

# BRITAIN, FRANCE ATTACK EGYPT



CARDINAL MINDSZENTY Charges Null and Void

## Mindszenty Seen Possibility as Hungary Premier

Vienna—(U.P.)—Josef Cardinal Mindszenty has returned to his Budapest home from eight years of confinement in a Communist jail, radio Budapest reported today. The Catholic primate was regarded here as a major possibility for Hungary's next premier.

The Hungarian Communist regime already had declared "null and void" all charges against the imprisoned primate of the Catholic church in Hungary and a Communist broadcast said there had not been the "slightest legal basis" for jailing him.

Today's broadcast said he had been freed by revolutionary troops from a jail at Felsopeteny about 60 miles northeast of Budapest and after discussing "important problems" with his liberators drove to his Budapest home.

Further bloodshed looms. Despite a rash of radio Budapest announcements, Hungary was on the brink of further bloodshed, United Press correspondent Russell Jones reported from Budapest today.

Soviet troops were still in the city despite promises by Nagy they would withdraw.

Budapest radio itself complained today the Soviet troops had not fully left Budapest and appealed to Hungarians not to fire on the Russians and thus possibly delay their pull out.

The dispatches said the shattered capital feared a new wave of violence at any moment in the political vacuum and that the revolution had left Mindszenty as the only elder statesman capable of winning broad support in a strongly Catholic nation.

Fire season ends throughout state. The 1956 fire season terminated at midnight on Oct. 29, the southwest district office here learned from the state department of forestry's main office at Salem today.

Burning permits are no longer required, Curt Nesheim, southwest district warden, reported.

Nesheim said that burning of logging slash was brought to a standstill by the extended rains. Little slash has been burned because of sudden transition from dry to "real wet" weather, he stated. Whether more slash can be burned this fall depends upon the weather.

## U.S. To Stand By 1950 Declaration; Ike, Dulles Angry

Washington—(U.P.)—The White House said today the United States will stand by the 1950 Big Three declaration that pledges assistance to any victim of aggression in the Middle East.

White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty made the statement. It was his answer to a reporter's question on where this government stands in the Middle East crisis now that Britain and France have vetoed the U. S. proposal for a cease fire resolution by the UN Security Council.

Meanwhile, President Eisenhower was to state the U. S. position on the Middle East crisis in a nationwide radio and television report to the people at 4 p. m. (PST) today.

Nothing to Add. Hagerty was asked whether the United States had decided that Israel is an aggressor in the current situation. He replied that he had nothing to add to what U. S. Delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. said in the Security Council Tuesday.

President Eisenhower conferred with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles for 40 minutes on the Middle East situation this morning.

Both Mr. Eisenhower and Dulles were reported extremely angry over what U. S. officials regarded as "evident collusion among Britain, France, and Israel in secretly planning the sudden Israeli invasion of the Sinai Peninsula and the British-French move to occupy the Suez Canal zone."

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RED TANKS QUIT BUDAPEST—Soviet tanks block an intersection in Budapest to stop mass demonstrations during height of Hungarian revolution against Russian forces. The Communist regime has conceded "full victory" to the rebels and Russian tanks and troops are reported retreating from the city.

## Hungarian Planes Over Budapest

Vienna—(U.P.)—Planes of the Hungarian Air Force dropped leaflets over Budapest today threatening to bomb Soviet tanks if they do not leave the Hungarian capital immediately.

Today's appearance of the Hungarian Air Force over Budapest was the first confirmation the planes were in rebel hands. Tuesday leaflets were distributed through the capital but they

merely said the Air Force would "stand to arms" if the Russians did not pull out.

United Press Correspondent Russell Jones reported today that some Soviet forces were still in Budapest and that partisans were hunting down the hated AVH, Hungarian secret police, who have tried to slip away disguised as postmen.

The radio also broadcast what it called a manifesto by the Hungarian revolutionaries demanding the complete withdrawal of all Soviet troops from Hungary by Dec. 31 on threat of driving them out by force of arms if they do not go home.

The manifesto demanded immediate scrapping of the Warsaw pact, the Communists eastern NATO, and the takeover by the Hungarian army within a week of the Russian occupied uranium mines in Hungary.

## Spooks, Goblins To Be On Prowl Tonight

Thousands of pint-sized spooks and goblins will invade the nation tonight on the prowling for treats.

This is the night of Halloween, a blending of religious significance, innocent fun and occasional vandalism.

