

# Stevenson Accuses Administration of Eluding Responsibility

New York—(U.P.)—Adlai Stevenson accused the Eisenhower administration Wednesday night of shirking its "moral responsibility" in the fields of civil rights and racial desegregation.

The Democratic presidential aspirant charged the administration has failed to contribute towards an atmosphere in which school desegregation could be carried out "in tranquility and order."

He also proposed overhauling the internal security system to protect rights of persons suspected of disloyalty.

**About 2,200 Attend**

Stevenson's civil rights attack was made at a "tribute to Stevenson" dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. About 2,200 persons paid \$100 a plate to help finance Stevenson's campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination.

President Eisenhower was not mentioned by name in Stevenson's address. Neither was Vice President Richard M. Nixon whom Stevenson implied shared responsibility for "hate and hysteria" during the government's

# Nixon's Friends Sure That He Wants Number 2 Spot on Ticket

Washington—(U.P.)—Friends of Vice-President Richard M. Nixon are sure that Nixon wants the number two spot on the Republican presidential ticket again.

President Eisenhower told his news conference Wednesday that Nixon had not given him a definite answer yet on whether he wants to be Mr. Eisenhower's second-term running mate.

On March 7 the President said he had told Nixon to "chart his own course" in regard to his political future and report back to him. But Wednesday he said he had received no answer from Nixon on which he would regard as definitive.

Friends of Nixon said, however, there is little doubt he would seek the vice-presidential nomination. They noted these

developments in Nixon's behalf: **Popular With Voters**

The President has said he would be happy to have Nixon on the ticket.

The spontaneous and sizable write-in vote for Nixon in the New Hampshire primary where the balloting was not for a vice-presidential choice at all indicated Nixon retains popularity with the voters.

Most Republican state and national leaders have indicated in numerous polls that they want Nixon again.

**Other political news:**

Adlai E. Stevenson, candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination, accused Mr. Eisenhower Wednesday night of failing to give the nation "moral leadership" toward racial desegregation.

Sen. Estes Kefauver, in a speech to the Vassar College faculty at Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Wednesday, charged that relations among nations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization have "deteriorated" dur-

ing the Eisenhower administration.

He called for passage of his Senate resolution which would promote a top-level NATO convention to broaden the treaty organization's functions in economic and political fields.

Both parties continued arguing over the significance of the outcome of the Pennsylvania and Massachusetts primaries. Republican National Chairman Leonard W. Hall noted that Mr. Eisenhower got more GOP votes in both states than Stevenson did Democratic votes.

But Democratic National Chairman Paul M. Butler noted Democratic gains in both states.

## Four Youths Killed As Car Leaves Road

Pontiac, Mich.—(U.P.)—Four youths, two of them in their teens, were killed and a fifth was injured when their car shot off a curve and hit a tree near here early today, police said.

Killed were George Hampton, 20; Arthur Farnsworth, 19; Lonnie V. Stone, 21, and Robert D. Wilson, 16, all of Waterford Twp. Wayne Cunningham, 23, Saginaw, was hospitalized in fair condition.

## Lateness of Spring Confirmed in Chicago

Chicago—(U.P.)—The Cook county forest preserve district today officially confirmed what shivering Chicagoans had suspected all along—spring is late this year.

The district said in a special bulletin that the arrival of spring is at least a week and a half late this year in Chicago—the latest it has been in the last 10 years.

## Small Mill Burns Near Springfield

Springfield, Ore.—(U.P.)—A small lumber mill on the Old Coburg road five miles northwest of here was destroyed by fire yesterday with damage estimated at \$5,000. The mill employed four men, including the owner, Clifford Engle.

San Pedro, Calif.—(U.P.)—Andrew Vilicich, owner of a fleet of fishing boats operating out of San Pedro and Seattle, died Tuesday at San Pedro Community hospital at the age of 65.

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## A Nichol's Worth of . . . Comment On This and That

By **HARMAN W. NICHOLS**  
United Press Feature Writer

Washington—(U.P.)—The traffic toll in Europe is appalling. But my faithful informant at Army headquarters there says officials in Germany, at last, are doing a little something about it. Two things, in fact.

First, the cops in Frankfurt have decreed that it is agin' the law for girls to ride "side-saddle" on motorcycles or motorbikes.

The reason given in the official directive is that if a lady rides across the tie-bar she upsets the balance. My friend reports another hazard. If the wind is in the wrong direction, the lady's

skirts are apt to wind up around her neck—distracting men drivers coming from the other direction.

The second move to pare the traffic toll is adoption of the American custom of promoting a safe driving week.

My friend, an Army major, looks on all of this with a certain degree of misgiving.

**Beyond the Limit**

"Personal safety," he reports from long experience, "means nothing to the European. If he is legally right, he will push his luck to the limit. More often than not beyond the limit."

The major says without fear of being sued for libel that bicyclists mostly are out of their heads. Mostly, what they do is legal, but dangerous.

"Motorcyclists are just as bad," he told me. "Statistics show that one in every 10 European motorcyclists is dead like a dodo before he ever gets his bike paid for."

The fellow or a gal on a pumping kind of bike has the right of way at all times.

