

### U. S. Task Force Moves Maneuvers Close To Albania

Rome, Italy — (U.P.) — A U.S. hunter-killer task force today moved its Mediterranean maneuvers within radar range of Albania, where suspected ports are believed to be hideouts for Russian submarines.

Hunter-Killer Task Force No. 2 demonstrated modern anti-sub tactics for the benefit of a receptive group of Italian naval officers. The Italian navy has been worried about reports of Soviet submarines in the Ionian sea at the southern tip of the Italian peninsula.

Two U.S. submarines sneaked out of this Italian naval base at Leghorn to track down and challenge the task force made up of the aircraft carrier Antietam and six destroyers.

#### Planes Detect Subs

The job of detecting the subs was to be carried out by 20 airplanes based on the Antietam and equipped with magnetic devices capable of probing the sea to a depth of several hundred feet.

Once the planes located the submarines the destroyers were to be called in for the theoretical "kill."

The surface force was commanded by Rear Adm. Paul L. Dudley.

Among the American observers were New Jersey Gov. Robert D. Meyner, a lieutenant commander in the Naval Reserve, and Maj. Gen. James F. Cantwell, commander-in-chief of the New Jersey Department of Defense.

The group of Italian observers was headed by Adm. Corso Perrone Giraldi, navy chief of staff.

### Aldrich; Herter Seen In Line for Posts

AUGUSTA, Ga. — (U.P.) — Winthrop Aldrich, the U.S. ambassador to Great Britain, has indicated his desire to retire from diplomatic life and President Eisenhower may name John Hay (Jack) Whitney, New York financier, to succeed him.

This was a consensus of reports from Washington, London and the Augusta National Golf club, where President Eisenhower is vacationing.

Whitney is not a shoo-in for the job. In fact, some of the President's closest advisers urged their friends not to "go out on a limb" about Whitney.

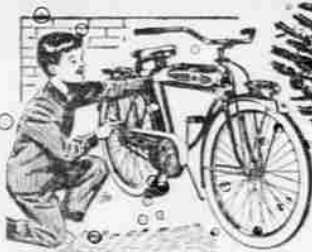
The name of Christian A. Herter, whose term as governor of Massachusetts ends shortly, was mentioned as possibly a better bet for London.

#### Pier Angeli Resting

Hollywood — (U.P.) — Actress Pier Angeli was reported in "good condition" today at Cedars of Lebanon hospital after suffering a miscarriage in the seventh week of pregnancy.

The Italian-born actress, wife of singer Vic Damone, lost the expected baby Thursday. They have a year-old son.

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## SP&S Railroad Strike Suspended; Workers Returning To Mills

Portland — (U.P.) — A strike against the Spokane, Portland and Seattle railroad was in "suspension" today and lumber industries closed or slowed down by the walkout began calling employees back to work.

A. F. Kummer, assistant grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, said the strike was suspended—not ended—pending a decision of an

emergency board authorized Wednesday by President Eisenhower.

The first SP&S passenger train to move since the walkout started last Saturday night left here at 9:45 p.m. yesterday for Pasco and Spokane. Freight trains were expected to start rolling today.

**30-Day Time Given**  
Guy L. Brown of Cleveland,

grand chief of the locomotive engineers, sent a telegram to Kummer here saying the strike would be suspended until deliberations of the mediation board have been completed.

The president's order called for a three-man board to study the strike and report back to him within 30 days.

Engineers struck last Saturday night after a long dispute

over working conditions and in support of a demand for more pay for certain jobs.

#### Mills Reopening

The five-day strike had forced several lumber mills in Oregon to close and affected other industry. Particularly bad hit was the Astoria area.

But word of the return to work by engineers brought a call for other laid-off employees

to return to the job. Brooks-Scanlon, big lumber mill at Bend, said it was calling 400 men back to work today. The Multi-Use Panel Corporation and Valley Plywood of Eugene were to reopen at 8 a.m. today with 250 men returning to work.

The Astoria Plywood Corporation which had 225 men out of work put 50 men back today with all shifts due Monday.

#### GRADES KEEP OUT

Waco, Tex. — (U.P.) — Two veteran linemen at Baylor university will miss the school's Sugar Bowl football game at New Orleans, Jan. 1, against Tennessee because of grades.

Tackle Bill Parsley and end James Amyett failed to meet grade requirements for the fall quarter.

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