

Russian Roundup of German Scientists Aided Rocket Study

Frankfurt, Germany — A Soviet roundup of German scientists at the end of World War II gave a strong boost to Russian rocket research but the Communists long since have struck out on their own, German experts said Friday.

Approximately 6,000 scientists and technicians were rounded up by the Russians in secret early morning raids throughout the Soviet Zone of Germany in October, 1946, and shipped off to Russia. The Soviets carefully selected their men from the ranks of the German V1 and V2 missilemen whose technical skill added the fearsome weapons to Adolf Hitler's arsenal.

The scientists technically were not prisoners. But there was no arguing with the Red Army "recruiters" and no quitting the job. They were paid for their work and permitted to take their families and household belongings with them. More than 20,000 family members went along.

Most of the 6,000 spent at least five years in the Soviet Union. Only about 50 are believed still there.

U. S. Got Top Men

The Soviets did not get the top men of the Nazi German rocket project. About 100, led by V2 chief Dr. Werner von Braun, made their way from the Peenemuende Rocket Station in East Germany to the allied lines at the end of the war. Many were flown to the U. S. and have since acquired American citizenship.

Von Braun, Prof. Hermann Oberth, Dr. Heinz Koelle, Walter Wiesenand, Arthur Rudolph, Hannes Luehrsen, Dr. Ernest Stuhlinger, Dr. Wolfgang Stuerer and about 40 others presently work at the Army's Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, Ala.

But missile expert Adalbert Baerwolf believes the Russian rocket program was not seriously affected by the failure to secure "big name" scientists.

Soviets Went Own Way

According to Baerwolf, German scientists caught in the Soviet roundup had to construct equipment similar to that de-

Maloney Got Cut, Elkins Aide Says

Portland — An employee of Portland racketeer James B. Elkins testified Thursday that a \$4000 share of after-hours club receipts went to Thomas E. Maloney, now on trial for conspiracy, during three months of 1955.

James Q. (Slim) Jenkins, who identified himself as a mechanic for Elkins' Service Machine Company, testified that he delivered the money in half a dozen trips to Maloney's apartment. Jenkins said the meetings in the King Tower apartments here included Maloney, Elkins, and Joseph P. McLaughlin, Seattle cardroom operator. McLaughlin and ex-District Attorney William M. Langley are accused of being conspirators with Maloney in a plan to foster gambling in Portland and to make money from the operations.

Jenkins testified that "at the time, I was making collections from after hours clubs." He said he delivered the money to Maloney at the direction of Elkins in July, August and September of 1955.

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stroyed at Peenemuende. They spent the next several years having their brains picked by the Russians.

Young Soviet scientists worked side by side with the German experts in the laboratories. Every scrap of paper German designers worked on had to be turned in to the Soviet superiors.

Dr. Helmut Groettrup, head of the German scientists deported to Russia, said in a radio interview Thursday night that the Russians used German World War II technical knowledge only for background and have since gone their own way.

"As far as I know, the German scientists in the U. S. have built their work on the traditions from Peenemuende," Groettrup said. "My coworkers and I broke with this tradition. The Soviets have gone further along this path now."

Groettrup said the Soviet satellite is proof that Russian scientists can build a rocket capable of reaching any part of the earth. He said when the Germans returned home in the early 1950s, the Soviet research was not yet close to this point.

NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER FOR SALE

Oral auction bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, or his authorized representative at the office of the District Ranger, Union Creek Ranger Station, Prospect, Oregon, November 13, 1957, for all merchantable timber marked or designated for cutting on an area embracing about 21 acres located in a general sale area of 155 acres, more or less, within section 32, T. 3 S., R. 3 E., W.M., surveyed, in the Union Creek Ranger District, Rogue River National Forest, Jackson County, Oregon. The estimated volumes are 15 M board feet of pine, 770 M board feet of Douglas-fir and other species \$23.35. This includes the following stumpage rates, per M board feet: Pine \$16.00, Douglas-fir and other species \$11.50 for slash disposal for all species. As a qualification for oral bidding, all bidders must submit a sealed bid accompanied by the required payment to the District Ranger prior to 1:00 p.m., November 13, 1957. Sealed bids will be posted at the beginning of the auction for the information of all bidders. A money order, bank draft, cashier's or certified check in the sum of \$500.00 must accompany each bid, to be applied on the purchase price, refunded, or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to the conditions of sale. UC-57-18: Oral auction bids will be received beginning at 1:00 p.m., November 13, 1957. Area embraces about 8 acres located in a general sale area of 160 acres, more or less, within section 15, T. 3 S., R. 3 E., W.M., surveyed. The estimated volumes are 20 M board feet of pine, 280 M board feet of Douglas-fir and other species. The minimum acceptable bid per M board feet is as follows: Pine \$13.05, Douglas-fir and other species \$23.75. This includes the following stumpage rates, per M board feet: Pine \$13.05, Douglas-fir and other species \$23.75, plus \$2.00 for sale area betterment for all species. As a qualification for oral bidding, all bidders must submit a sealed bid accompanied by the required payment to the District Ranger prior to 1:00 p.m., November 13, 1957. Sealed bids will be posted at the beginning of the auction for the information of all bidders. A money order, bank draft, cashier's or certified check in the sum of \$500.00 must accompany each bid, to be applied on the purchase price, refunded, or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to the conditions of sale. UC-57-17: Oral auction bids will be received beginning at 4:00 p.m., November 13, 1957. Area embraces about 180 acres, more or less, within sections 28, 29, 32, & 33, T. 3 S., R. 3 E., and sections 4, 5, 9, 16, 17, 20, & 29, T. 32 S., R. 3 E., S.M., surveyed. The estimated volumes are 20 M board feet of pine, 280 M board feet of Douglas-fir and other species. The minimum acceptable bid per M board feet is as follows: Pine \$13.05, Douglas-fir and other species \$23.75. This includes the following stumpage rates, per M board feet: Pine \$13.05, Douglas-fir and other species \$23.75, plus \$2.00 for sale area betterment for all species. As a qualification for oral bidding, all bidders must submit a sealed bid accompanied by the required payment to the District Ranger prior to 4:00 p.m., November 13, 1957. Sealed bids will be posted at the beginning of the auction for the information of all bidders. A money order, bank draft, cashier's or certified check in the sum of \$500.00 must accompany each bid, to be applied on the purchase price, refunded, or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to the conditions of sale.