"If you are running along at an easy 50 miles an hour and there is a bike in front of you, all the biker has to do to turn is to give you hand signal," the officer said. "If he's 20 feet ahead, you're lucky if you don't hit him—because you never know whether he means he's running off to the right or left."

**Hills and Curves**

The American soldier is taught not to pass on hills or curves. To the European, that means nothing. When a man looks at his rearview mirror over there and sees a 15-ton truck followed by a 15-ton trailer barreling down on him, he has one of two choices.

Said my friend in his memo: "Try to outrun the guy, or get off the road."

There are no speed limits, and some of the souped-up midget cars have a lot of power. There are no inspections of cars for lights or brakes. And there are precious few cops to enforce what few traffic laws there are.

"If the safety councils in America had that to contend with," my friend relates, "they would puff their wigs, turn in their credentials and move into the woods."

The major hopes that the safety campaign in Germany catches on—and fast. Because of the large number of accidents, it cost him \$245 for one year alone to insure his car against damage.

"But as of now," he adds, "it looks like a good investment."

## Rail Rate Increase Suspension Ordered

Salem—(U.P.)—Public Utilities Commissioner Charles H. Heltzel today suspended proposed six per cent rate increases in all intrastate rail rates except for grain and grain products.

At the same time, the commission ordered a hearing on the proposed increases for May 8 in Salem.

The commission said that since there appeared to be no opposition to the grain and grain products rate hikes, they should not be suspended.

Originally the railroad filed tariffs for a seven per cent increase in intrastate rates. These were suspended by the commission. Then the carriers filed for the six per cent increase.

Last March 19, the Portland grain exchange voted that railroad freight rates intrastate on grain and grain products should be made uniform in Oregon with those applicable to interstate traffic.

## Crown Zellerbach Opens Pilot Plant

San Francisco—(U.P.)—Crown Zellerbach Corporation today announced the opening at Camas, Wash., of a pilot plant to produce dimethyl sulfide from waste materials of the kraft pulp-making process.

The plant, which employs a Swedish process held exclusively in North America by Zellerbach, has an eventual capacity of 2,000,000,000 pounds a year, the company said.

It is expected to produce dimethyl sulfide in larger quantities and at a lower cost than ever before. Dimethyl sulfide is used as a sulphur carrier in agricultural and rubber chemicals, as a base for certain solvents, and as an odorant or masking agent.

## Oregon Stamp Paper Due for Recognition

Salem—(U.P.)—The world's only semi-weekly stamp collectors' newspaper—An Oregon product—will be given national recognition next week at the fifth international philatelic exhibition in New York as the result of a "plug" by Gov. Elmo Smith.

The governor sent greetings from Oregon to the exhibition in which he made special mention of Western Stamp Collector, published at Albany. The paper goes twice a week to subscribers in every state and about 100 other countries.

Edited by William W. Wylie, the paper is the only stamp collector's periodical on the West Coast.

## Ft. Rock Basin Views Slated for Discussion

Corvallis—(U.P.)—Representatives of Oregon State College and residents of the Fort Rock basin will talk over their conflicting views on economic prospects of the basin in a meeting May 4.

Findings of an OSC research study into the agricultural prospects and economic future of the basin published in the winter issue of "Oregon's Agricultural Progress," a farm quarterly printed by the college, resulted in court action in which an injunction was sought against future articles.

The injunction suit was rejected by Lane county court but the college has voluntarily withheld any further articles until attempts can be made to bridge the gap between the conflicting opinions.

Residents of the area contend that they have been hurt economically by the published article.



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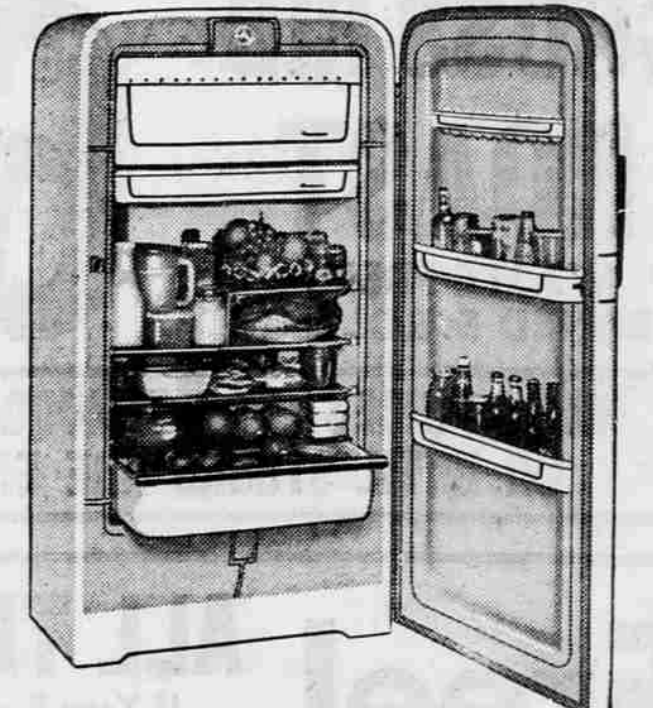
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