

# Lester Pearson, Nobel Winner, Feels World Peace 'Precariously' Balanced

Ottawa — Nobel Peace Prize winner Lester B. Pearson believes world peace is "precariously" balanced, that Western prestige has suffered from Sputnik and that Russia would like to split the Western Alliance by separate diplomatic deal with the United States.

But the former Canadian Minister of External Affairs, who is a candidate for the Liberal party leadership is also a possible fu-

ture Canadian Prime Minister, does not believe that the Turkish-Syria situation in the Near East need break out in a shooting war.

He also is convinced that the present tense world situation makes it all the more necessary for the nations in the Western Alliance to draw together more closely than ever.

Pearson expressed his views in an exclusive interview with

United Press. It was the first such interview given by him since his acclaim a week ago as this year's winner of the Nobel Peace Prize.

**Pearson Answers**  
The questions and Pearson's answers follow:

**Question**—Is the Turkish-Syrian situation more dangerous than was the British-French Suez crisis. If so in what way?

**Answer**—The Turkish-Syrian situation—dangerous though it may be—can only be compared to the Suez crisis if fighting actually breaks out. There is not the same kind of bitter hostility that existed between Israel and Egypt.

**Q.**—Would you regard the world peace balance as precarious, or what other adjective would you use?

**A.**—Peace is still balanced on terror—fear of mutual destruction—because of the nuclear weapons that would be used in all out war. Precarious can be used as a word to describe that kind of balance and our objective must be to find something more stable.

**Q.**—Do you believe Russian policy is aiming towards a bilateral pact on security or disarmament with the United States?

**A.**—I think that the Russians

now would like to work out a deal of some kind, on a purely division of power basis with the United States. They have always been attracted by that kind of arrangement.

**Q.**—What is the effect of Sputnik on the validity of the principle of collective security upon which the United Nations is based?

**UN Seems Strengthened**  
**A.**—It seems to me not to invalidate, but, on the contrary, to strengthen it.

**Q.**—In your opinion has Sputnik weakened the Western Alliance? Is Tito's trade deal with East Germany the first surface evidence of a drop in Western prestige?

**A.**—It may have shaken it for a moment. It was a very dramatic development, but should not weaken it. Indeed, if we draw the right conclusions from Sputnik, the alliance should work more closely together.

Tito's recognition of East Germany may have been influenced to some extent by his feeling that Western prestige has been lowered.

**Q.**—Does Sputnik change any of the considerations governing the advisability of admitting Red China into the United Nations?

**A.**—I don't think so.



DR. GERALD A. LARUE

DR. J. CARTER SWAIM

Speakers at Bible Conference

## Two Bible Conference Speakers Are Listed

Two speakers to be in Medford Thursday and Friday with the Use and Understanding of the Bible conference will be Dr. Gerald A. Larue, National Council of Churches staff member, and Dr. J. Carter Swaim, execu-

tive director of the department of the English Bible, division of Christian education of the council.

The conference will be held at the First Presbyterian church, Medford, with workshops being held from 10:30 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Dr. Larue, who will conduct one of the workshops each day, will speak at the Thursday evening banquet at St. Mark's Episcopal church and will be host at the Friday breakfast meeting at First Christian church.

Dr. Swaim will be principal speaker Thursday at the hymn festival at the Medford High school auditorium. He will also speak at the men's noon luncheon Thursday at the First Methodist church and the women's luncheon Friday at the same church. He will conduct the closing worship service Friday from 4:30 until 5 p.m. at the First Presbyterian church.

Workshops will be held in three sessions each day and interested persons are invited to attend the two day conference. Registration will be held Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at the Presbyterian church.

Wednesday at 7 p.m. Dr. Eugene Carson Blake, president of the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States of America, will speak at First Presbyterian church.

## Goldwater Asks Probe Of Mayner Campaign

Washington — Sen. Barry Goldwater (R-Ariz.), today asked the Senate Rackets Committee to investigate Republican complaints that the AFL-CIO is "pouring vast sums" of money into the Democratic gubernatorial campaign in New Jersey.

He made the request as the committee turned from investigating labor to investigating management.

Goldwater, a member of the committee, asked Chairman John L. McClellan to assign investigators to check the complaint of GOP candidate Malcolm S. Forbes that the AFL-CIO is using union funds to back the reelection campaign of Democratic Gov. Robert E. Meyner.

## School News

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Queen Rosemary I reigned over 1957 Homecoming festivities Friday, October 18. Rosemary Schleigh, sophomore, was elected this year's queen by the football squad. Ron Daugherty, study body president, presented Queen Rosemary her crown and announced the queen's waltz. She was attended by Princesses Glenna Smith, Frances Hensley and Linda Goble.

During the evening, the winning float was announced. The senior class was awarded first place for which they received a plaque presented by the student council. Junior sophomore, and freshman floats received honorable mention.