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Sealed proposals addressed to the City Council of Phoenix, Oregon, and endorsed "Proposal on sale of new motor vehicle to City" will be received at the office of the City Recorder of Phoenix, Oregon, until 5:00 o'clock p.m. on the 18th day of October, 1957, which said bids will be opened on said date and a purchase contract awarded thereon, if any, at the time of a special City Council meeting to be held the 21st day of October, 1957.

The motor vehicle upon which offers of sale are sought should be a 1957 model two-door sedan, equipped with heater and windshield washers. It is requested that the proposals be stated in two ways: to wit: the first way for the purchase price of the offered vehicle outright and the second way the differential purchase price after giving allowance for the trade-in thereon of the present motor vehicle of the City, which is a 1955 Ford two-door sedan.

The City of Phoenix reserves the right to reject all proposals and to accept such proposal as to the best interest of the City.

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CITY OF PHOENIX, OREGON
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The youth was accused of the Aug. 16 ax slaying of nine-year-old Mary Mathew of The Dalles. He was judged insane and committed to an institution.

Little Girl's Killer Describes Driving Screwdriver in Body

Juarez, Mexico — A Sideburned, cynical Joe Franco sat in the dingy Juarez jail Friday and said he laughed when he drove a screwdriver through the heart of his 5-year-old rape victim.

The 24-year-old Dexter, N.M., farmhand is expected to be deported to face charges in the kidnap-rape-slaying of little Sandra Jo Lucero at Roswell, N.M., after quizzing here on a 1955 child molesting case.

"I had been smoking the weed all day," Franco told reporters in an arrogant tone. "I was laughing when I stabbed her with the screwdriver."

"I hope they kill me," he sneered.

Seldom did a shadow of remorse cross his face as he admitted taking the girl from her home about midnight last Saturday, raping and killing her and then leaving her body wrapped in a car seat cover in a dumping ground.

Grims Speculation

The husky killer's arrival Thursday climaxed a day of speculation as to whether he would reach the border alive. Citizens both in Juarez and across the border in El Paso speculated the ancient custom of "ley fuga" would take care of Franco. Ley fuga is a border practice more often talked of than heard of in which a prisoner is officially "shot to death while trying to escape."

However, Juarez Police Chief Teodoro Rives and a detective delivered Franco unmarked after an all-day drive from near Torreon, Mexico, where he was arrested at an uncle's farm.

Inspector General Domingo Holguin, head of all Juarez police agencies, said Mrs. Elvira G. de Mentiola, Franco's half-sister who lives in Juarez, told police of the uncle.

Suhrawardy Resigns As Pakistan Premier

Karachi, Pakistan — Prime Minister Hussein S. Suhrawardy submitted his resignation to President Iskander Mirza Friday.

Suhrawardy, 65, a close friend of the United States, had been Pakistan's premier for 13 months.

His resignation apparently was the result of a bitter struggle with Republican members of his coalition cabinet over whether to break up the province of West Pakistan into linguistic groups again.

A 10-year-old uncle, who said Franco came to the house and lay down on the bed with Sandra Jo. He left later and the boy said Sandra Jo went to close the door and disappeared.

Her parents had left her with

Suhrawardy, a member of the Awami (People's) League, had opposed the disintegration, which would mean a major change in Pakistan's 18-month-old Constitution.

ANCIENT RELICS FOUND
Reggio Emilia, Italy. — Workers digging the foundations for a new building have uncovered ancient coins and jewels of very high value, it was disclosed Friday. Archeologists said the Byzantine gold coins dated back to the period between 476 and 486 a.d. and the rest of the treasure to the time of the barbaric invasions. They said the collector's value of the find would run into tens of thousands of dollars.

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