republican leader William F. Knowland (Calif.), who

previously had defended Dulles, renewed his support of the secretary Monday night.

Knowland said Dulles did not advocate that the United States go to the brink of war "as a matter of exercise." He said Dulles declared that the nation must be ready to take "whatever risks are necessary to prevent the Soviet from taking over the world piecemeal."

Legion Post To Honor Air Scout Squadron 14
Medford Post 15 of the American Legion will honor Air Scout Explorer Squadron 14 at the legion's regular 7 p.m. meeting tonight in American Legion Hall, East 13th st. and South Riverside ave.

A dinner will be served to the boy scout troop, which is sponsored by Post 15, and to legionnaires present, by officers of the post. Following the dinner members of the scout troop will present an entertainment program.

The committee in charge of arrangements includes Clark Walker, chairman, Harry Taylor, Don Wilson and Jack Dawson.

Eight Persons Perish In Two House Fires

By UNITED PRESS
Two fires killed eight persons today and in Ohio workmen plugged a gasoline pipeline leak which threatened the lives of 400 persons.

The worst tragedy was at Milford, Conn., where the bodies of five persons were found in the charred wreckage of a two-story frame house.

A group of boys spotted the burning house and saw a 12-year-old boy leap from a window. Firemen were summoned, but could not get into the house because of the oven-like heat.

When the flames were extin-

guished, firemen found the bodies of Julian Junsch, about 43, his wife, about 35—a six-year-old son; and Mrs. Junsch's parents. The boy who escaped was Junsch's 11-year-old son, Richard.

In Chicago, another home fire killed a father and two children a few hours after they had moved into a South Side basement apartment.

Firemen said an oil stove exploded, touching off a fire which raced through the three-room apartment. Firemen found the bodies of Fidel Rievera, 55, his daughter, Francisca Crespo, 12,

and her brother, Fidel Crespo, 8, in a bedroom.

Disaster Prevented
Quick action prevented a possible disaster at Solon, O. when highly explosive gasoline fumes began leaking from an eight-inch pipeline.

Workmen using detectors found that the pipeline was leaking fumes into a sewer. The leak was plugged immediately shortly after midnight.

Earlier, residents of the Cleveland suburb had been calling authorities complaining of fumes that gave them headaches. Residents were warned not to light

any fires until the leak was found.

Girl Scouts
Troop 114
Brownie Troop 114, led by Mrs. William Frederick, at a December meeting, made green felt coin purses, which were given to the girl's mothers for Christmas. The girls were presented Brownie lapel pins by their leaders in return for their good cooperation and attendance during the year.

Dead line for Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday



LARGEST AMERICAN missile to reach test firing stage—the Army's Redstone—is examined in scale model in Washington by Maj. Gen. John B. Medaris, chief of Army Ballistics Agency and Dr. Werner Von Braun, developer. (International)

Primaries Not To Be Accurate Indication Of Knowland Strength

Washington — (U.P.) — Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland was edging into state presidential primaries today but under conditions which provided no accurate measure of his strength.

If President Eisenhower decides to run again, Knowland will support him. If the President declines because of his heart attack, Knowland's early showing will offer no gauge of his strength in relation to other possible candidates.

Entered in Two Primaries
The California senator's name was entered Monday in the Illinois GOP presidential primary April 10 and in the Alaska primary April 24. Gov. William G. Stratton previously had entered Mr. Eisenhower in Illinois.

In neither Illinois nor Alaska is a candidate's consent required nor are the votes binding on the delegates. Knowland's name was entered in both without any advance declaration of candidacy although he has long been known to be a candidate if Mr. Eisenhower should decide to retire.

Knowland responded by announcing that he would not ask that his name be withdrawn. He cited "uncertainties" about Mr. Eisenhower's intentions and the fact that the President had invited other possible candidates to enter state primaries.

No Other Intentions Known
No other potential Republican candidates have shown Know-

land's willingness to enter presidential primaries, and none is expected to do so while Mr. Eisenhower's plans remain unknown.

Hence, until Mr. Eisenhower announces his plans, there is little chance of getting a vote on a number of candidates in the primaries. Both the President and Knowland have professed to want such a vote.

The Knowland vote in Illinois would have to be regarded in part as a measure of dissatisfaction with Mr. Eisenhower's policies rather than a test of his strength against other potential candidates.

Government Stocks At Record Total

Washington — (U.P.) — The Agriculture Department reports its stocks of wheat, corn, oats, sorghum grain, and barley on Jan. 1, totaled a record 116,000,000 tons.

These stocks were in transit or stored at farms, terminals, government-owned bins, mills, elevators and warehouses.

Total wheat stocks—1,535,000,000 bushels—were the largest in history. This amount was 4 per cent larger than a year ago, and 70 per cent larger than the 1945-54 yearly average. Off-farm stocks totaled 1,214,000,000 bushels, 6 per cent larger than a year earlier.

Of the off-farm total, about five-sixths of the wheat was either owned by the Commodity Credit Corporation or was warehouse-stored under government commodity loans. About one-fourth of the wheat on farms was under government loan.

Other stocks on hand compared with a year ago were:
Rye: 28,800,000 bushels, up 11 per cent; corn stocks: 3,057,000,000 bushels, compared with 2,825,000,000 bushels a year ago; oats: 1,082,000,000 bushels, up seven per cent; barley: 303,000,000 bushels compared with 283,000,000 bushels; sorghum grain: 222,500 bushels, up 15 per cent.

Sabotage Indicated In Calcutta Train Wreck

Bombay, India — (U.P.) — The Calcutta mail train jumped the track today 200 miles northeast of Bombay under circumstances that indicated sabotage.

Railway officials reported one person killed and 13 injured. They said loose plates were found near the scene, indicating the rails had been loosened.

Realty Board Leaders Take Office Tonight

Seven officers of the Medford Realty board will be installed at a dinner meeting at 7:30 p.m. today in the Medford hotel.

Ragnor O. Johnson, state real estate commissioner, and his assistant, E. F. Ross, both of Salem, will act as installing officers. A social hour will be held beginning at 6:30 p.m.

New officers to be installed are W. T. Fasel, president; Ivan Peoples, vice-president; C. C. Vandergrift, secretary-treasurer; and board members, Victor C. Sether, Mrs. Mary B. Maass, Clark Walker and D. L. Pickell.

O. H. Bengtson will be master of ceremonies.

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