Attending the State FTA convention at Southern Oregon college Saturday were Mary Ellen Mitchell and Jean Floyd, president and secretary respectively of the Narcissa Whitman club, local FTA chapter.

After the luncheon, nominating speeches were given by candidates running for 1957-1958 state offices. Discussion and cell group were attended and different reports were given.

To help determine suitable careers for the seniors of 1958, E. M. Skipworth, vice principal, has been conferring with individual seniors, discussing the eleventh grade achievement tests as well as other grades. He also gave them some ideas of careers that they might be best qualified for. This counseling is of special value to those students who haven't decided on a career.

Don Mitchell, science cadet teacher, is now doing his practice teaching at Phoenix High

## Trailer Factory To Start at Pendleton

Pendleton — C. T. McRary, president of Modernist Trailer Industries of Los Angeles, said today the company's Pendleton plant will be in operation within 30 days.

The Pendleton city council provided the Pendleton airport armory building rent-free for the new industry. McRary said MTI will build vacation trailers in price ranges from \$1700 to \$5000 and expects to build about \$330,000 worth of trailers by next summer.

school under the supervision of John Marler, and Roscoe Larson. This is part of his teaching curriculum at Southern Oregon college.

The Home Economics III class consisting of four seniors and four juniors went on a field trip Thursday, Oct. 10, during fifth period to Norton's Food Market and the Triangle Market. The girls priced different types of foods to find out which would be more economical. This experience is to help them in their unit on how to make a cheap but well balanced meal.

The executive board of the GAA has been enlarged. Sport chairman have been elected in the following sports: soccer, Marla Simmonds; basketball, Charlotte Unruh; volleyball, Eula Disrude. Chairman for other sports will be elected in the future.

Two newly elected officers took office at the last Mask club meeting Tuesday, Oct. 15. Peggy Chisum, president; and Francis Kievet, vice president, were elected to replace Bob Taylor and Betty Rupp who resigned their positions to retain their offices on the student council.

## Court Records

**DISTRICT COURT**  
Warren Fay Lovell, failure to operate on right side of highway, \$10.  
Elmer James Sell, switched license tabs, \$35.  
Lee S. Donaldson, four in front seat, \$6.  
Malcolm Donald McGeary, violation basic rule, \$15.  
Frank Hammond, failure to dim lights, \$5.  
John Duane Austin, failure to stop at traffic sign, \$15, bail.  
James Frank Riley, violation basic rule, \$15.  
Glenn Herbert Mills, operating vehicle while operator's license suspended, \$55.  
Beulah Mae Morgan, no operator's license, \$10.  
Anell Rival Lee, violation basic rule, \$15.  
Richard Irvin Hall, defective tail light, \$5.  
Charles Edward Rufert, overlength, \$15.

**CIRCUIT COURT**  
William Carley vs Gladys Mae Carley, divorce decree.  
Patsy Elinor Marble vs Robert James Marble, divorce complaint.  
Mary G. Cash vs Fred J. Cash, divorce complaint.  
Salvador C. Esquivel vs Marjorie Esquivel, separate maintenance, complaint.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION**  
Thomas Alfred Griffiths Jr., 505 Fourth st., Phoenix, and Aylene Ruth Hooper, 1028 East 11th st., Medford.  
Joseph Alfred Anderson, 31, Jeanette st., Medford, and Capitola Irene Barnes, 1317 West Main st., Medford.  
Donald Glein Vurgess, San Diego, Calif., and Virginia Lee Carter, 720 Broad st., Medford.

## Errol Flynn To Be Tried November 25 On Drunk Charges

Hollywood — Flamboyant Errol Flynn will be tried Nov. 25 on a charge of being drunk at a screen publicists' ball Saturday night at the Riviera Country club.

The swashbuckling leading man pleaded innocent to the charge Monday through attorneys D. V. Hanneken and Robert Ford in West Los Angeles Municipal Court. He asked for a jury trial.

The pretty, Dublin-born actress hustled off to jail with the actor and released on \$20 bail was due in court today to plead to a drunk charge against her.

Red-haired Maura Fitzgibbons, 21, and Flynn, 48, were jailed after officer William Friedman, hired to keep peace at the gray filmland party, complained that the couple took his badge.

Admits Taking Badge  
Flynn admitted taking Friedman's badge as a "joke" when the off-duty Los Angeles vice squad officer asked him to autograph a menu for his French-born wife, who the actor kissed on the cheek.

Miss Fitzgibbons said she lost the badge after sticking it in one of her gloves and dancing off with Flynn on the floor of the club. "I guess I must have lost it," she said.

Friedman said Flynn flipped him \$5 and told him to buy another badge when he stopped the couple as they were about to leave the party.

Flynn's contention that he was not drunk was supported by Don Bouteyvette, president of the Movie Press Agents Union who described the incident as "outrageous."

"There were hundreds of people who had far more to drink and were more boisterous than Errol," he said.

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