Police and homeowners are thankful to note that much of the destructive spirit of Halloween has gone the way of the outdoor privy, a favorite target of vandals in "the good old days."

A transition in recent years in the manner of celebrating the night now finds most youngsters trudging from door to door bent on gratifying their appetites for treats rather than trouble.

And about 1,500,000 children will don the guise of goblins to perform an errand of charity. They will canvass their neighborhoods to collect money for the United Nations' International Children's Emergency Fund. The money collected by these youngsters in 7,200 communities will be used to buy milk, medicine and clothing for the world's underprivileged children.

The "new look" in Halloween activities has come about through the cooperation of police, civic organizations and church groups. But although vandalism is reported on the decrease in most areas, authorities aren't convinced that the relatively harmless Halloween is here to stay.

## Taxes, Fees Will Vary in Annexation

If the Berrydale district is annexed to Medford, some residents would pay considerably more in taxes and fees, some would pay about the same, and some would pay less, City Manager Robert Duff estimated today.

He said it is impossible to make a general statement which would cover the situation facing all residents of the area, for some live in one combination of taxing districts, and some in another. The only way an individual could figure out approximately how annexation would affect him would be to compile and compare figures on his own property.

Average total annual cost for a resident of the Midway Water district is around \$97 or \$98 for services and insurance, compared to an average of \$78 or \$79 for Medford residents, Duff estimated, using "average" assessments as a basis. Residents of the Elk City Water district now pay an average of about \$78, and those in no water district, considerably less than that, he stated.

He offered the assistance of city officials to any residents wishing to determine approximately how annexation would affect them.

## Radio Highlights

Vice President Richard M. Nixon will be heard over station KWIN (1400 kc) at 6:30 p. m. today.

## New Mountain Road To KF Step Closer

The proposed new mountain highway between Medford and Klamath Falls was a step nearer this week, with the report that the Klamath county court has presented a resolution to the state highway commission approving the proposal.

The Jackson county court, already on record approving the proposed road, last week reaffirmed its approval.

The suggested highway would be a cooperative endeavor, with county, state and federal governments joining in the financing and maintenance of the road.

In the resolution, the Klamath county court asked highway commissioners to intercede on behalf of the court with federal officials for the purpose of early design and construction of the highway. The proposed route is through Eagle Point, McAllister, Soda Springs and Lake of the Woods.

Jerry V. Rajnus, Klamath county commissioner, presented the resolution as well as concurring statement from the Jackson county court at a hearing in Klamath Falls Oct. 24.

## Christmas Season To Start Nov. 28

The Christmas season will officially open Wednesday, Nov. 28, with the traditional Santa Claus parade, the Medford Retail Merchants association decided today.

The parade is sponsored by the Medford Junior Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with the merchants.

The merchants also voted to have stores remain open each evening during the week of Dec. 17.

Veterans who are employed in Medford stores will be permitted to attend the Veterans Day breakfast, Nov. 12, and march in the parade at 11 a. m., the merchants association announced. Stores will remain open Nov. 12.

Veterans Day will be observed Monday, Nov. 12, since Nov. 11 falls on Sunday this year.

## Bulletin

Beirut, Lebanon—(U.P.)—British bombers blasted Cairo, Alexandria, Port Said, Ismailia and Suez tonight, Cairo Radio reported.

Xenia, Ohio—(U.P.)—J. J. Saloveara, 39, city manager of Albany, Ore., has been named city manager of Xenia.

## Small Watershed Plan Being Prepared for Bear Creek

A committee of the Isaac Walton league, working with the Rogue Soil Conservation district, is preparing an application to the U. S. department of agriculture for assistance in developing a work plan for a small watershed program on Bear Creek and its tributaries.

Bill Thorndike, member of the board of directors of the league, is chairman of the committee.

The assistance is being requested under the watershed protection and flood prevention act passed by Congress in 1954 and amended this year.

The Bear creek watershed, according to Thorndike, constitutes all the drainage areas of Bear creek and its tributaries from the sources to the outlet of Bear creek in Rogue river.

The watershed development would not duplicate the Talent irrigation project, he pointed out, but rather would supplement it to the advantage of the entire watershed. The TID flood control aspects cover only about 10 per cent of the Bear creek watershed, he said.

(1) Elimination of floods, with their resultant damage to soil and improvements.

(2) Improvement of range management and woodland methods to reduce soil erosion, increase soil fertility and the value of agricultural commodities.

(3) Storage of water for irrigation in areas where needed.

(4) Elimination of health hazards caused by floods or lack of required minimum water flow.

(5) Improvement of recreational resources of the watershed.

(6) Beautification of the streams and their surroundings within the watershed.

All costs in connection with flood prevention and control, according to the act, are to be borne by the federal government. Other costs, such as irrigation and range management, are to be absorbed by the people benefiting from the development. The federal contribution to construction costs cannot exceed \$250,000.

# CAIRO BOMBED BY BRITISH JETS

London—(U.P.)—Britain and France attacked Egypt today. Jet bombers roaring out of bases on Cyprus launched the attack which placed the Egyptians in a pincers between attacking Israeli in the Sinai desert on the one hand and the British and French on the other.

A Cairo radio broadcast said bombers hit Cairo at 7 p. m. (9 a. m. PST).

"British jet bombers raided Cairo at 9 p. m. this evening," the broadcast said. "There was no loss of life, but there was some property damage."

The attack came just 12½ hours after expiration of a British-French ultimatum to Egypt and Israel to stop fighting. It was condemned in advance by the United States, Russia, India and Yugoslavia joined in the protests.

Britain and France had given Egypt 12 hours to agree to permit Anglo-French forces to occupy the canal and to assure its continued operation during the Israeli-Egyptian fighting. Egypt flatly refused.

A little more than 24 hours after first issuing their ultimatum, the British and French struck. The announcement from Allied headquarters on Cyprus said:

"An air offensive by bomber aircraft under Allied command is at this moment being launched against military targets in Egypt."

Amphibious Attacks Next. Strong French and British naval forces were in the Eastern Mediterranean and a next step could be attacks by amphibious forces storming ashore to secure the key canal cities of Port Suez, Ismailia and Port Said.

Moscow tonight formally condemned the "aggressive action" of England, France and Israel in attacking Egypt and called for "immediate" U. N. Security Council action to halt it.

Yugoslavia's President Tito warned that the conflict "is threatening to become a war of great proportions."

The targets in Egypt and the types and numbers of aircraft taking part in the operation were not revealed.

It was not known whether French planes took part in the raid, or whether it was made by British planes alone.

The first French-British Allied communique did not mention transport aircraft or paratroopers being involved in the action.

Paratroopers had been standing by at their planes on Cyprus airfields since Tuesday night.

Cyprus is 230 miles north of the Suez Canal area of Egypt. Since Egypt nationalized the canal July 26, Cyprus has been the scene of a continuing military buildup by Britain and France for possible action against Cairo.

Police to Add Extra Patrols Tonight. Extra police cars will patrol Medford streets tonight as a precaution against halloween vandalism, according to Police Chief Charles Champlin.

"We don't anticipate any serious trouble," Champlin said. "The kids in this town are usually pretty good."

Camp Fire Girls and the Medford branch, Oregon United Nations' association, are sponsoring fund collections for the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF). This is the third year for the project for children in Medford and other communities in the area.

Tile Blows Off Living Room Ceiling. Tile on the living room ceiling at the residence of H. G. Malot, 3009 Table Rock rd., Central Point, "blew" in during the heavy wind and rain storm Monday night.

Mrs. Malot said she was awakened about 12:50 a. m. Tuesday by a loud crash in the living room, and found tile from the ceiling had fallen. She said it occurred when a strong gust of wind whipped through the attic of the one-story building.

Wladyslaw Gomulka announced the twin objectives Tuesday to a group of youth leaders.

The new Polish Communist leader said Soviet officers already have been freed out from the nation's security forces. He said the number of Soviet "experts" attached to the Polish army will be cut from 150 to 30.

Weather. FORECAST: Partial clearing tonight with fog or low overcast Thursday morning. Rain Thursday afternoon and night. Low tonight 39. High Thursday 45-50.

Highest Yesterday 47 Temp. Lowest this Morning 35 Prec. to 4:30 a. m. Today .12

Our Skies Tonight. Sunrise 6:44 a. m. Sunset 5:06 p. m. Moonrise Thursday 5:54 a. m. New Moon Nov. 2

PROMINENT STARS. Capella, low in north-east. The Pleiades, high in east.

"SIBBLE PLANETS". Mars, due south 8:42 p. m. Venus, low in east 3:54 a. m. Jupiter, above Venus.

